

ADVISORY NO. 115

TOPIC: BILLING RECEIVED FROM M.D. TEMP OR D.O. TEMP ON HCFA-1500

TWCC has advised that Texas State Board of Medical Examiners (B.M.E.) issues a Temporary License for doctors making application for licensure by reciprocity or by Board Examination. These doctors are issued a Temporary License until such time as out-of-state verification can be reviewed or the State Board Exam has been passed. These licensure dates are updated biannually by the Board of Medical Examiners.

TWCC is reminding the carriers that bills received from an M.D. Temp or a D.O. Temp with a license number of "Temp" should be reimbursed appropriately.