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<u>Notification:</u>	<u>HUM 8515</u>
<u>Category:</u>	<u>HCPCS - Drugs & Biologicals</u>
<u>Topic:</u>	<u>Louisiana Medicaid: golimumab, 1 mg – HCPCS code J1602</u>
<u>What is changing? / Change Description:</u>	<p><u>For providers with a specialty other than home infusion therapy or pharmacy, we limit reimbursement of charges for HCPCS code J1602 to no more than 216 units per date of service for patients 12-17 years old who have any of the following diagnoses:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Polyarticular juvenile idiopathic arthritis</u> • <u>Psoriatic arthritis</u>
<u>Why is Humana making this change? / Change Reason:</u>	<p><u>These limitations were established by the FDA-approved package insert and prescribing information and the pharmaceutical compendia for golimumab.</u></p> <p><u>Note: The limitations described above are based on maximum dosages established in milligrams. If any units are denied, the provider can dispute the decision through the appropriate process. The provider can submit information, including medical notes showing the patient's body surface area, that substantiates the medical necessity of the additional units.</u></p>
<u>Language:</u>	<u>English</u>
<u>Impacted Products:</u>	<u>Medicaid- Louisiana</u>