Medicaid Payment Increase
Take action today
The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (ACA) includes a historic investment to expand access to Medicaid for children, and the AAP wants to make sure you know about it: As of January 1, 2013, Medicaid payment rates are raised to at least Medicare rates for primary care and immunization services. However, you must self-attest to receive the increased payment. Click here to learn more.
Find more advocacy-related content here.

This Month We Present Additional Site Integrations
Check these sites out today
This month we have added the following new Web sites to AAP.org.

- **Program to Enhance the Health & Development of Infants and Children (PEHDIC)** - Provides resources that link the physician community at the national, state, and local levels to activities that support the health and development of children.
- **Section on Administration and Practice Management (SOAPM)** - Find resources for pediatricians who are involved with the management or administration of pediatric practices. Resources for pediatric practice managers are also available.
- **Section on Pediatric Pulmonology and Sleep Medicine (SOPPSM)** - This section provides resources for those who diagnose, treat, and manage children from birth through age 21 years of age with breathing and lung diseases.

We are also finalizing additional sites that we will share with you next month!
Tell us what you think of the new sites!

**NCCI Edits**
The Academy is urgently working with National Correct Coding Solutions - the CMS contractor for NCCI edits - to have the edits suspended on all preventive medicine service codes (99381-99385 and 99391-99395) with all immunization administration codes (90460 and 90461, 90471-90474). [View actions to date.](#)

Additional practice-related content can be found [here.](#)

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**Quick Links**

Following are links to resources recently added to AAP.org.

- [2012 State Legislation Report](#)
- [2013 Coding Fact Sheets](#)
- [2013 ALF Resolutions](#)

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