

Broad Bipartisan Support Exists in Congress to Ensure Higher Payments for Evaluation and Management Services are Fully Implemented by CMS on January 1, 2021

There is significant bipartisan support in Congress for ensuring that improvements to Medicare services (based on the 2017 Medicare Physician Fee Schedule, CMS finalized several policies to increase payments for long undervalued Evaluation and

Letter from Representatives Ami Bera (D-CA) and Larry Bucshon (R-IN) to Speaker Pelosi and Minority Leader McCarthy, signed by 231 Members of Congress.

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- x We, therefore, ask CMS and HHS to, where possible, engage with stakeholders in establishing fair and equitable payment solutions that address Medicare payment cuts at this time, while at the same time moving forward with policies to increase payments to primary care and other office-