

## Part B Insider (Multispecialty) Coding Alert

## In other news ...

• CMS has once again revised the therapy caps, making \$1,860 the limit for therapy services in 2010.

Effective Jan. 1, the limit on incurred expenses for physical therapy and speech language pathology services combined is \$1,860 during 2010. A separate \$1,860 limit applies to occupational therapy services in 2010, according to MLN Matters article MM6660, issued Nov. 23.

The therapy cap for 2009 is \$1,840, so the new cap represents an increase for therapists.

For more on the therapy cap, go online to <a href="www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNMattersArticles/downloads/MM6660.pdf">www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNMattersArticles/downloads/MM6660.pdf</a>.