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RE: Amniotic Tissue Intraarticular Injections

Dear MAC Directors:

Recently, many of the physicians are being bombarded by letters enticing them into injecting amniotic tissue for intraarticular injections or sometimes other interventional techniques.

We feel that there is no basis for this and it is dangerous for the public.

We would appreciate if you would publish or issue a bulletin warning the public in general and providers of these inaccurate representations. These bills can accumulate into several thousand dollars on each patient.

Thank you for your consideration. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.

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"The most entrenched conflict of interest in medicine is a disinclination to reverse a previous opinion." *Yudkin JS et al. Lancet 2011*

"There is no limit to what a man or woman can do, or where he or she can go if he or she doesn't mind who gets the credit." *Ronald Reagan*-modified