

## Inappropriate Use of JW Modifier

<b>Policy Update #:</b>	POLJWMOD100124
<b>Effective Date:</b>	October 1, 2024
<b>Current State:</b>	N/A
<b>Future State:</b>	Sentara Health Plans will deploy an edit to review the inappropriate use of JW modifier (drug amount discarded/not administered to any patient). The JW modifier is only permitted to be used to identify discarded amounts from a single vial or single package drug or biological. It is inappropriate to append JW modifier to a multi-dose vial (MDV).
<b>Applicable Plan(s):</b>	Commercial, Medicare and Medicaid
<b>Applicable Policy #:</b>	4007 and 4008
<b>Business Owner:</b>	Cost of Care