

Correction to 2004 year-end edition of CHNCT's provider newsletter, ***THE NETWORK NEWS:***

### **GRACE PERIOD FOR DELETED CPT CODES**

Beginning dates of service January 1, 2005, any CPT procedure codes deleted from the 2005 CPT code book will **not** be allowed to be used for a 90-day grace period, as allowed in previous years. When submitting your claims to CHNCT, codes deleted for 2005 must be discontinued as of January 1st and must be replaced with the appropriate new codes noted in the 2005 CPT code book. In the event a deleted code has no replacement, or has been replaced with more than one new code, contact CHNCT's Provider Relations Department at 1-800-440-5071 for assistance.

The State of Connecticut (DSS/EDS) will continue to accept these codes until their system has been updated.