

HCA Tribal Affairs Billing Work Group

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Agenda

Tribal Affairs Updates

- 1. M3 updates & monthly claims data
- 2. Race and ethnicity in HPF/P1/ACES

New Business

- 1. Remittance Advice/invoice update
- Managed Care 101
- 3. PCCM and Managed care cleanup

Old Business

- Medicare and Mental Health claims paying soon
- 2. Definition of 'clinical family member'
- 3. Children's Mental Health, EOB B7
- 4. Physical/occupational/speech therapy completed

Weekly FAQ

- 1. Updating provider files in P1
- 2. Public provider directory
- 3. Suboxone billing
- 4. Open questions from last month's TBWG
- 5. Open discussion

Old Business: Pending, but not forgotten

- Pharmacists what services can they render on Professional claims?
- 2. MPG update
- 3. Spend-down



M3 updates

- Enrollment Update
- Tribal Assister Summit April 7
- CD Match
- Race in HPF/P1/ACES
 - Potential to simplify billing process
- Foster Care Medical

January 2014 Claims Data (I/T)

	Billed	Paid	Denied	% paid
Medicaid (all)	435,770	307,670	128,100	70%
I/T (all)	37,790	26,340	11,450	70%
Medical	8,200	6,190	2,000	75%
Dental	2,600	2,120	475	82%
Mental Health	2,810	2,310	500	82%
Chemical Dependency	8,130	7,880	250	96%
Other	16,050	TBD	TBD	TBD

This is all claims processed in January 2014, regardless of date of service. The format will evolve. Urbans will be included next month.



Top 10 Denial Reasons

From previous month:

- Client is not eligible for this date of service (26)
- Client ID not on file (31)
- Client date of birth mis-match (16/N329)
- Client gender mis-match (16/MA39)
- Service not covered under client's benefit plan (204)
- Claim past timely filing limitation (29)
- Claim payment covered by Managed Care Plan (24)

Top 10 Denial Reasons (continued)

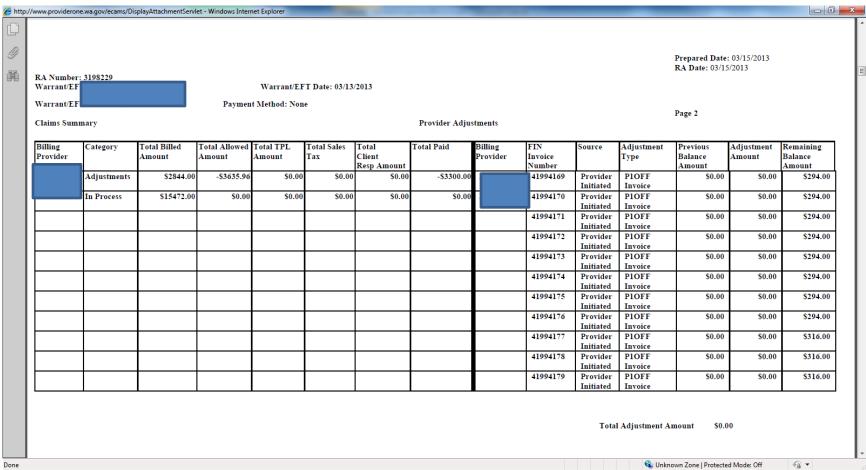
From previous month:

- Rendering taxonomy is missing or not assigned to rendering provider (16/N288)
- Billing taxonomy missing or not assigned to Billing provider (16/N255)
- Client is covered by Medicare (22)
- Diagnosis is not (normally) reimbursable (167)
- Duplicate (18)
- T1015 not payable without a payable qualifying service (107)

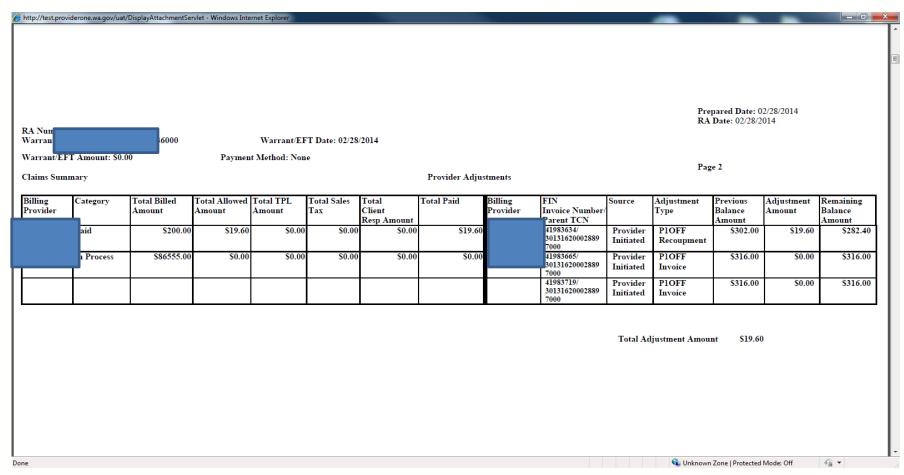
Remittance Advice/Invoice update

- If the current Remittance has more credits/recoupments than payments then the remittance is in credit balance
- Previously the credit balance would be indicated by the use of invoice/FIN numbers
- Beginning mid-March, 2014 the credit balance invoice/FIN will include the original TCN

Remittance Advice/Invoice update Prior to March 2014



Remittance Advice/Invoice update After March 2014





Washington Apple Health Washington's Medicaid Program

Washington Apple Health

- Washington Apple Health is the new name for Washington's Medicaid program.
- There are three primary payment methods for Medical services paid by the Health Care Authority (HCA):
 - Fee for Service
 - Primary Care Case Management
 - Apple Health Managed Care

(1) Fee for Service

- Fee for service is the "traditional" way of providing medical services
- A beneficiary sees a doctor and the doctor bills HCA for the service, which is paid at the Medicaid rate (or at the encounter rate for Tribal clinics billing encounter-eligible services)

(2) Primary Care Case Management

- Primary Care Case Management, or PCCM, is a program that is provided in Washington only by tribal clinics or Urban Indian Centers
- PCCM's are paid a \$3 per member/per month fee to manage the beneficiary's health care services
- Services are paid by HCA either FFS or at the encounter rate.

(3) Apple Health Managed Care

- Apple Health Managed Care (AHMC formerly Healthy Options) provides a wide array of benefits to enrolled beneficiaries for a single premium paid per member per month.
- Services are provided by Managed Care
 Organizations (MCOs), who contract with health care
 providers.

Who is eligible for Managed Care?

- Mandatory Enrollment:
 - Families, moms and kids
 - SSI Categorically Needy Blind and Disabled, including L21/L22 (COPES waiver clients)
 - Medicaid Expansion beneficiaries
- Voluntary Enrollment:
 - American Indian/Alaska Natives
 - Foster Children

AHMC Assignments

- Beneficiaries become eligible for managed care
 - Newly eligible beneficiary either enrolls in managed care or is assigned a plan by HCA
 - Non AI/AN are assigned to MCOs based on service area and the MCOs' network capacity
 - If HCA does not know a beneficiary is AI/AN, the beneficiary may be assigned to an MCO. The AI/AN may disenroll to fee for service beginning on the first day of the following month, change to a PCCM clinic in his or her area, OR remain in the MCO

AHMC Assignments (2)

- AI/AN beneficiaries are not assigned to MCOs if HCA is aware they are AI/AN. The AI/AN may be assigned to the closest PCCM clinic if the beneficiary lives near one.
- If no PCCM clinic is available to the AI/AN, he or she either remains FFS or may choose to enroll in AHMC.

Tribal Clinics and Managed Care

- Tribes may contract with MCO's MCO's pay the tribe the Medicaid rate for services provided to MCO enrollees
- The tribe then bills HCA for the balance of the encounter rate (wraparound payment)
 - This is the difference between the Medicaid rate and the encounter rate

Urban Indian Centers and Managed Care

 Urban Indian Centers are Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs) and receive the FQHC encounter rate from the MCO

Apple Health MC Benefits

Coverage includes:

- Outpatient care such as: Wellness exams, immunizations, maternity care, surgical services
- Pharmacy, including OTC and prescription medications
- Laboratory services
- Inpatient Hospital/Emergency Room
 - Nursing facility for rehab services
- Outpatient Mental Health



Pharmacy Coverage

- Pharmacy each MCO must have a formulary that provides medications in all drug classes
 - All formularies are not identical
 - Because a drug is not on the formulary does not mean it can't be covered – it might mean there is an authorization process or an "exception" process
 - All MCOs do not contract with all pharmacies

Care Coordination Benefits

For high risk enrollees with chronic conditions:

- Care Management, including assessment, care planning and assistance with coordinating services and referrals
- Health education services to help enrollee understand condition and learn self management skills
- Coordinate services between systems

Care Management/ Care Coordination

Care Management services may include:

- Ensuring enrollees are using health care services appropriately – not under- or over-utilizing;
- Ensuring enrollees have access to needed services;
- Assistance in coordinating services that are covered by the managed care program with those that are not, including interpreter services, transportation, etc.

Nursing Facility Care

- AHMC coverage of Nursing Facility (NF) stay for rehab has always been a benefit
- With addition of new SSI population, more enrollees utilizing this benefit
- Managed Care Plan is responsible for authorization and payment of skilled nursing care until enrollee is released or becomes eligible for Long Term Care services

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Managed Care Organizations

Effective July 1, 2012



Health Plan Contact Information











Customer Services: 1-800-600-4441

Website: <u>www.amerigroup.com</u> Provider line - 1-800-454-3730

Website: http://washington.joinagp.com

Customer Service: 1-800-440-1561

Website: www.chpw.org

Provider line - 1-800-440-1561

Website: http://www.chpw.org/for-providers/

Customer Service: 1-877-644-4613

Website: www.coordinatedcarehealth.com

Provider line - 1-877-644-4613

Website: http://www.coordinatedcarehealth.com/for-providers/become-a-provider/

Customer Service: 1-800-869-7165
Website: www.molinhealthcare.com
Provider line - Phone: 1-800-869-7175

Website: http://www.molinahealthcare.com/medicaid/providers/wa/Pages/home.aspx

Customer Service: 1-877-542-8997
Website: www.uhccommunityplan.com
Provider Line - 1-877-542-9231

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Website: http://www.uhccommunityplan.com/health-professionals



Questions

- Apple Health Managed Care
 - http://hca.wa.gov/medicaid/HealthyOptions/pages/index.aspx
- Health Homes: http://www.hca.wa.gov/health_homes.html
- Managed Care Questions:
 - HCA managed care mailbox: <u>hcamcprograms@hca.wa.gov</u>

OR

Alison Robbins – alison.robbins@hca.wa.gov 360-725-1634

- Questions about wraparound encounter payments after AHMC has made payment
- Michael.longnecker@hca.wa.gov 360-725-1315



Benefits Inquiry in P1

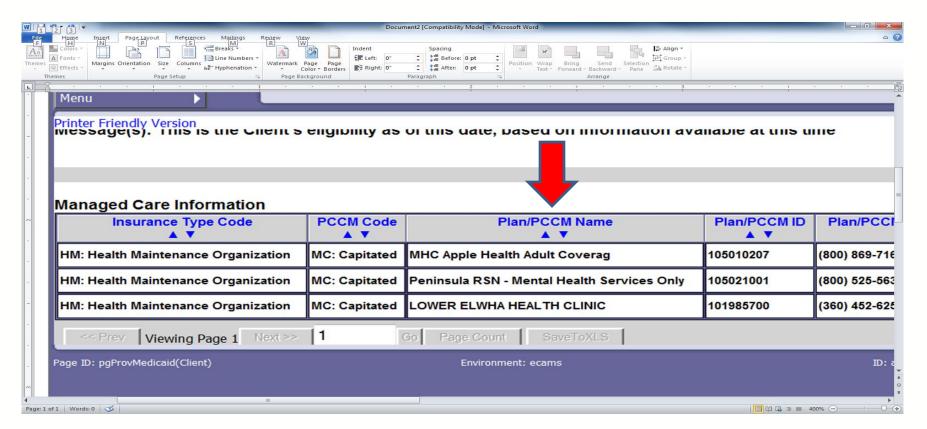
Potential confusion

- PCCM ≠ Managed Care (MC)
- RSN = Managed Care for MH NonNatives
- RSN ≠ Managed Care for MH for Indians
- Managed Care = Managed Care (Molina, etc)

But PCCM, MC and RSN all display under the *Managed Care* heading when providers do a benefit inquiry in P1 (see next slide for screen shot).

PCCM and managed care cleanup

This client has PCCM, Managed care and RSN



NOTE: PCCM and Managed care do not occur during the same date-spans, screen shot does not include the dates

PCCM And managed care cleanup

In the Plan/PCCM Name column from the last slide:

"MHC Apple Health Coverage" = the name of the managed care plan the client is enrolled in. This example is just one – see the next slide for a complete list.

"Peninsula RSN – Mental Health Coverage Only" = This is the name of the Regional Support Network (RSN) for the client to receive mental health services. Non-Tribal providers would refer the client to the RSN for mental health services that meet the access to care standards. Only AI/AN clients and nonnative clinical family members that receive care at Tribal Health providers are exempt from the access to care standards.

"Lower Elwha Health Clinic" = This is the name of the contracted PCCM clinic that the client is enrolled in. This example is Lower Elwha, but it could be any of the 12 PCCM clinics, all are Indian, Tribal or Urban Indian health clinics.

PCCM and managed care cleanup

Managed care plans

Amerigroup

AMG Apple Health Adult Coverage

AMG Healthy Options Foster Care

AMG Healthy Options Blind/Disabled

AMG Basic Health Plus

AMG State Children's Health Insurance Program

AMG Healthy Options

Coordinated Care

CCC Apple Health Adult Coverage

CCC Healthy Options Foster Care

CCC Healthy Options Blind/Disabled

CCC Basic Health Plus

CCC State Children's Health Insurance Program

CCC Healthy Options

United Healthcare

UHC Apple Health Adult Coverage

UHC-Health Homes

UHC Healthy Options Foster Care

UHC Healthy Options Blind/Disabled

UHC Basic Health Plus

UHC State Children's Health Insurance Program

UHC Healthy Options

Community Health Plan of Washington

CHPW Apple Health Adult Coverage

CHPW-Health Homes

CHPW Healthy Options Foster Care

CHPW Healthy Options Blind/Disabled

CHPW General Assistance Unemployable

CHPW Basic Health Plus

CHPW Stat Children's Health Insurance Program

CHPW Healthy Options

Molina Healthcare

MHC Apple Health Adult Coverage

MHC Healthy Options Foster Care

MHC Health Options Blind/Disabled

MHC Washington Medicaid Integration Partnership

MHC Basic Health Plus

MHC State Children's Health Insurance Program

MHC Health Options



Medicare and Mental Health

Claims should start paying March 17, 2014!



 For more background information refer to slides from TBWG for February 11th

"clinical family" (Mental Health)

Non-Native clients are eligible for Mental Health Encounters <u>only</u> if they are a 'clinical family member.' Non-Native, non-clinical family members receive mental health services through the RSN network. RSN's operate as a MC for MH, and HCA pays a monthly premium to the RSN. If they also receive care at the Tribal facility, it would be a **double payment**.

What is a 'clinical family member'?

- 1. Spouse/partner of an eligible AI/AN
- 2. Client is age 0-18 or an incapacitated adult AND is the natural or adopted child, step-child, foster-child, legal ward, or orphan of an eligible AI/AN
- 3. A child in common, a foster or custodial child, or an adopted child placed within a family unit in which any member is an eligible AI/AN
- 4. A non-Native woman who is pregnant with an eligible AI/AN's child
- 5. A non-Native adult who has guardianship, custodial responsibility, or is acting as a parent/temporary guardian of an eligible AI/AN minor

Refer to definitions section of current Tribal Billing Guide for further clarification



Children's Mental Health, EOB B7

Last call...if claims deny with EOB B7

Let Mike know. He will check your provider files to make sure everything is set up correctly & will get your claims reprocessed.

Physical/occupational/speech therapy

 System update is completed, claims have been reprocessed – thank you for your patience

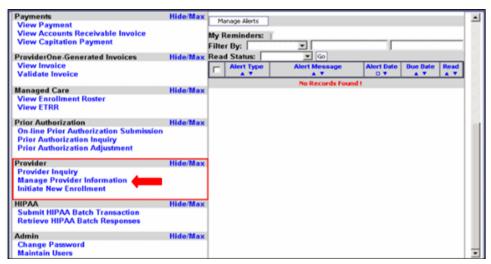
 If you have not been paid for PT/ST/OT contact Mike with a claim number and a guess to the number of claims that haven't been paid, we're here to help

Updating Provider files in P1

PROVIDER FILE MAINTENANCE

Modifying Provider File Information

- ✓ Log into ProviderOne with the Provider File Maintenance or Supers User profile.
- ✓ Click on the Manage Provider Information hyperlink



Provider Types include:

- ✓ Individual
- ✓ Group
- ✓ Tribal
- ✓ Facilities (FAOI)
- ✓ Servicing

✓ Go to web page http://hrsa.dshs.wa.gov/provider/provideronemanuals.shtml for the different of provider file update modification manuals.

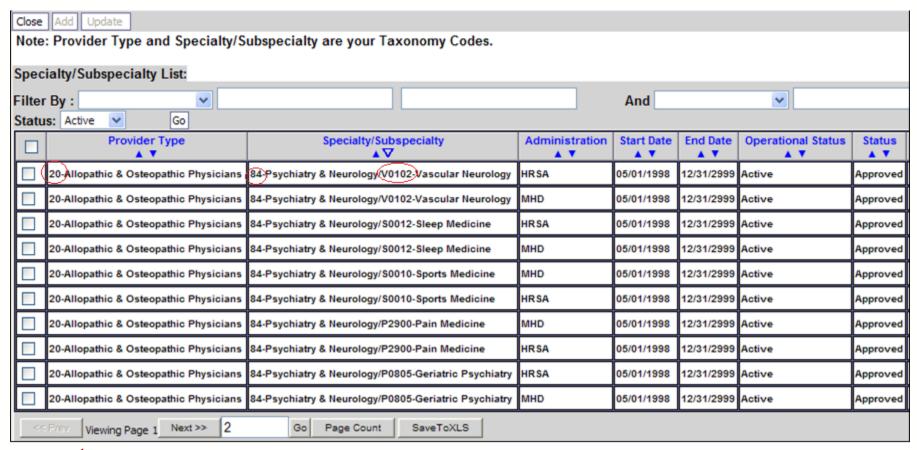


Modifying Provider File Information

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	Step 3: Specializations	Required	06/15/2010	07/22/2010	Complete				
	Step 4: Ownership Details	Required	09/30/2009	09/30/2009	Complete				
	Step 5: Licenses and Certifications	Required	06/15/2010	07/22/2010	Complete				
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	Step 7: Identifiers	Optional	09/30/2009	09/30/2009	Complete				
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	Step 15: Servicing Provider Information	Required	08/31/2011	09/06/2011	Complete				
	Step 16: Payment Details	Required	09/30/2009	09/30/2009	Complete				
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Step 3 from the Steps Screen: Specializations (Taxonomy Codes)

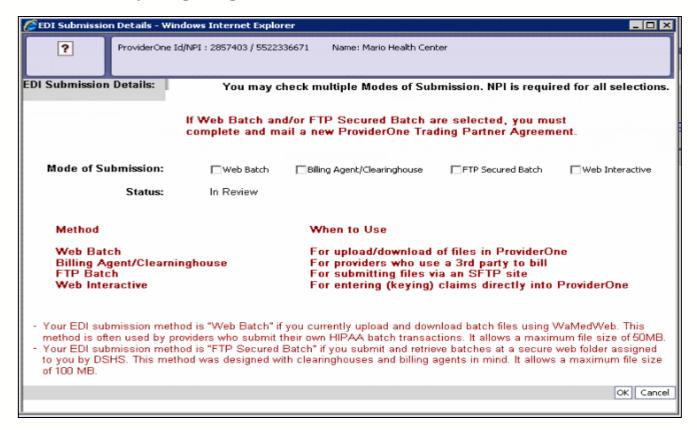


✓ The first specialization taxonomy code is 20-84-V0102 then add a
"X" to all or (2084V0102X).



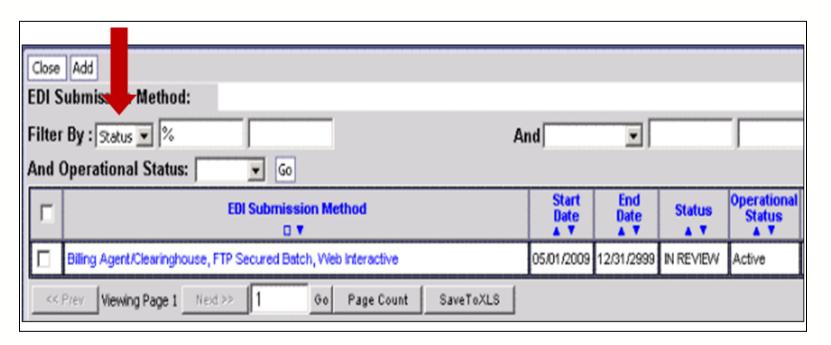
Step 11 from the Steps Screen: EDI Submission Method

✓ How are you going to bill us?

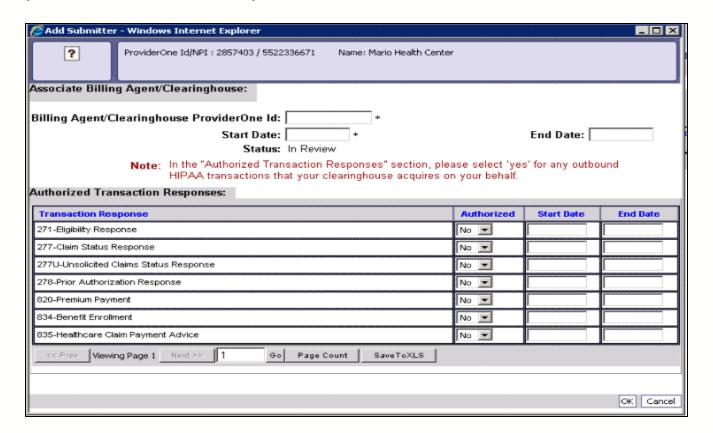


Step 11 from the Steps Screen: EDI Submission Method

✓ Filter By: Status then add % and click



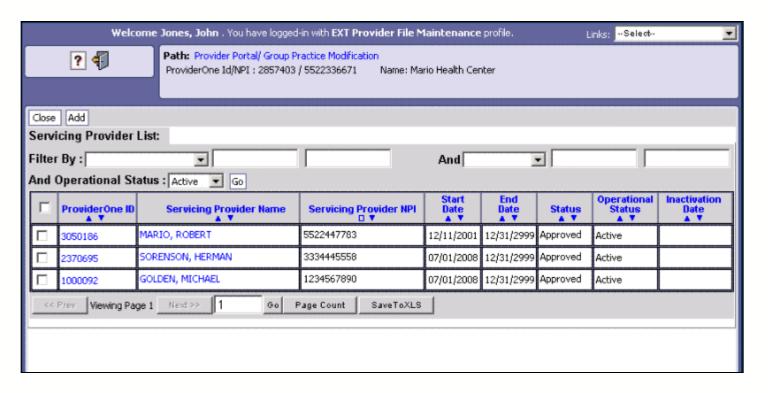
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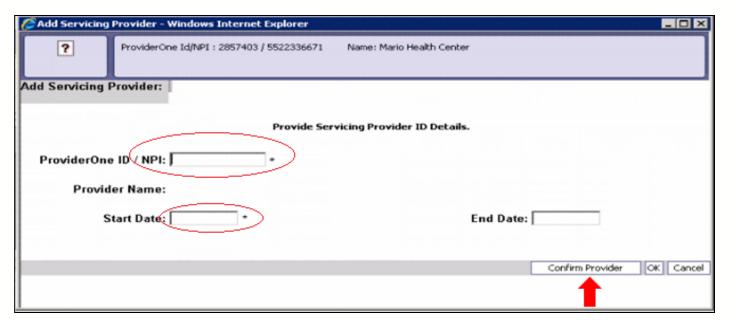


Step 15 from the Steps Screen: Servicing Provider Information



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✓ Adding a Servicing Provider

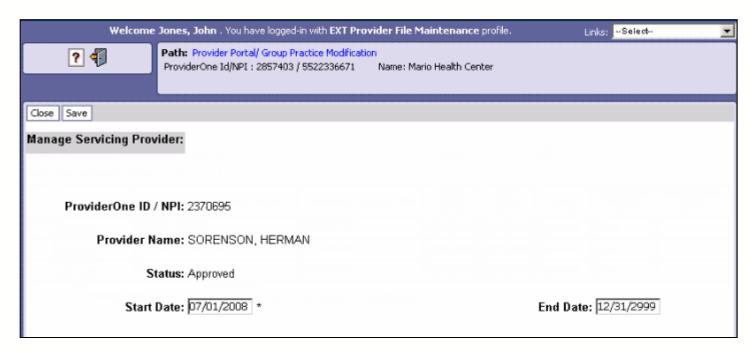


- ✓ Enter the providers NPI number and start date at your clinic
- ✓ Click on the Confirm Provider button



Step 15 from the Steps Screen: Servicing Provider Information

✓ Ending a provider association



✓ Enter an end date then save the change



Step 15 from the Steps Screen: Servicing Provider Information

✓ Viewing a Servicing Providers taxonomy codes

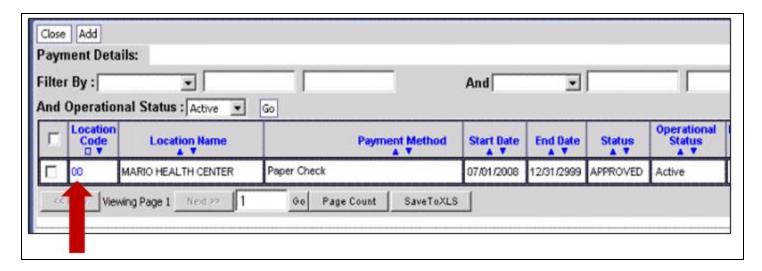
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	Step 4: Ownership Details	Not Required	11/06/2010	11/06/2010	Complete					
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	Step 6: Training and Education	Optional	11/06/2010	11/06/2010	Complete					
	Step 7: Identifiers	Optional	11/06/2010	11/06/2010	Complete					
	Step 8: Contract Details	Not Required	11/06/2010	11/06/2010	Complete					
	Step 9: Federal Tax Details	Optional	11/06/2010	11/06/2010	Complete					
	Step 10: Invoice Details	Not Required	11/06/2010	11/06/2010	Complete					
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	Step 13: EDI Submitter Details	Not Required	11/06/2010	11/06/2010	Complete					
	Step 14: EDI Contact Information	Not Required	11/06/2010	11/06/2010	Complete					
	Step 15: Billing Provider Details	Optional	11/06/2010	11/06/2010	Complete					
	Step 16: Payment Details	Not Required	11/06/2010	11/06/2010	Complete					
	Step 17: View Union Information	Required	11/06/2010	11/06/2010	Complete					
	Step 18: Submit Modification for Review	Required	11/06/2010	11/06/2010	Complete					

[✓] Click on Step 3: Specializations to see the taxonomy



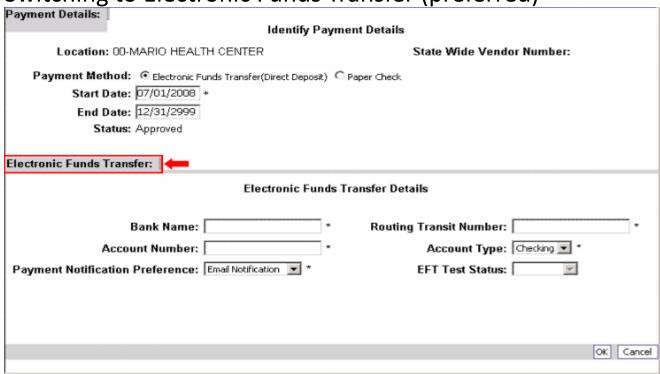
Step 16 from the Steps Screen: Payment Details

- ✓ Displayed is current payment information.
- ✓ To modify click on the "00".



Step 16 from the Steps Screen: Payment Details

✓ Switching to Electronic Funds Transfer (preferred)



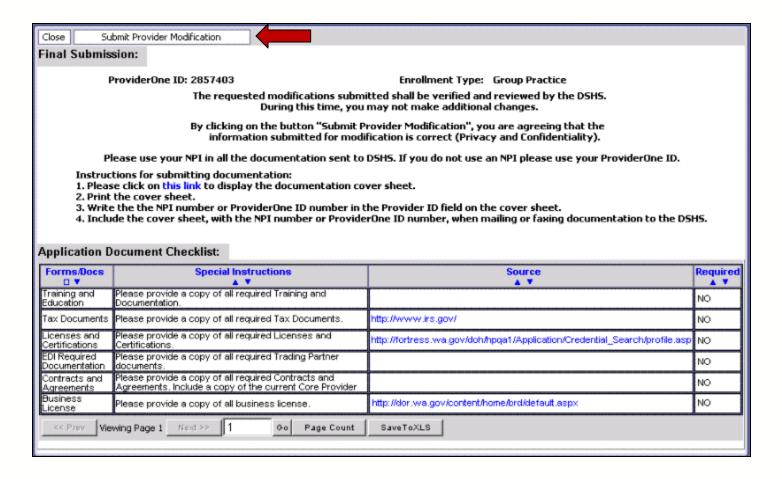
✓ Enter your banking information then click "OK"



Step 16 from the Steps Screen: Payment Details

- ✓ Fill out the Authorization Agreement for Electronic Funds Transfer form
- ✓ Have the form signed
- ✓ Fax in to 360-725-2144; or
- ✓ Mail to address on the form
- √ http://www.hca.wa.gov/medicaid/providerenroll/pages/enroll.aspx#provider

Step 17 from the Steps Screen: Submit Modification for Review



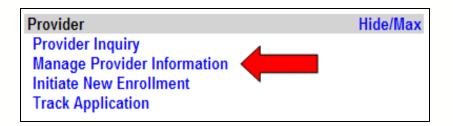
- More information on provider file maintenance visit this site:
- http://www.hca.wa.gov/medicaid/provider/pages/provideron emanuals.aspx
- Find your manual to review.

ENROLL a New Rendering Provider

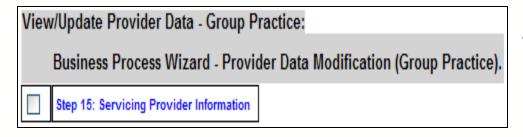


Enroll a New Rendering Provider

Log into ProviderOne using the File Maintenance or Super User profile.



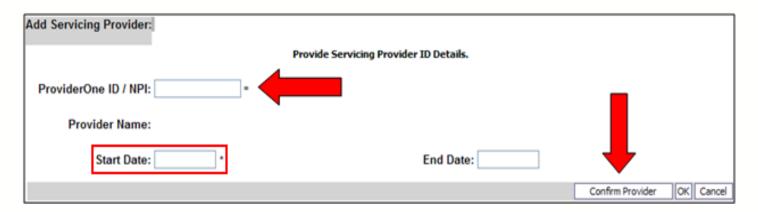
Under Provider click on the hyperlink **"Manage Provider Information"**.



At the Business Process Wizard click on "Step 15: Servicing Provider Information."

Enroll a New Rendering Provider

 When the Servicing Provider List opens, click on the "Add" button.

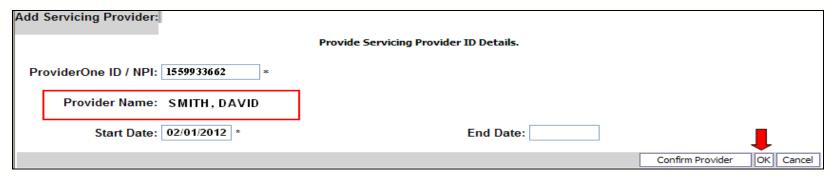


- At the Add screen:
 - ✓ Enter the providers NPI.
 - Enter their start date at your clinic.
 - ✓ Click on the "Confirm Provider" button.



Enroll a New Rendering Provider

 If the provider is already entered into ProviderOne their name will be confirmed.

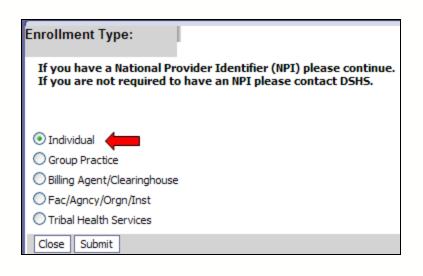


- Click the "OK" button to add the provider to your list.
- Remember to click "Step 18: Submit Modification for Review".
- The State will then review your request.



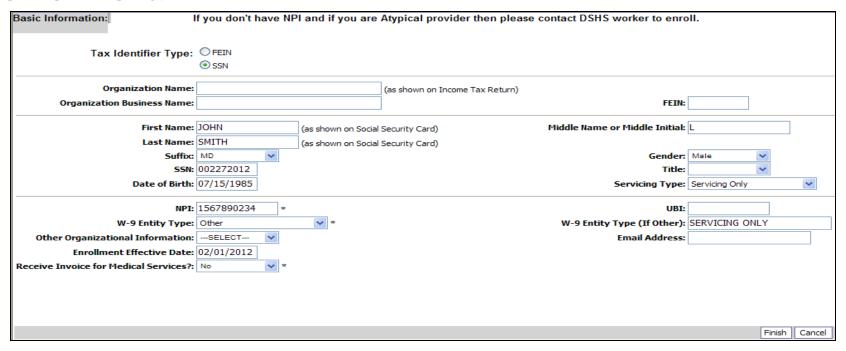
There are two ways to add a new provider to your domain:

- ✓ Follow the steps above. When you "Confirm" the provider and they are not in the system follow the steps below to enroll them.
- ✓ At your Portal click on "Initiate New Enrollment" hyperlink.



- ✓ Click on "Individual" to add the rendering/servicing provider to your domain.
- Click on the "Submit" button.

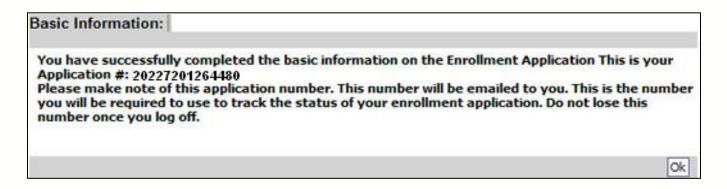
At the Basic Information page for the rendering provider enrollment:



- Most important check the SSN radio button!
- ✓ When filling in the rest of the data fields be sure to select "Servicing Only" as the Servicing Type.

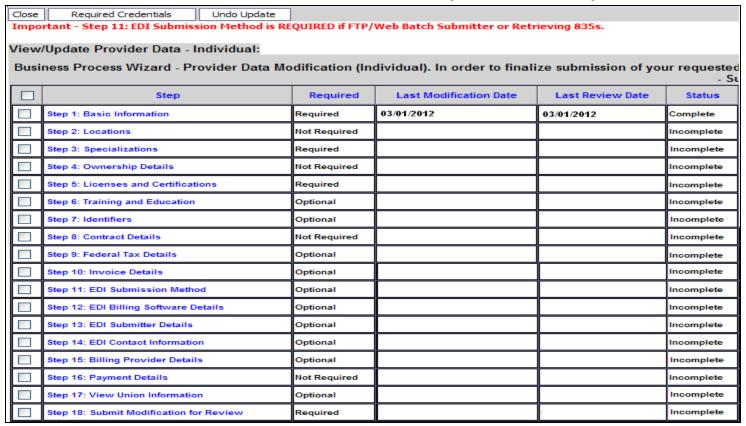


- Once the Basic Information page is filled in click the "Finish" button.
- The basic information on the enrollment application is submitted into ProviderOne which generates the Application number.



 Be sure to record this application number for use in tracking the status of the enrollment application. Then click "OK"

The Business Process Wizard - Step 1 is complete.



[✓] Not all remaining steps are required.



The steps with the arrows should be filled out.

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- Step 3: Specializations
 - Add Taxonomy here.
- Step 5: Licenses and Certifications
 - Enter license/certification issued by the Department of Health.
- Step 7: Identifiers
 - If you have a Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) number enter it here

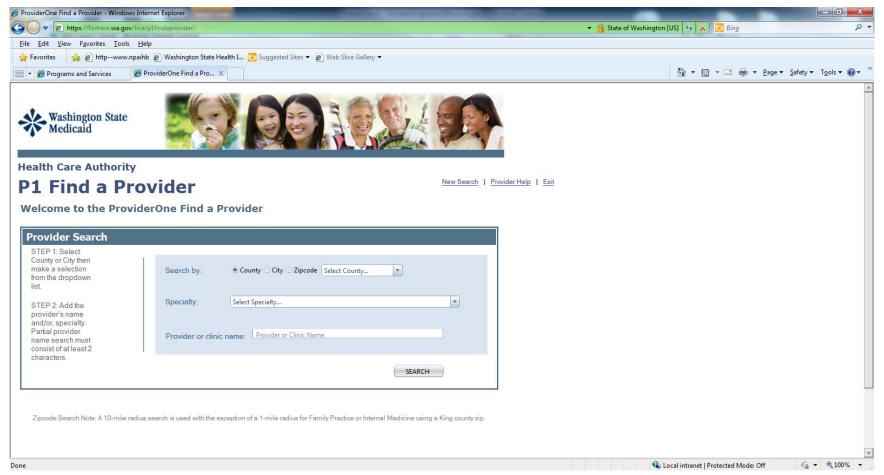
- Step 15: Billing Provider Details
 - ✓ Add the NPI and Name of clinic that will bill for this rendering provider's services.
- Step 18: Submit Modification for Review
 - ✓ Open this and click the Submit Button to send to the State for approval.
- Send in all required supporting documentation (CPA, Certifications, etc)

- HCA has a 'find a provider' website for clients. Clients can search by county, city or zip code for a provider
- You may not want to have your clinic listed in the public provider directory, following are instructions on how to be removed (the opposite is true if you want to be added)
 - **1. Using your administrator profile,** log in to ProviderOne and under the provider tab click on 'Manage Provider Information'
 - 2. Click on 'Step 2: Locations'
 - **3. Click on each location** (eg 00 01 02 etc) and toggle (or untoggle) the 'Accept New Client' box on the right side of the screen and then click the 'Save' button
 - **4. Remember that this needs to be completed for each location** (if you have more than one location) and for each NPI/domain.

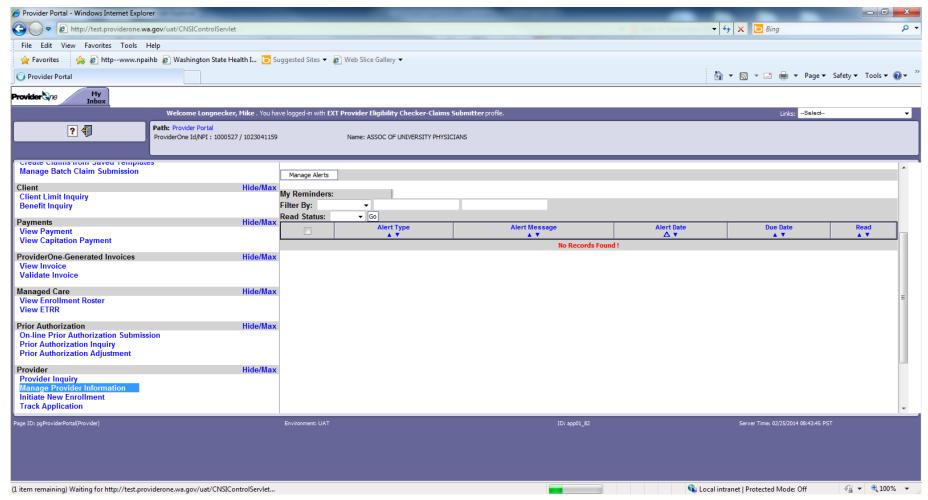


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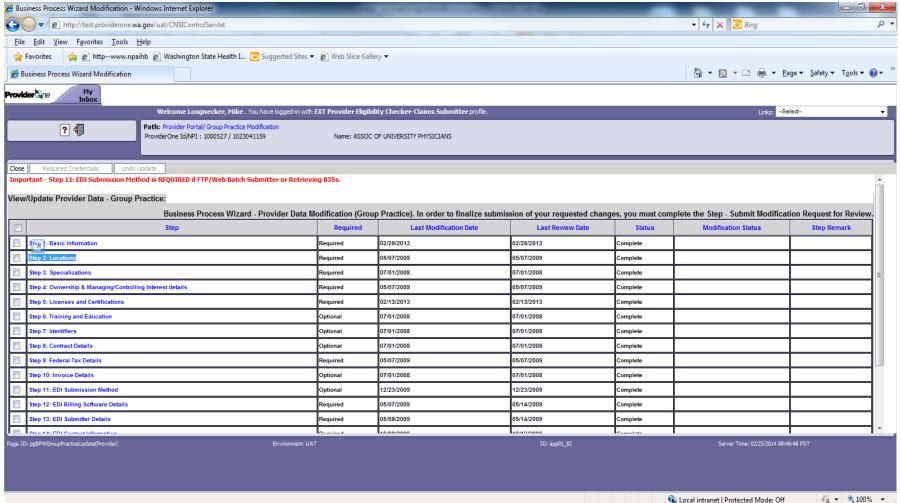
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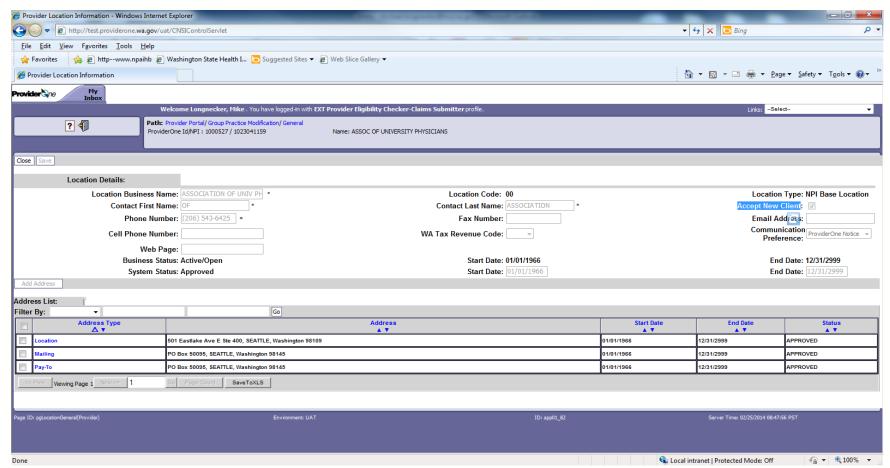
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Suboxone billing

- An office visit related to Campral[®], ReVia[®], Vivitrol[®], buprenorphine and Suboxone[®] is covered by HCA
- Provider must be certified/approved to prescribe buprenorphine
- Office visits (99201-99215) are in the medical category
- Diagnosis is in the 304.00-304.03 range
- EPA number 870000050 required
- Physician billing Guide (p. 257) is good resource for more information on Suboxone billing



Open questions from last month

PRIVATE INSURANCE

Do we need to refund HCA when we become aware that a client has primary insurance?

It is not necessary to refund HCA or void a paid claim when you first find out about other primary insurance. The provider should bill the insurance once you have been made aware that there is a primary insurance, and if the insurance company pays on the claim, either refund HCA by check or by adjusting/voiding the HCA claim on file (indicating the insurance payment amount). Providers have voided claims only to bill the insurance and not receive any payment (non-covered or applied to deductible). They then have to rebill us to receive the Medicaid payment back. It is best to hold off on adjusting/voiding until you have received the payment from the primary. COB does invoice paid claims out to the insurance company for recovery once we find out about a primary insurance. If the insurance company pays us, we apply that money to the claim. Once this is done, the claim cannot be voided/adjusted by the provider. It is best to call COB if there are other questions about this process.

Mike comment – sending in a check breaks the integrity of the claim trail, always best to reprocess claims.

If a client has an insurance payment do we enter the insurance payment at document level or line-by-line?

Entering a payment at line or header in P-one is working ok, but it is important not to do both on the same claim. One way or the other will be fine. I will say we still see the majority of claims coming in with the insurance payment at the header level.

Mike comment – document level is best because of the encounter payment model.



Why do COB claims take so long to process?

We strive to have the majority of our claims finalized before they become aged (30days or older). The TPL edits that post and hold a claim are usually farther on the claims 'waterfall' – so we are usually at the end of the line when it comes to getting the claim to finalize out the door as it can post in other areas before coming over to us to work.

What is the correct way to submit the non-Native match for non-Native claims with primary insurance. No answer yet, staying on question log

SBIRT

For medical and 99408 (99409) can an encounter rate be used? YES, follow the SBIRT billing guidelines (Feb 11 TBWG)

Pharmacists

What about PharmD's? encounter or FFS? Are we lobbying for pharmacists to be able to get encounter rate for med therapy management?

PharmD's are not encounter eligible, what services are allowed in FFS for PharmD's is an open question, staying on TBWG until fully answered.



Managed Care wraparound

Many Tribal clients are in managed care without their knowledge and claims are mostly unbillable, can I bill with this system?

I would like to find out how to bill appropriately for managed care patients

Will we have to hand bill the wraparound as we did in the past?

If we assist a client with disenrolling from managed care does the effective date into regular Medicaid have to go to the first of the next month?

If we provide wraparound services in the community setting can we bill the encounter rate?

[Tribe] is billing the plan BUT NOT the wrap around have billed for BH but that is the hand bill part

I'm very interested if Managed Care plans allow us to refer patients as if we were the primary care provider?

Ideally, there would be a discussion, perhaps HCA facilitated with one Managed Care plan at a time to ask if PCP status is possible

One managed care plan told me they want a minimum of 1,000 Medicaid patients before they'd consider us

What if managed care denies the claim? Staying on the questions log

Mike/Karol asked if anybody is currently billing Managed care:

We don't - they usually get rejected by Molina

We are not billing the managed care plans and yes I would like more information

We have never billed managed care. not sure we know we can bill managed care



Billing at \$0 or \$0.01

Regarding the using zero amount or \$0.01 instead of the individual charges plus the T1015 code... I recall with the newer billing requirements with outpatient, we were told to keep the full billable charge that the facility charges on its standard fee schedule for compliance so each patient would essentially have the same fee charged. Sure the amount billed appears inflated but the other option is for us to do the math on each claim and only put the T-code amount so it did not exceed the encounter rate.

Billing at \$0 or \$0.01 will artificially decrease expenses on the billing codes, this would have a negative impact on budget forecasting

New Clients

Newly eligible are codes N05, so are presumptive SSI, wich are 25%. We may not know who is who

nonNative CD and matching is being reviewed, staying on Agenda until resolved



Children's Mental Health

Any updates on Tribal sites doing an attestation regarding the experience for Mental Health Counselors?

the Tribal mental health benefit does not require that an attestation that treating practitioner has any sort of an attestation. Treating practitioner must meet MHP requirements. MHP who determines medical necessity for a child must also be a Child Specialist as per WAC. The attestation requirement and legislative intent should only apply to the medical mental health benefit.

Spenddown

We're having huge issues with spenddowns, especially the childrens prior to 10/1/13. Any contact info with be appreciated

Spend down claims applied to spend down amount or do we need to send in an invoice to spend down dept?

We will have somebody to talk about Spenddown during the April TBWG, in the interim mike shared Spenddown slides with group



Medicare Crossovers

Is it still applicable that Medicare crossovers must be received within 6 months of the Medicare paid date? I tried billing some older claims with a date of service still within 1 yr but they denied. Need to look at 6 month time frame from Medicare paid date, correct?

Timeliness rules (for Medicare crossovers)

- 1a. Claim must be received within 6 months of Medicare EOMB date
- 1b. Original TCN proves timely, remember to either reprocess the claim or reference the original TCN in the claim notes if you are outside of the 6 month window
- 2. Claims with a date of service greater than 2 years old must be received within 6 months of the Medicare EOMB date (no exceptions at this time)

Briefly mentioned potentially closing overpayment loophole (eg, encounter can pay and then later a fee for service can pay)

Some times there are seperately identifiable services from the encounter that should pay and not part of the services that day; patient may be seen for URI and after visit goes to lab for a standing order for

Point noted, update won't be taken lightly and if update proceeds will share so there are no suprises



IUD payable separately outside of Encounter

not sure if this was already asked but can we bill for the implants seperately also?

Yes, IUDs and Implants are payable outside of encounter (needs to be on different claim, otherwise System will try to bundle it into the encounter payment



Open Discussion

- Please feel free to ask to be unmuted or use the questions pane
- If you think of questions or issues for the Billing workgroup later please send to Mike or Karol

Medicaid Provider Guide (MPG): Tribal Health Program

Proposed Timeline:

- Internal revisions have begun
- Draft to circulate: April 2014
- Workgroup: May-July
 - Volunteers to host?
- Target date for complete revision: fall 2014

Thank you

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