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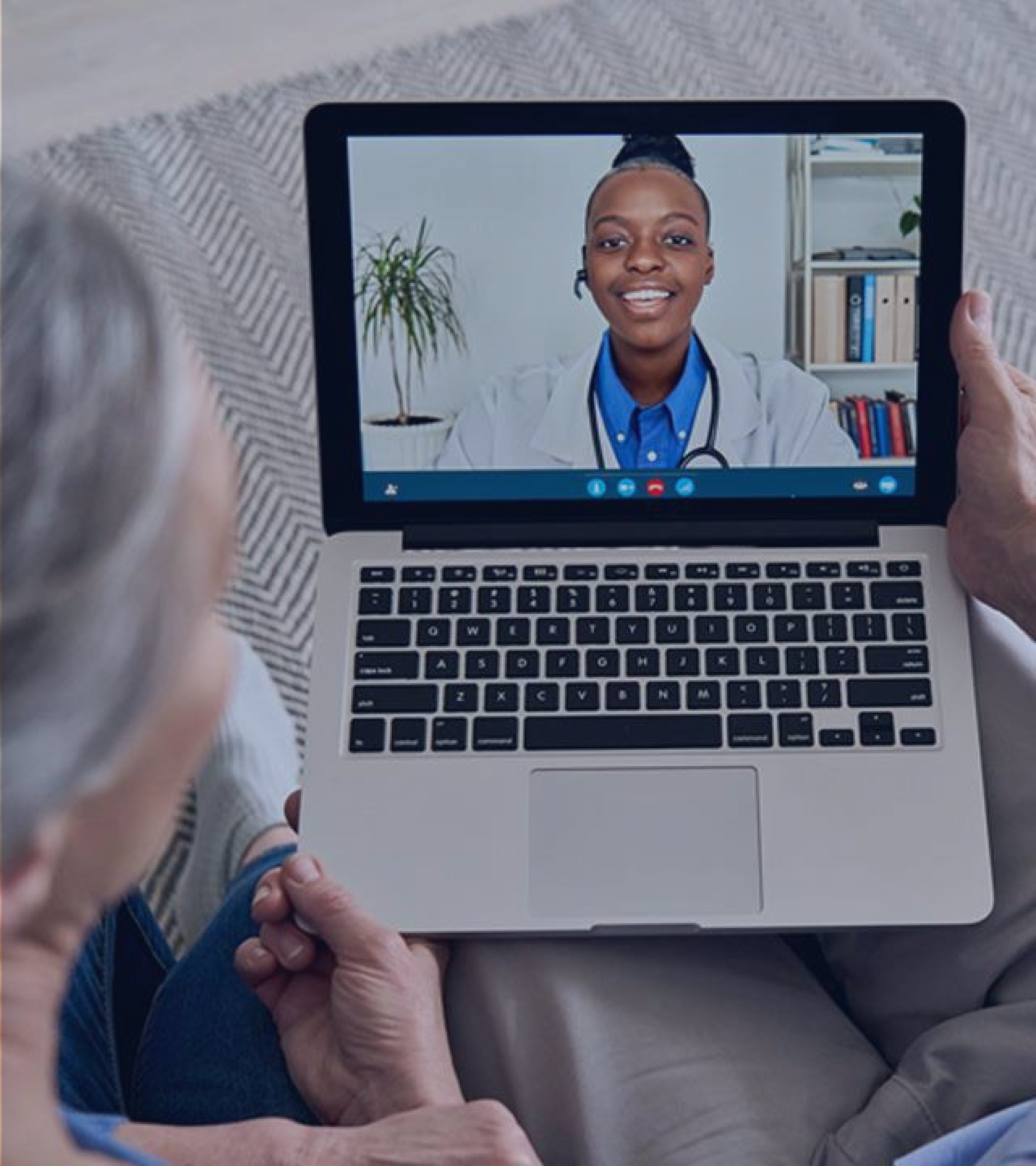

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Objective

After completion attendees will be able to

- Familiarize yourself with claim submission requirements
- Avoid unnecessary claim denials and claim rejections
- Understand the benefits of electronic submissions

Agenda

- Claim Form Requirements
- Time Limits for Filing Medicare Claims
- Claim Form Overview
- Resources, References and Tools

Claim Form Requirements

Claim Submission Requirements

- Paper
  - Original CMS-1500 Claim Form
  - Use an ink jet or laser printer
  - Use Courier New font for computer-generated claims
  - Ensure no lines from the printer cartridge are anywhere on the claim
  - Use Pica 10 or 12-point typeface for claims typed
  - Use upper case letters for all claim data
  - Data should not be touching box edges or running outside of numbered boxes
  - Cannot contain more than six service lines per claim
  - No stickers, bold, italics, or underlining
- Electronic or paper
  - Do not use narrative or handwritten descriptions
    - Procedure, modifier or diagnosis
  - Do not use special characters
    - hyphens, periods, parentheses, dollar signs or ditto marks

ASCA Regulations

- Requires most providers to submit all claims electronically
- ASCA regulations exceptions include
  - Providers submitting less than ten claims per month
  - Physician/practitioner/supplier with less than ten full-time equivalent employees
  - Medicare tertiary (third) payer claims
  - Certain mass immunizers
- ASCA Requirements for Paper Claim Submissions

Time Limits for Filing Medicare Claims

Claim Filing Time Limits

- Limit is one calendar year from date of service
  - Claims not submitted timely are provider-liable
    - Beneficiary cannot be charged
- Exceptions
  - MLN Matters® *MM7270 Revised: Changes to the Time Limits for Filing Medicare Fee-For-Service Claims*
  - Administrative error
  - Retroactive Medicare entitlement, including when State Medicaid agencies involved
  - Retroactive disenrollment from Medicare Advantage Plan or PACE Provider Organization

Claim Form Overview

CMS-1500 Claim Form (02/12)

HEALTH INSURANCE CLAIM FORM

Beneficiary data

Provider data

NUCC Approved OMB

- Office of Management and Budget
  - OMB-0938-1197 1500
- 1500 Health Insurance Claim Form
  - Header
- QR code

HEALTH INSURANCE CLAIM FORM

APPROVED BY NATIONAL UNIFORM CLAIM COMMITTEE (NUCC) 02/12

NUCC Instruction Manual available at: www.nucc.org PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE APPROVED OMB-0938-1197 FORM CMS-1500 (02-12)

HEALTH INSURANCE CLAIM FORM

1. MEDICARE	MEDICAID	TRICARE	CHAMPVA	GROUP HEALTH PLAN	FECA BLK LUNG	OTHER
(Medicare#)	(Medicaid#)	(ID#/DoD#)	(Member ID#)	(ID#)	(ID#)	(ID#)

Line Item 1

- When submitting your claims to Medicare, the Medicare box shall be checked; otherwise, your claim(s) will be rejected and returned

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
1	Type of Health Insurance	2000B	SBR09	Claim editing indicator code	Must = MB for Medicare Part B
			SBR01	Payer Responsibility Sequence Number Code	Primary Payer Responsibility (P = Primary, S = Secondary T = Tertiary
			SBR02	Individual Relationship Code	Individual relationship code (18 = Self)

Line Item 1a

- Enter the patient's Medicare MBI as it appears on patient's red, white and blue Medicare card for all Medicare claim submissions (primary or secondary)
  - Term "Medicare number" and "Medicare ID"
  - MBI is 11 characters in length and made up only of numbers and uppercase letters (no special characters)
  - Lowercase letters will be converted to uppercase letters
  - MBIs are assigned by SSA

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
1a*	Patient's Medicare Beneficiary ID Number (MBI)	2010BA	NM109	Subscriber Primary Identifier	Patient's Medicare Beneficiary ID Number (MBI)

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1a. INSURED'S I.D. NUMBER (For Program in Item 1)

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2. PATIENT'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial)

Line Item 2

- Patient's last name, first name and middle initial list exactly as it appears on the patient's red, white and blue Medicare card

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
2	Patient's Name	2010BA or 2010CA	NM103	Last Name	Enter the patient's name as shown on their Medicare card
			NM104	First Name	
			NM105	Middle initial	
			NM107	Suffix (e.g., Jr. Sr.)	

Line Item 3

- Patient's eight-digit date of birth (MMDDCCYY) and check the appropriate box for patient's sex

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
3	Patient's Birth Date and gender	2010BA	DMG02 DMG03	Birth Date Gender	Enter the patient's birth date. Must be formatted as CCYYMMDD. Date qualifier (DMG01) = D8

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3. PATIENT'S BIRTH DATE
MM DD YY
SEX
M F

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4. INSURED'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial)

Line Item 4

- Name of the insured, if there is insurance primary to Medicare, either through the patient or spouse's employment or any other source
- Enter the word, "same," when insured is same as patient
- When Medicare is secondary payer (MSP), items 4, 6, 7 and 11 are required items

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
4*	Insured's name (When there is insurance primary to Medicare, items 4, 6, 7, and 11 are required items.)	2330A	NM103	Other insured last name	Enter the **insured's** name. Required if any other payers are known to potentially be involved in paying this claim. If the insured is the patient this would be blank and information reported in the 2010BA Loop does not repeat in the 2330A Loop.
			NM104	Other insured first name	
			NM105	Other insured middle name	

Line Item 5

- Patient’s street address on first line, city, state on second line and ZIP code and phone number on third line
- For home visits rendered in state other than patients home address, enter in Item 5 the patient’s mailing address and line item 32, enter complete address, including ZIP code, where the service was actually rendered

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
5	Patient's address and telephone number	2010BA	N301	Subscriber address line 1	Enter the patient's mailing address
			N302	Subscriber address line 2	
			N401	Subscriber city name	
			N402	Subscriber state	
			N403	Subscriber ZIP code	

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5. PATIENT'S ADDRESS (No., Street)

CITY | STATE

ZIP CODE | TELEPHONE (Include Area Code)

( )

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6. PATIENT RELATIONSHIP TO INSURED

Self Spouse Child Other

Line Item 6

- Complete this line item only when Items 4, 7 and 11 are completed

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
6*	Patients relationship to insured if (Complete this Item only when Items 4, 7, and 11 are completed)	2320	SBR02	**Required when MSP is involved** 01 Spouse 18 Self 19 Child 20 Employee 21 Unknown 39 Organ Donor 40 Cadaver Donor 53 Life Partner G8 Other Relationship	

Line Item 7

- Insured’s address and telephone number when Medicare is secondary payer
- Line 7 completed when Items 4, 6 and 11 are completed
- Leave blank when Medicare is primary

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
7*	Insured's address and telephone number (Complete this MSP claims)	2330A	N301	Other subscriber address line 1	Enter the mailing address of the insured. Required if other payers are known to potentially be involved in paying this claim and the information is available. If the insured is the patient this would be blank and information reported in the 2010BA Loop does not repeat in the 2330A Loop.
			N302	Other subscriber address line 2	
			N401	Other subscriber city name	
			N402	Other subscriber state code	
			N403	Other subscriber ZIP code	

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7. INSURED'S ADDRESS (No., Street)

CITY | STATE

ZIP CODE | TELEPHONE (Include Area Code) ( )

Line Item 8

- Reserved for future NUCC use
- Not mapped electronically

Line Items 9, 9a–9d

- Medigap or supplemental data is appended when claims are not automatically crossed over to medigap or supplemental insurer
- If same as line Item 2, list same
- If different from line Item 2 complete, name of insured
- Policy and/or group number preceded by Medigap or MGAP or MG or payer ID
- [Medicare Coordination of Benefits Agreement]

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9. OTHER INSURED'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial)

a. OTHER INSURED'S POLICY OR GROUP NUMBER

b. RESERVED FOR NUCC USE

c. RESERVED FOR NUCC USE

d. INSURANCE PLAN NAME OR PROGRAM NAME

EMC Equivalent Lines 9, 9a–9d

- Medigap or supplemental data is appended when claims are not automatically crossed over to medigap or supplemental insurer
- Name of insured for Medigap plan and ID
- Insured group and plan number
- Enter the city, state and ZIP code of the insurer

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
9*	Other insured's Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)	2330A	NM103	Other insured last name	Name of insured for Medigap plan
			NM104	Other insured first name	
			NM105	Other insured middle name	
9a*	Other insured's policy or group number (Medigap only)	2330A	NM108	Identification Code Qualifier (MI Member Identification Number)	Medigap policy ID
			NM109	Other insured identifier	Medigap
		2320	SBR01	Payer responsibility	P Primary S Secondary T Tertiary
			SBR03	Insured group or policy number	Enter the insured's group or plan number
9b*	Other insured's date of birth and sex				
9c	Employer's name or school name (Medigap Address)	2330B	N401	Other payer city name	Enter the city, state and ZIP code of the insurer. Required if any other payers are known to potentially be involved in paying this claim.
			N402	Other payer state code	
			N403	Other payer ZIP code	
9d*	Insurance plan name or program name	2330B	NM108	Other payer identification Code Qualifier	Medigap plan only
			NM109	Payer last or organization name	
			NM103	Insured's group/policy no.	

Line Items 10a, 10b and 10c

- Employment, auto liability, or other accident involvement
- If checked “YES,” identify primary insurance and submit to the primary and enter the two-letter state postal code for auto liability

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
10a, b, c	Is patient's condition related to employment?	2300	CLM11-1	Employment related indicator (EM)	Enter the name of the Insured's other insurance
	Auto Accident?		CLM11-1	Auto accident indicator (AA)	
	Place (State)		CLM11-4	Auto accident state	Required if Related cause code (CLM11-1,-2) = Auto Accident (AA) to identify the state in which the automobile accident occurred.
	Other Accident		CLM11-1	Other accident indicator (OA)	Required if Date of Accident (DTP01 = 439) is used and the service is employment related or the result of an accident.

Line Item 10d

- Medicaid crossovers are automatic via eligibility file-based crossover process
- Medicaid number preceded by MCD, when eligibility files are not updated with State Medicaid crossovers
- Not mapped electronically

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10d. CLAIM CODES (Designated by NUCC)

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11. INSURED'S POLICY GROUP OR FECA NUMBER

a. INSURED'S DATE OF BIRTH MM DD YY SEX M F

b. OTHER CLAIM ID (Designated by NUCC)

c. INSURANCE PLAN NAME OR PROGRAM NAME

d. IS THERE ANOTHER HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN? YES NO *If yes, complete items 9, 9a and 9d.*

Line Items 11, 11a–11d

- If Medicare primary, enter word “NONE” proceed to line Item 12
- If Medicare is secondary (MSP)
  - Insured’s policy or group number and proceed to line items 11a through 11c
    - 11a–insured eight-digit DOB and sex code
    - 11b–leave blank
    - 11c–MSP plan name
    - 11d–Not required

EMC Equivalent Line 11, 11a–11c

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
11*	Insured policy group or FECA number	2320 or 2000B	SBR01	Payer responsibility P = Primary S = Secondary T = Tertiary ***Note**: If Medicare is Primary, use letter "P" and skip to item 12.	If there is an insurance primary to Medicare, enter the Insured's policy or group number. Required if other payers are known to potentially be involved in paying this claim.
		2320	SBRO3	Insured Group or Policy Number	
		2330A	NM108	Identification Code Qualifier (MI Member Identification Number)	
			NM109	Insured's identifier	
		2000B or 2320	SBR05	Insurance Type Code Indicator's must equal one of the following values: 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 41, 42, 43 or 47 if 2000B SBR01 = "T" or "S"	
		2300	CLM01	Claim submitter's identifier	
			CLM02	Monetary amount	
		2320	AMT01	Amount qualifier code = D	
			AMT02	Monetary amount (Primary Paid Claim Level)	
		2320 or 2430	CAS01	Claim adjustment reason code (CO, PR, OA)	
			CAS02	Claim adjustment reason codes	
			CAS03	Adjustment amount	
			CAS04	Adjustment quantity	
		2330B or 2430	DTP01	Primary insurance adjudication date	
			DTP02	Date time period qualifier	
			DTP03	Date paid	

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
		2300 or 2430	CN102	OTAF amount	
		2430	SVD01	Identification code	
			SVD02	Primary payer paid amount (line level)	
			SVD03	Medical procedure identifier	
			SVD03-1	Service ID qualifier	
			SVD03-2	Service ID	
			SVD05	Quantity	
		2330B	NM101	Entity identifier code	
			NM102	Entity type code	
			NM103	Last name or organization	
			NM108	Identification code qualifier	
			NM109	Identification code	
11a*	Insured date of birth and sex-				
11b*	Employer's name or school				
11c	Insurance plan name or program name	2320	SBR04	Other Insured Group Name	Enter the complete insurance plan or program name
		2330B	NM103	Other payer organization name	Enter the complete insurance plan name
		2330B	NM109	Other payer primary identifier	Enter the payer ID of the other insurer

[Electronic Data Interchange: Medicare Secondary Payer ANSI Specifications for 837P]

Line Item 12

- [Signature and date]
  - Informed consent to release medical information for conditions or diagnoses regulated by Federal Statutes
  - Statement permitting release of medical billing data related to claim

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
12	Patient's or authorized person's signature (Release of Information)	2300	CLM09	Release of information code	This item authorized release of medical information necessary to process the claim. It also authorizes payment of benefits to the provider of service when assignment is accepted on the claim.
		2320	OI06	Release of information code	I-Informed Consent to Release Medical Information for Conditions or Diagnoses Regulated by Federal Statutes. Required when the provider has not collected a signature and state or federal laws do not require a signature to be collected. Y Yes, Provider has a Signed Statement Permitting Release of Medical Billing Data Related to a Claim.

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READ BACK OF FORM BEFORE COMPLETING & SIGNING THIS FORM.
12. PATIENT'S OR AUTHORIZED PERSON'S SIGNATURE I authorize the release of any medical or other information necessary to process this claim. I also request payment of government benefits either to myself or to the party who accepts assignment below.
SIGNED DATE

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13. INSURED'S OR AUTHORIZED PERSON'S SIGNATURE I authorize payment of medical benefits to the undersigned physician or supplier for services described below.

SIGNED

Line Item 13

- Signature and date
  - This item authorizes payment of medigap medical benefits to physician

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
13	Insured's or Authorized Person's Signature	2300	CLM09	Benefits Assignments Certification Indicator	This item authorizes payment of medical benefits to the physician.
		2320	OI03	Assignment of Benefits Indicator	N No; W Not applicable. Use code "W" when the patient refuses to assign benefits; Y Yes

Line Item 14

- Six-digit or eight-digit date of current illness, injury, or pregnancy (LMP)
- Do not enter qualifier (QUAL) in item 14

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
14	Date if current illness, injury, pregnancy	2300	DTP03 (439)	Accident Date	Required if Related Cause code (CLM11-1, -2 or -3) = Auto Accident (AA) or Other (OA). Enter the date of current illness or injury.
		2300	DTP03 (431)	Onset of current illness or injury date	Required for the initial medical service or visit performed in response to a medical emergency when the date is available and is different than the date of service
		2300	DTP03 (454)	Initial treatment date	Required on all claims involving spinal manipulation.
		2400**	DTP03 (454)	Initial Treatment Date	Required when the Initial Treatment Date is known to impact adjudication for claims involving spinal manipulation, physical therapy, occupational therapy, or speech language pathology and when different from what is reported at the claim level

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14. DATE OF CURRENT ILLNESS, INJURY, or PREGNANCY (LMP)
MM DD YY QUAL.

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15. OTHER DATE
QUAL. MM DD YY

Line Item 15

- Not required
- Not mapped electronically

Line Item 16

- Not required
- Six-digit date (MM/DD/YY) or eight-digit date (MM/DD/CCYY) when patient is employed and unable to work in current occupation
- An entry in this field may indicate employment-related insurance coverage (e.g., MSP workers' compensation)

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
16	Dates patient unable to work in current occupation (from and to)	2300	DTP03 (360)	Initial disability period start	Enter the date(s) when patient is employed and unable to work in current occupation. An entry here may indicate employment related insurance coverage.
			DTP03 (361)	Initial disability period end	

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16. DATES PATIENT UNABLE TO WORK IN CURRENT OCCUPATION
MM DD YY FROM
MM DD YY TO

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17. NAME OF REFERRING PROVIDER OR OTHER SOURCE

17a.

17b. NPI

Line Items 17 and 17b

- Type of specialty legally eligible to order and refer Part B clinical laboratory and imaging services
- First and last name of referring or ordering physician as it appears in PECOS
  - Qualifier DN, DK or DQ to left of vertical line
  - Do not use Item 17a
- List NPI of referring, ordering or supervising physician or NPP in Item 17b

EMC Equivalent Lines 17 and 17b

- Medicare Part B CMS-1500 Crosswalk for 5010 Electronic Claims

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
17	Name of Referring physician or other source	2310A	NM103 (DN)	Referring provider last name	Required if claim involved a referral or services were ordered. When reporting the provider who ordered services such as diagnostic and lab utilized the Referring Provider Name (2310A) loop at the claim level. Required if a service or supply was ordered by a provider and that provider is a different entity than the rendering provider for this service line. When a claim involves multiple referring and/or ordering physicians, a separate claim must be billed for each ordering/referring physician.
			NM104	Referring provider first name	
			NM105	Referring provider middle name	
		2420F**	NM103 (DN)	Referring provider last name	
			NM104	Referring provider first name	
			NM105	Referring provider middle name	
	Name of Ordering physician	2420E	NM103 (DK)	Ordering provider last name	
			NM104	Ordering provider first name	
			NM105	Ordering provider middle name	
17a	Other ID number of Referring physician				
17b	NPI	2310A	REF02 (1C)	Referring provider primary ID	

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18. HOSPITALIZATION DATES RELATED TO CURRENT SERVICES
FROM MM DD YY TO MM DD YY

Line Item 18

- Not required
- Admission and discharge hospital care codes related to services

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
18	Hospitalization dates related to current service (From and To)	2300	DTP03 (435)	Related hospitalization admission date	DTP01 Admission or Discharge qualifier 435 or 096
			DTP03 (096)	Related hospitalization discharge date	Enter the date when a medical service is furnished as a result of, or subsequent to, a related hospitalization. DTP (435) is required when 2300. CLM05-1 = 21, 51 or 61

Line Item 19

- Certain claim submissions do not always require an attachment
  - Enter certain dates, facts or information about service(s)
    - Routine foot care
    - Hematocrit/hemoglobin
    - Homebound
    - Not otherwise classified codes/drugs
    - Shared post operative care
    - Demonstration/clinical trails
    - Anti-markup/purchased tests
    - Claim notes

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19. ADDITIONAL CLAIM INFORMATION (Designated by NUCC)

EMC Equivalent Line 19

- Loops 2300/2400/2310D/2320/2420D
- Segment/fields may differ
- For loops and fields, refer to guide for electronic claims crosswalk
  - Medicare Part B CMS-1500 Crosswalk for 5010 Electronic Claims

Line Item 20

- Diagnostic tests subject to anti-markup price limitations
  - Item 32 is the NPI of the provider the test were purchased from
  - Item 33 is the billing provider

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
20	Outside Lab charges	2400	PS101	Purchased Service Provider ID	Required if there are diagnostic tests subject to the anti-markup payment price limits. 2420B is required when a 2400 PS1 is present. When submitting a PS1, you must also submit the facility info in 2310C or 2420C.
		2400	PS102	Purchased Service charge amount	
		2420B	NM1	Purchase service provider	

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20. OUTSIDE LAB? $ CHARGES
YES NO

Line Item 21

- Enter up to 12 diagnoses in priority order
  - primary, secondary condition
- Code to highest level of specificity for service
- ICD-10-CM indicator should be “0” for paper submitters

EMC Equivalent Line 21

- Loops 2300
  - Segment/fields HI01-02-HI12-02
- For loops and fields, refer to guide for electronic claims crosswalk
  - Medicare Part B CMS-1500 Crosswalk for 5010 Electronic Claims

Line Item 22

- Not required
- Not mapped electronically

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22. RESUBMISSION CODE

ORIGINAL REF. NO.

Line Item 23

- Ambulance ZIP code point of pick up
- CLIA ten-digit certification number
- NPI of the home health or hospice facility
  - Billing for CPO, HCPCS G0181 (HH) or G0182 (hospice)
- Prior Authorization
  - Unique Tracking Number
- Seven-digit IDE number when investigational device is used in an FDA-approved clinical trial

EMC Equivalent Line 23

- Loops 2300/2300B/2310E/2310F
  - Segment/fields REF02 with appropriate qualifier
- For loops and fields, refer to guide for electronic claims crosswalk
  - Medicare Part B CMS-1500 Crosswalk for 5010 Electronic Claims

Line Items 24A–24J

- Paper claim contains six-line items
  - 24A: Date of service
  - 24B: Place of service
  - 24C: Not used
  - 24D: CPT/HCPCS, modifier(s)
  - 24E Diagnosis code pointer
  - 24F: Charge/fee for service
  - 24G: Units
  - 24H: Not used
  - 24I: Not used
  - 24J: Rendering/performing physician or NPP

EMC Equivalent Lines 24A–24J

- Loops
  - 2010AA/2300/2310B/2400/2420A
- Segment/fields
  - DTP/CLM/SV101-107/REF/NM109/AMT
- For loops and fields, refer to guide for electronic claims crosswalk
  - [Medicare Part B CMS-1500 Crosswalk for 5010 Electronic Claims]

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25. FEDERAL TAX I.D. NUMBER SSN EIN

Line Item 25

- Enter provider of service Federal Tax ID, EIN or SSN of billing provider/group

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
25	Federal Tax ID number	2010AA	REF02	Billing Provider Tax ID	Enter the provider of service Federal Tax ID/EIN (EI) or SSN (SY) of the billing provider/group.
	SSN Indicator		REF01	Social Security number	
	EIN Indicator		REF01	Employer's ID number	

Line Item 26

- Enter patient's account number assigned by provider
- An account number will be returned up to 20 characters

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
26	Patient's Account number	2300	CLM01	Provider Assigned Account number	Enter the patient's account number assigned by the provider of service's accounting system. As a service, any account number will be returned to you up to 20 characters.

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26. PATIENT'S ACCOUNT NO.

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27. ACCEPT ASSIGNMENT? (For govt. claims, see back)
YES NO

Line Item 27

- Assignment: check yes or no
- Mandatory assignment for certain services
  - Clinical diagnostic laboratory services and physician lab services
  - Physician services to individuals dually entitled to Medicare and Medicaid
- Mandatory assignment for certain practitioners and providers
  - Physician assistants, nurse practitioners, clinical nurse specialists, nurse midwives, certified registered nurse anesthetists, clinical psychologists, clinical social workers, registered dietitians/nutritionists, anesthesiologist assistants, and mass immunization roster billers

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
27	Accept Assignment?	2300	CLM07	Assignment or Plan Participation code	A=Assigned B=Assignment accepted on Clinical Lab services only C=Not assigned

Line Items 28, 29 and 30

- Item 28 is total charges on claim
- Item 29 leave blank
  - Often misunderstood
  - Allocates payment to beneficiary
- Item 30 is not used

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
28	Total Charges	2300	CLM02	Total claim charge amount	Enter total charges for services.
29	Amount paid	2300	AMT02	Total patient amount paid	AMT01 Amount qualifier code=F5 Required if the patient has paid any amount towards the claim for covered services only.

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28. TOTAL CHARGE	29. AMOUNT PAID	30. Rsvd for NUCC Use
$	$	

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31. SIGNATURE OF PHYSICIAN OR SUPPLIER INCLUDING DEGREES OR CREDENTIALS
(I certify that the statements on the reverse apply to this bill and are made a part thereof.)

SIGNED DATE

Line Item 31

- Paper submitters
  - Signature of provider or representative and six-digit or eight-digit date form was signed
- Electronic submitters
  - Y=Provider signature on file
  - N=Provider signature not on file

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
30	Balance due	N301			
31	Signature of physician or supplier including degrees or credentials	2300	CLM06	Provider or supplier signature indicator	Y=Provider signature is on file N=Provider signature is not on file

Line Item 32

- Place of service required on all claims
  - Name, address and ZIP code

Item	Description	Loop	Segment	Element	Notes
32	Name and address of facility where services were rendered (if other than home or office).	2310C	NM103 (77)	Laboratory or Service Facility Name	NM101 Entity Identifier code=77 - Service Location Required when the location of the service is different than that carried in 2010AA-Billing Provider (Item 32). Enter the name, address city, state, and ZIP code of the location where the services were rendered. Providers of service (namely physicians) must identify the supplier's name, address, and zip code. Required when the location of health care service is different than that carried in the Billing Provider Name (2010AB) loops.
			N301	Laboratory or Service Facility address 1	
			N302	Laboratory or Service Facility address 2	
			N401	Laboratory or Service Facility city	
			N402	Laboratory or Service Facility state	
			N403	Laboratory or Service Facility ZIP code	
		2420C**	NM103 (77)	Laboratory or Service Facility Name	Required if the service was rendered in a Health Professional Shortage Area (QB or QU modifier billed) and the place of service is different than the HPSA billing address. If an independent laboratory is billing enter the place where the test were performed. Complete this information for all laboratory work performed outside a physician's office. If the service was referred to an outside lab, enter the reference labs name and address. Providers of service must identify the supplier's name, address and NPI when billing for anti-markup tests. If the acquisition provider is out of jurisdiction, you should use the billing provider's NPI. Only bill one unique facility number per claim.
			N301	Laboratory or Service Facility address 1	
			N302	Laboratory or Service Facility address 2	
			N401	Laboratory or Service Facility city	
			N402	Laboratory or Service Facility state	
			N403	Laboratory or Service Facility ZIP code	

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Line Items 32 and 32a

- All claims require place of service line item 32
  - Ambulance claims
  - Laboratory or service facility
  - Mammography certification
- Purchased test require both 32 and 32a

32a	NPI	2310C	NM109 (77)	Laboratory/Facility Primary Identifier	Enter the NPI of the Service Facility. Enter "XX" in the NM108 to indicate the NPI is present in the NM109.
		2420C**	NM109 (77)		
		2400	PS101	Purchased service provider identifier	
		2420B	NM101	Identification code qualifier =QB	
		2300	NM108	Identification code=XX	
			NM109	Identification code	
			NM101	Identification code qualifier =QB	
			NM108	Identification code	
			NM109	Identification code	
			REF01	Reference Identification qualifier =EW	
			REF02	Mammogram FDA number	

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Line Items 33 and 33a

- Required on all claims
  - Provider's billing name, telephone number, address and ZIP code
- Item 33a contains NPI of billing practice

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
33	Physician's supplier's billing name, address, zip code & phone number	2010AA or 2010AB	NM103 (85)	Provider last or organizational name	NM101 Entity Identifier code=85- Billing Provider
			NM104	Provider first name	NM101 Entity Identifier=87-Pay-to-provider
			NM105	Provider middle initial	
			N301	provider address 1	NM102 Entity Type code 1 Person 2 Non-Person Entity
			N401 N402	Provider city Provider state	Enter the provider or service/supplier's billing name, address, zip code and telephone number. Must be a physical address with nine-digit ZIP code.
			N403	Provider ZIP code	
			PER04	Provider phone number	
33a	NPI	2010AA	NM109 (85)	Provider ID	NM101 Entity Identifier code=85-Billing Provider NM101 Entity Identifier code=87-Pay-to-provider Enter the NPI for the Group Number or for the performing provider of service/supplier who is a member of a group practice. Enter "XX" in the NM108 to indicate an NPI is present in the NM109

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33. BILLING PROVIDER INFO & PH #

Medicare Part B CMS-1500 Crosswalk for 5010 Electronic Claims

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The information contained in this crosswalk is for reference purposes only.
* = If Medicare Secondary Payer or Medigap is involved, refer to the 5010 TR3.
** = Use if different than information given at the claim level. 7/6/2012 - KJT 1

Item No.	Claim Description	Loop	Field	Data Element Description	Requirements
1	Type of Health Insurance	2000B	SBR09	Claim editing indicator code	Must = MB for Medicare Part B
			SBR01	Payer Responsibility Sequence Number Code	Primary Payer Responsibility (P = Primary, S = Secondary T = Tertiary
			SBR02	Individual Relationship Code	Individual relationship code (18 = Self)
1a*	Patient's Medicare Beneficiary ID Number (MBI)	2010BA	NM109	Subscriber Primary Identifier	Patient's Medicare Beneficiary ID Number (MBI)
2	Patient's Name	2010BA or 2010CA	NM103	Last Name	Enter the patient's name as shown on their Medicare card
			NM104	First Name	
			NM105	Middle initial	
			NM107	Suffix (e.g., Jr. Sr.)	
3	Patient's Birth Date and gender	2010BA	DMG02	Birth Date	Enter the patient's birth date. Must be formatted as CCYYMMDD. Date qualifier (DMG01) = D8
			DMG03	Gender	
4*	Insured's name (When there is insurance primary to Medicare, Items 4, 6, 7, and 11 are required items.)	2330A	NM103	Other insured last name	Enter the **insured's** name. Required if any other payers are known to potentially be involved in paying this claim. If the insured is the patient this would be blank and information reported in the 2010BA Loop does not repeat in the 2330A Loop.
			NM104	Other insured first name	
			NM105	Other insured middle name	

Claim Rejection Reminders

- Claim rejections CO16, MA130
  - Claims received that contain incomplete or invalid information will be "rejected" and returned as unprocessable
- Unprocessable claims have
  - No appeal rights
  - No reopening rights
- Resubmit a new claim with corrected information
- Unprocessable Claim Rejections and Corrections

Resources, References and Tools

Resources and References

- NGS website
  - CMS-1500 Claim Form Completion Instructions
  - Medicare Part B CMS-1500 Crosswalk for 5010 Electronic Claims
  - Top Claim Errors
- CMS website
- Place of Service Code Sets
- CMS IOM Publication 100-04, *Medicare Claims Processing Manual*
  - Chapter 1, General Billing Requirements
  - Chapter 26, Completing and Processing Form CMS-1500

Questions?

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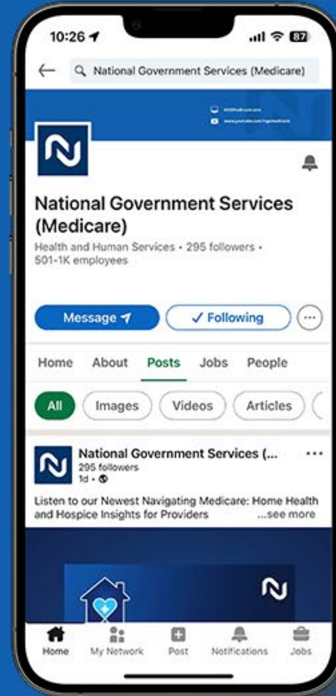

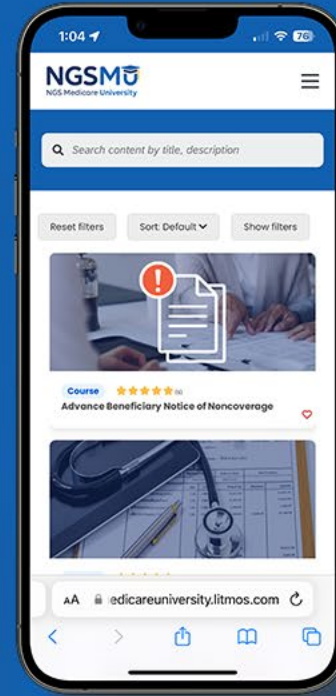

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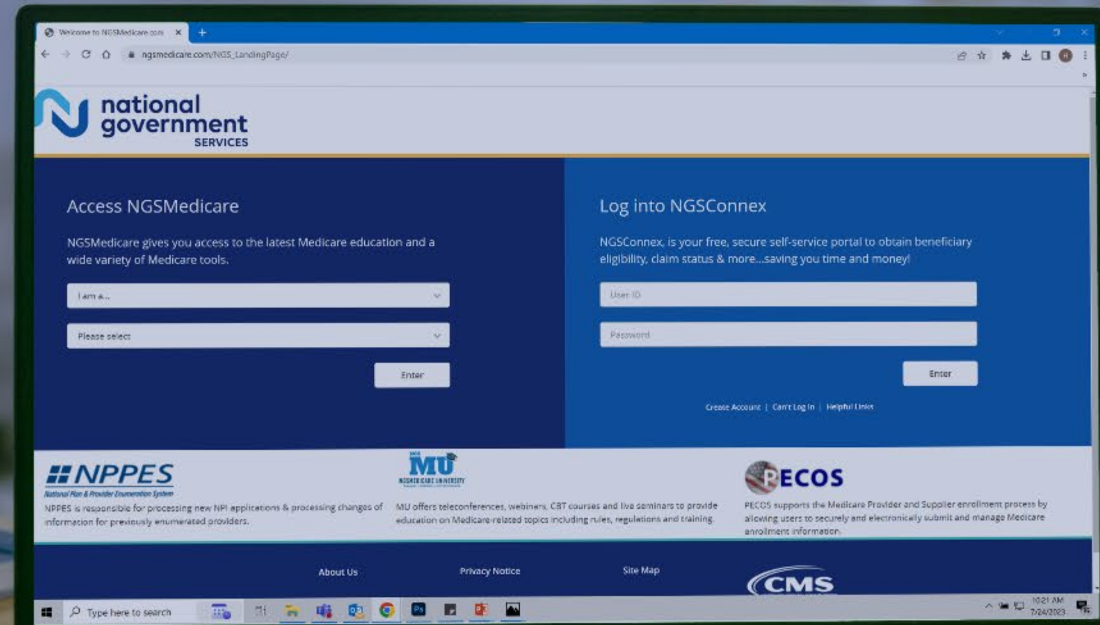

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