



NETWORK *Notification*

Notice Date: September 11, 2020
To: Ohio Medicare Advantage, D-SNP and MyCare Providers
From: CareSource
Subject: Hospice Claim Modifier Requirement

Summary

CareSource performs ongoing review of claims data to ensure claim are accepted, adjudicated and processed in compliance of guidelines set by Centers of Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS). We have identified claims that are billed with Hospice Place of Service (POS) 34 are being submitted without including a hospice employee indicator.

Impact

Per CMS 5010 Professional Companion Guide, the hospice employee indicator is required in Box 19 of the health care financing administration (HCFA) form, when POS 34 is present for any Medicare Advantage, D-SNP or MyCare claim. Please refer to the sample below for the correct billing of these claims.

005010X222 • 837 • 2400 • CRC
HOSPICE EMPLOYEE INDICATOR

ASC X12N • INSURANCE SUBCOMMITTEE
TECHNICAL REPORT • TYPE 3

SEGMENT DETAIL

CRC - HOSPICE EMPLOYEE INDICATOR

X12 Segment Name: Conditions Indicator

X12 Purpose: To supply information on conditions

Loop: 2400 — SERVICE LINE NUMBER

Segment Repeat: 1

Usage: SITUATIONAL

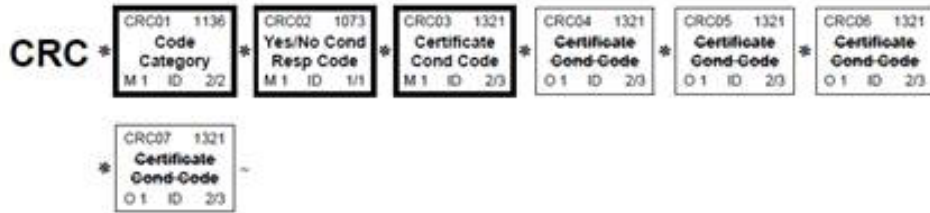
Situational Rule: Required on all Medicare claims involving physician services to hospice patients. If not required by this implementation guide, do not send.

TR3 Notes:

1. The maximum number of CRC segments which can occur per Loop ID-2400 is 3. Submitters are free to mix and match the three types of service line level CRC segments shown in this implementation guide to meet their billing or reporting needs but no more than a total of 3 CRC segments per Loop ID-2400 are allowed.

2. The example shows the method used to indicate whether the rendering provider is an employee of the hospice.

TR3 Example: CRC*70*Y*65~



ELEMENT DETAIL

USAGE	REF DES	DATA ELEMENT	NAME	ATTRIBUTES
REQUIRED	CRC01	1136	Code Category Specifies the situation or category to which the code applies SEMANTIC: CRC01 qualifies CRC03 through CRC07.	M 1 ID 2/2
			CODE	DEFINITION
			70	Hospice

ASC X12N • INSURANCE SUBCOMMITTEE TECHNICAL REPORT • TYPE 3 005010X222 • 837 • 2400 • CRC HOSPICE EMPLOYEE INDICATOR

REQUIRED	CRC02	1073	Yes/No Condition or Response Code Code indicating a Yes or No condition or response SEMANTIC: CRC02 is a Certification Condition Code applies indicator. A "Y" value indicates the condition codes in CRC03 through CRC07 apply; an "N" value indicates the condition codes in CRC03 through CRC07 do not apply.	M 1 ID 1/1
----------	-------	------	---	------------

IMPLEMENTATION NAME: Hospice Employed Provider Indicator

A "Y" value indicates the provider is employed by the hospice. A "N" value indicates the provider is not employed by the hospice.

CODE	DEFINITION
N	No
Y	Yes

REQUIRED	CRC03	1321	Condition Indicator Code indicating a condition	M 1 ID 2/3
----------	-------	------	---	------------

CODE	DEFINITION
65	Open
This code value is a placeholder to satisfy the Mandatory Data Element syntax requirement.	

Importance

Including the hospice employee indicator on hospice claims will help ensure your claims are processed timely and accurately.

For your convenience, you can follow this link to the CMS.gov site to access the Companion Guide. <https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Billing/ElectronicBillingEDITrans/CompanionGuides>

Questions?

For questions, please contact Provider Services at **1-800-488-0134** (Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Eastern Standard Time).

OH-Multi-P-253354