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SUBJECT: Include NPI for the MBD/NGD extracts from CWF for Hospice and Home Health Episodes

I. SUMMARY OF CHANGES: This instruction adds NPI fields that coincide with the Legacy Provider Number for the Hospice Period and Home Health Episode Auxiliary Files in CWF.

NEW / REVISED MATERIAL EFFECTIVE DATE: *April 1, 2008 IMPLEMENTATION DATE: April 7, 2008

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II. CHANGES IN MANUAL INSTRUCTIONS: (N/A if manual is not updated) R=REVISED, N=NEW, D=DELETED-*Only One Per Row.*

R/N/D	Chapter / Section / Subsection / Title
N/A	

III. FUNDING:

SECTION A: For Fiscal Intermediaries and Carriers:

No additional funding will be provided by CMS; Contractor activities are to be carried out within their operating budgets.

SECTION B: For Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs): N/A

IV. ATTACHMENTS:

One-Time Notification

*Unless otherwise specified, the effective date is the date of service.

Attachment - Business Requirements

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SUBJECT: Include NPI for the MBD/NGD extracts from CWF for Hospice and Home Health Episodes

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 1, 2008

IMPLEMENTATION DATE: April 7, 2008

I. GENERAL INFORMATION: Due to CMS CR 5014 (Addition of Data elements to CWF Extract onto the Next Generation Desktop (NGD) Datamart) and CMS CR 4300 (Common Working File (CWF) to the Medicare Beneficiary Database (MBD) Data Exchange Changes) two new fields were added for NPI. These were created for the legacy provider number on the Hospice Period and Home Health Episode. Even though these fields were created, no data is present since the NPI fields do not exist on the Auxiliary Files in CWF for the Hospice Period and Home Health Episode where the information is carried on the extract file for the MBD and NGD. The NPI is only displayed on claim history in CWF because the number is on the submitted claim.

The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) requires, covered entities use the National Provider Identifier (NPI) to identify covered healthcare providers in standard electronic transactions. Where a legacy provider identifier is passed from CWF to MBD and NDG, copybook changes shall be made to pass the NPI.

A. Background: CWF will carry the National Provider Identifier (NPI) on the transmit record to the Hospice Period and Home Health Episode Auxiliary Files. The NPI from the Hospice Period and Home Health Episode Auxiliary Files will then be carried to the MBD and NGD extract file from CWF.

B. Policy: N/A

II. BUSINESS REQUIREMENTS TABLE

Use "Shall" to denote a mandatory requirement

Number	Requirement	Responsibility (place an "X" in each								1 each	
		applicable column)									
		A	D	F	C	R	R Shared-				OTH
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5812.1	CWF shall create four new NPI fields to coincide with									Х	MBD
	the legacy Provider Number received from the NOE or										/NG
	claims to be posted on the Hospice Period Auxiliary File.										D/
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5812.1.1	CWF shall not perform any Hospice editing on the NPI									Х	MBD

Number	er Requirement Responsibility (place an "X" in ea applicable column)							1 each			
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	number that is required for the legacy Provider Number										/NG D/ HET S
5812.2	CWF shall create one new NPI field to coincide with the legacy Provider Number on the Home Health Episode Auxiliary File.									X	MBD /NG D/ HET S
5812.2.1	CWF shall not perform any Home Health editing on the NPI number that is required for the legacy Provider Number.									X	MBD /NG D/ HET S
5812.3	CWF shall ensure the NPI is carried to the MBD and NGD extract file for the Hospice data.									X	MBD /NG D/ HET S
5812.4	CWF shall ensure the NPI is carried to the MBD and NGD extract file for the Home Health data.									X	MBD /NG D/ HET S

III. PROVIDER EDUCATION TABLE

Number	Requirement	Responsibility (place an "X" in each applicable column)									
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		С	С		R		S				
	None										

IV. SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Section A: For any recommendations and supporting information associated with listed requirements, use the box below:

Use "Should" to denote a recommendation.

X-Ref Requirement Number	Recommendations or other supporting information:

Section B: For all other recommendations and supporting information, use this space:

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VI. FUNDING

Section A: For Fiscal Intermediaries (FIs) and Carriers, use the following statement:

No additional funding will be provided by CMS; Contractor activities are to be carried out within their operating budgets.

Section B: For Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs), use the following statement: N/A