ANSI v5010/NCPDP D.0 Recertification

In preparation for the mandatory compliance date for ANSI version 5010 and NCPDP version D.0 on January 1, 2012, Department of Human Services (the Department) is requiring all trading partners and covered entities, who are currently certified under ANSI v4010/NCPDP v5.1, to recertify using the new transaction versions. This includes Clearinghouses, Service Bureaus, Software Vendors, Individual Providers, Provider Groups, County Consolidated Community Reporting and Managed Care Organizations (MCOs.)

If you submit your claims through a third party software vendor or clearinghouse, they have to certify with PROMISE™ on your behalf. Contact your third party agency to obtain their plans for recertifying with the Department. However; if you submit claims directly into PROMISE™, you will need to recertify.

If you currently use Provider Electronic Solutions (PES) or the PROMISE™ Portal, you will not need to recertify. However, you will need to ensure you have the most up-to-date version of the PES Software available.

PROMISE™ Recertification Steps
If you are currently certified to conduct electronic healthcare transactions with PROMISE™, you will only have to recertify with the following Fee-For-Service and MCO Encounters transactions (if applicable):

- 837 Dental
- 837 Institutional (Inpatient, Outpatient and Long Term Care)
- 837 Professional (including Professional Drug)

The Recertification process is basically the same for all v5010 837 transaction types:

1) Register for PROMISE™ certification via the PROMISE™ Certification Registration Form on the OMAP Internet site
2) Receive a certification packet
3) Submit test files
4) If issues are detected, the you will be required to make adjustments and resubmit the certification file
5) Once a successful test is achieved, you will be assigned a HIPAA Production ID

NCPDP D.0 submitters will have a separate recertification process. Details regarding this process will be provided at a later date.

If you submit your claims to the Department through an MCO, you should receive information from the MCO with their v5010/D.0 certification requirements.

When more information regarding recertification activities becomes available, it can be found at the Departments HIPAA Upgrade website:


Thank you for your service to our Medical Assistance recipients. The Department of Human Services values your participation.

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