



# PROVIDER QUICK TIPS

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## Information for Healthy Beginnings Plus Providers

### Why does Error Status Code/ESC 4519 post on Healthy Beginnings Plus claims?

If a claim is denied on ESC 4519, the provider enrollment file does not indicate enrollment in the Healthy Beginnings Plus program. It is vital that providers keep DHS updated concerning any changes in the provision of maternity care services. This enables DHS to update the provider enrollment file and prevents denied claims in the future due to ESC 4519. To have your provider enrollment file updated, call the **Healthy Beginnings Plus Hotline at 717-772-6127**.

### Why does ESC 4521 post on Healthy Beginnings Plus claims?

When billing for all Healthy Beginnings Plus procedures, the pregnancy indicator must be indicated on the claim. The pregnancy indicator on the CMS professional claim form is 09 and it is entered in Block 24H. When billing electronically or through PROMISe™ - select Y in the Pregnancy Indicator Field.

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When completing the Obstetrical Needs Assessment/OBNA form, please ensure that you are using the correct and current form. This form is available on the DHS website at: <http://dhs.pa.gov/publications/findaform/index.htm>

For additional information, go to the PROMISe™ Web site at; <http://promise.state.pa.us>.

Check the Department of Human Services' Web site often at: [www.dhs.pa.gov](http://www.dhs.pa.gov)

**Thank you for your service to our Medical Assistance recipients.  
We value your participation.**

