For Medical Assistance (MA) Providers Filing National Provider Identifier (NPI) Electronic Claims*

*Important note - claims submitted through PROMISe are considered Internet claims and are therefore NOT electronic claims

As you know, effective May 23, 2008, the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) and Department of Human Services (the department) instituted reporting requirements for NPI numbers for electronic claims submissions.

For more information, click on the department’s website at link on the bottom of this page.

More information on obtaining or registering your NPI number is at the following link:

http://www.dhs.pa.gov/provider/nationalprovideridentifiernpiinformation

If you are not sure your NPI number is registered with DHS, or for further details and instructions on checking the status of your NPI number, go to the PA PROMISe Provider Internet ePEAP User Manual at the following link:

http://www.dhs.pa.gov/publications/forproviders/promiseproviderhandbooksandbillingguides

There are several MA Provider Quick Tips for you reference that may help to resolve common billing questions and errors. Quick Tips can be accessed at the following link:

http://www.dhs.pa.gov/publications/forproviders/QuickTips

You can also review MA bulletin 99-07-07 at the following link


Please remind any billing services you may utilize of these requirements and resources.

Thank you for your service to our Medical Assistance Recipients. We value your participation. Check the department’s website often at: www.dhs.pa.gov