

NPI Billing Information

In order to ensure a smooth transition for everyone, we wanted to give you a reference guide for filing electronic claims with NPI numbers.

When billing electronic claims on a HCFA1500 or UB04 form to Bluegrass Family Health, providers should include the provider NPI numbers (or facility NPI number in the case of a UB04) in the following loops and segments of the ANSI ASC x12N 837 v.4010 transaction:

Billing Provider – loop 2010AA in the NM1 segment with an 'XX' qualifier

Pay-to Provider – loop 2010AB in the NM1 segment with an 'XX' qualifier

Rendering Provider – loop 2310B in the NM1 segment with an 'XX' qualifier (HCFA 1500 only)

Please note: A REF segment with an EI qualifier must be sent with the TIN if this NM1*XX item is sent.

This information was copied from the HIPAA compliance documents. These documents are available for review through the CMS web page. More information on that web page is below.

Resource for Additional Information

A CMS web page dedicated to providing all the latest NPI news for health care providers is available at <http://www.cms.hhs.gov/NationalProvIdentStand/> on the web. This page also contains a section for Medicare Fee-For-Service providers with helpful information on the Medicare NPI implementation.