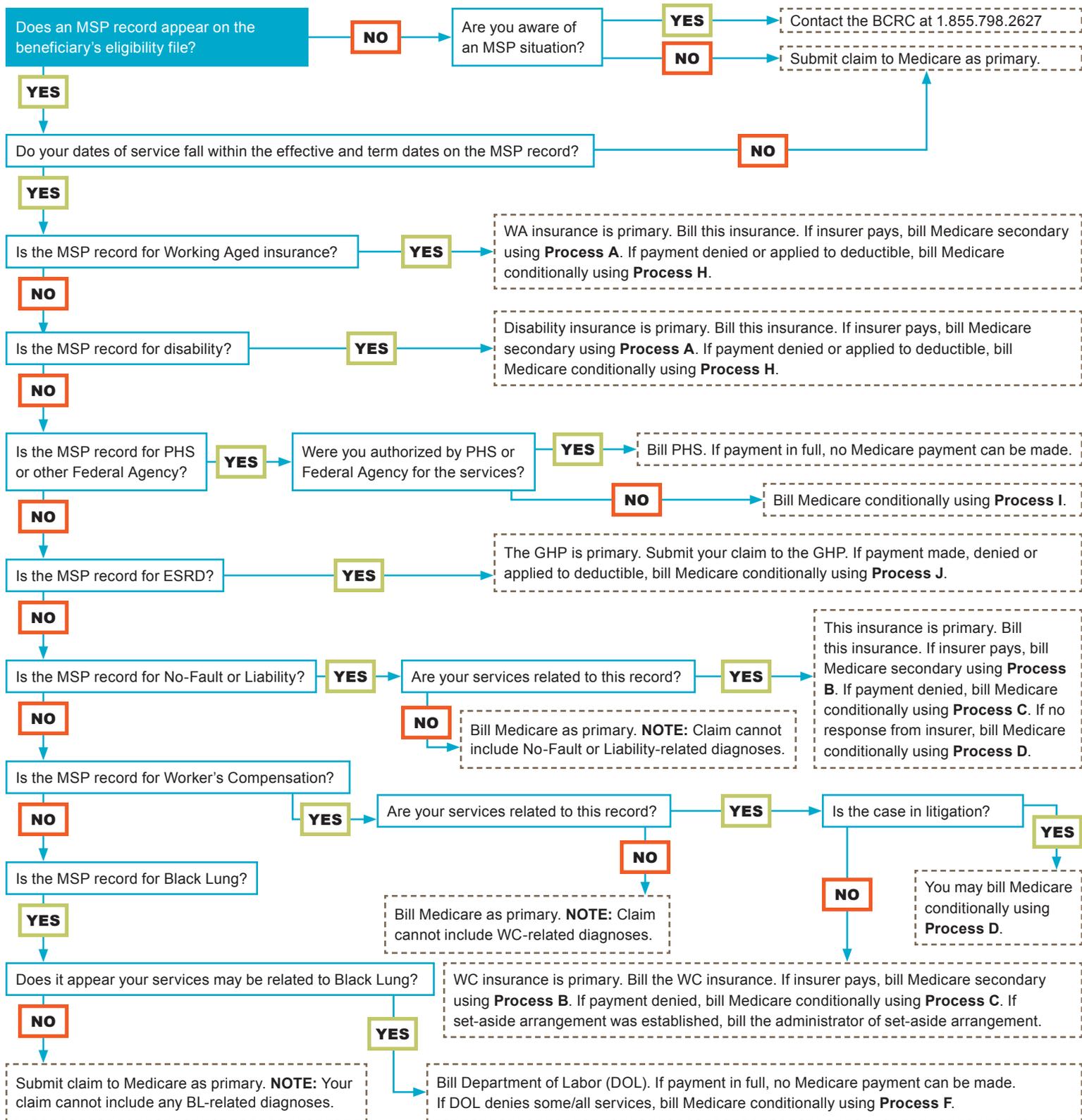


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NOTE: If the eligibility file lists multiple records, use chart for each record shown. If the eligibility file is incorrect, contact the Benefits Coordination & Recovery Center (BCRC) at 1.855.798.2627. For more information about MSP, see the *Medicare Secondary Payer Manual* (CMS Pub. 100-05) available at <http://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Guidance/Manuals/Internet-Only-Manuals-IOMs-Items/CMS019017.html>.

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Process A: Working Aged or Disability insurance is primary. Billing Medicare secondary.

Submit your claim to the primary insurance. After receiving payment from the primary insurance, you may bill Medicare secondary using the following instructions.

NOTE: If you have already submitted a claim with Medicare as primary, and your claim rejected (R B9997) for this type of MSP situation, you must submit an adjustment. You must wait until the claim appears in s/loc R B9997 in order to adjust it. Your adjustment must contain all the information as indicated below.

MSP Resources: This flow chart also provides the following information (click to access):

- Medicare Secondary Payer (MSP) Adjustment Process 5010 Format or FISS DDE ([page 17](#))
- MSP Explanation Codes ([page 17](#))
- MSP Billing Codes ([page 19](#))
- UB-04 to 5010 Crosswalk for MSP ([page 20](#))
- Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) 5010 Format ([page 22](#))

| FISS Pg | FISS Field | UB-04 FL | MSP Billing Instruction (* * NOTE: Bill all other fields as usual. * *) |
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| <p>Claims using Process A may be submitted electronically using the American National Standard Institute (ANSI) ASC X12N 837 5010 format or may be submitted to Medicare using the Fiscal Intermediary Standard System (FISS) Direct Data Entry (DDE). All MSP claims, submitted via 5010 or DDE must include Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) information. For DDE entry, additional fields, shown below (*), are required. MSP paper claim submissions are only accepted when services are related to Black Lung, or when the provider meets the small provider exception (CMS Pub. 100-04, Ch. 24 §90 at https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Guidance/Manuals/Downloads/clm104c24.pdf). Paper claims submitted due to the small provider exception must include the prior payer's explanation of benefits (EOB) and documentation indicating that the provider meets the small provider exception.</p> | | | |
| 1 | VALUE CODES | FL 39-41 | Enter the value codes "12" to indicate Working Aged insurance, or "43" to indicate Disability insurance and the amount you were paid by the primary insurance. Enter value code '44' and amount if you are contractually obligated to accept an amount less than the total charges and higher than the payment received as your payment in full. Bill any other value code as usual. |
| 3 | CD | N/A | Enter the appropriate payer code (A for working aged, G for disability) on line A. Enter payer code "Z" on line B. |
| 3 | PAYER | FL 50 | Enter the primary insurer's name (as it appears on the eligibility file) on line A. Enter "Medicare" on line B. |
| 3 | OSCAR | FL 51 | Enter your provider number for the primary payer (if known), on line A. |
| <p>*All MSP claims require claim adjustment segment (CAS) information. In FISS DDE, CAS information must be entered on the "MSP Payment Information screen (MAP1719) by pressing F11 from the Claim Page 03. The "MSP Payment Information" screen for "Primary Payer 1" will display. Entry for a second payer (if there is one) is available by pressing F6 to display the "MSP Payment Information" screen for "Primary Payer 2." Access to the Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) 5010 Format information is available later in this flow chart. (page 21).</p> <p>The prior payer's 835 Electronic Remittance Advice (ERA) typically includes CAS information. If this information is not available from the prior payer, providers need to determine the appropriate Group Code and Claim Adjustment Reason Code (CARC) to submit. Refer to the Washington Publishing Company website at http://www.wpc-edi.com/reference/codelist/healthcare/claim-adjustment-reason-codes/ for a list of valid CARC codes, and the CAQH website at http://www.caqh.org/core/ongoing-maintenance-core-code-combinations-caqh-core-360-rule for the current version of the CORE Code Combinations.</p> | | | |
| | * PAID DATE | N/A | Enter the paid date shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. |
| | * PAID AMOUNT | N/A | Enter the paid amount shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. This amount must equal the dollar amount entered for MSP Value Codes 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 43, and 47. |
| | * GRP | N/A | Enter the Group Code shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. Valid codes are: CO – Contractual Obligation PI – Payer Initiated Reductions OA – Other Adjustment PR – Patient Responsibility Refer to the CAQH website at http://www.caqh.org/core/ongoing-maintenance-core-code-combinations-caqh-core-360-rule for the current version of the CORE CODE Combinations. |

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| | * CARC | N/A | <p>Enter the Claim Adjustment Reason Code (CARC) shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. NOTE: The CARC code must be a valid code. This is a 4-digit field; however if the CARC code is a 2, enter a "2", not "02" or "0002."</p> <p>NOTE: CARC codes explain why there is a difference between the total billed amount and the paid amount. The word 'adjustment' in relation to a CARC code is not the same as a "claim adjustment" (type of bill 327 or 817).</p> <p>For a current list of valid CARC codes, refer to the Washington Publishing Company website at http://www.wpc-edi.com/reference/codelists/healthcare/claim-adjustment-reason-codes/. A list of CARC codes is also available by accessing the FISS DDE Inquiry screen option 68 (ANSI REASON CODES) and type "C" in the RECORD TYPE field.</p> |
| | * AMT | N/A | <p>Enter the dollar amount associated with the group code (GRP) and CARC. The total amount entered in the PAID AMOUNT field, plus the adjusted amount(s) entered in the AMT field for each GRP and CARC combination, must equal the total submitted charges on the claim.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <p>PAID AMOUNT + AMT (adjusted charge) = Total Billed</p> </div> <p>If Value Code 44 is billed, the dollar amount entered in the AMT field must be the difference between the total charges and the VC 44 amount.</p> |
| 4 | REMARKS | FL 65/80 | Enter the employer's name and address that provides the primary insurance. |
| 5 | INSURED NAME | FL 58 | Enter the insured's name (the name of the employee that carries the working aged/disability insurance) on line A. |
| 5 | REL | FL 59 | Enter the code for the patient's relationship to the insured on line A. (See "MSP Billing Codes" on page 19.) |
| 5 | CERT-SSN-MID | FL 60 | Enter the primary payer's policy number (if available on the eligibility file) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's MID number on line B. |
| 5 | SEX | FL 11 | Enter the insured's sex code (F or M) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's sex code on line B. |
| 5 | GROUP NAME | FL 61 | Enter the group name or plan through which the insurance is provided on line A (if known). |
| 5 | DOB | FL 10 | Enter the insured's date of birth (MMDDCCYY) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's DOB on line B. |
| 5 | INS GROUP NUMBER | FL 62 | Enter the insurance group number of the plan through which the insurance is provided on line A (if known). |
| 5 | TREAT AUTH CODE | FL 63 | Home health providers only: Enter the Claim-OASIS Matching Key code on line B. |

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Process B: Services RELATED to No-fault, Liability or Workers' Compensation (WC) record. Primary insurer billed and payment received. Billing Medicare secondary.

NOTE: If you have already submitted a claim with Medicare as primary, and your claim rejected (R B9997) for this type of MSP situation, you must submit an adjustment. You must wait until the claim appears in s/loc R B9997 in order to adjust it. Your adjustment must contain all the information as indicated below.

MSP Resources: This flow chart also provides the following information (click to access):

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- MSP Explanation Codes ([page 17](#))
- MSP Billing Codes ([page 19](#))
- UB-04 to 5010 Crosswalk for MSP ([page 20](#))
- Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) 5010 Format ([page 22](#))

| FISS Pg | FISS Field | UB-04 FL | MSP Billing Instruction (* * NOTE: Bill all other fields as usual. * *) |
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| <p>Claims using Process B may be submitted electronically using the American National Standard Institute (ANSI) ASC X12N 837 5010 format or may be submitted to Medicare using the Fiscal Intermediary Standard System (FISS) Direct Data Entry (DDE). All MSP claims, submitted via 5010 or DDE must include Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) information. For DDE entry, additional fields, shown below (*), are required. MSP paper claim submissions are only accepted when services are related to Black Lung, or when the provider meets the small provider exception (CMS Pub. 100-04, Ch. 24 §90 at https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Guidance/Manuals/Downloads/clm104c24.pdf). Paper claims submitted due to the small provider exception must include the prior payer's explanation of benefits (EOB) and documentation indicating that the provider meets the small provider exception.</p> | | | |
| 1 | OCC CDS/DATE | FL 31-34 | Enter the appropriate occurrence code (01 for med-pay, 02 for no fault, 03 for liability, under- or un-insured, or 04 for WC) and date of accident/injury based on the MSP record. (See "MSP Billing Codes" on page 19). |
| 1 | VALUE CODES | FL 39-41 | Enter the appropriate value code (14 for no-fault/med-pay, 47 for liability or 15 for WC) and the amount you were paid by the insurer. Enter value code '44' and amount if you are contractually obligated to accept an amount less than the total charges and higher than the payment received as your payment in full. |
| 3 | CD | N/A | Enter the appropriate payer code (D for no fault/med-pay, L for liability, E for WC) on line A. Enter payer code "Z" on line B. |
| 3 | PAYER | FL 50 | Enter the primary insurer's name (as it appears on the eligibility file) on line A. Enter "Medicare" on line B. |
| 3 | OSCAR | FL 51 | Enter your provider number for the primary payer (if known), on line A. |
| <p>*All MSP claims require claim adjustment segment (CAS) information. In FISS DDE, CAS information must be entered on the "MSP Payment Information screen (MAP1719) by pressing F11 from the Claim Page 03. The "MSP Payment Information" screen for "Primary Payer 1" will display. Entry for a second payer (if there is one) is available by pressing F6 to display the "MSP Payment Information" screen for "Primary Payer 2." Access to the Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) 5010 Format information is available later in this flow chart. (page 21).</p> <p>The prior payer's 835 Electronic Remittance Advice (ERA) typically includes CAS information. If this information is not available from the prior payer, providers need to determine the appropriate Group Code and Claim Adjustment Reason Code (CARC) to submit. Refer to the Washington Publishing Company website at http://www.wpc-edi.com/reference/codelist/healthcare/claim-adjustment-reason-codes/ for a list of valid CARC codes, and the CAQH website at http://www.caqh.org/core/ongoing-maintenance-core-code-combinations-caqh-core-360-rule for the current version of the CORE Code Combinations.</p> | | | |
| | * PAID DATE | N/A | Enter the paid date shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. |
| | * PAID AMOUNT | N/A | Enter the paid amount shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. This amount must equal the dollar amount entered for MSP Value Codes 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 43, and 47. |
| | * GRP | N/A | Enter the Group Code shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. Valid codes are: CO – Contractual Obligation PI – Payer Initiated Reductions OA – Other Adjustment PR – Patient Responsibility Refer to the CAQH website at http://www.caqh.org/core/ongoing-maintenance-core-code-combinations-caqh-core-360-rule for the current version of the CORE CODE Combinations. |

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| | * CARC | N/A | <p>Enter the Claim Adjustment Reason Code (CARC) shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. NOTE: The CARC code must be a valid code. This is a 4-digit field; however if the CARC code is a 2, enter a "2", not "02" or "0002."</p> <p>NOTE: CARC codes explain why there is a difference between the total billed amount and the paid amount. The word 'adjustment' in relation to a CARC code is not the same as a "claim adjustment" (type of bill 327 or 817).</p> <p>For a current list of valid CARC codes, refer to the Washington Publishing Company website at http://www.wpc-edi.com/reference/codelists/healthcare/claim-adjustment-reason-codes/. A list of CARC codes is also available by accessing the FISS DDE Inquiry screen option 68 (ANSI REASON CODES) and type "C" in the RECORD TYPE field</p> |
| | * AMT | N/A | <p>Enter the dollar amount associated with the group code (GRP) and CARC. The total amount entered in the PAID AMOUNT field, plus the adjusted amount(s) entered in the AMT field for each GRP and CARC combination, must equal the total submitted charges on the claim.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <p>PAID AMOUNT + AMT (adjusted charge) = Total Billed</p> </div> <p>If Value Code 44 is billed, the dollar amount entered in the AMT field must be the difference between the total charges and the VC 44 amount.</p> |
| 4 | REMARKS | FL 65/80 | Enter remarks indicating services related to accident. Billing Medicare secondary. If WC, also enter employer's name and address. Include any other pertinent information (i.e. claim number). |
| 5 | INSURED NAME | FL 58 | Enter the insured's name (the name of the person/business that carries this insurance) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's name on line B. |
| 5 | REL | FL 59 | Enter the code for the patient's relationship to the insured on line A. (See "MSP Billing Codes" on pg 19.) |
| 5 | CERT-SSN-MID | FL 60 | Enter the primary payer's policy number (if available on the eligibility file) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's MID number on line B. |
| 5 | SEX | FL 11 | Enter the insured's sex code (F or M) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's sex code on line B. |
| 5 | GROUP NAME | FL 61 | Enter the group name or plan through which the insurance is provided on line A (if known). |
| 5 | DOB | FL 10 | Enter the insured's date of birth (MMDDCCYY) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's DOB on line B. |
| 5 | INS GROUP NUMBER | FL 62 | Enter the insurance group number of the plan through which the insurance is provided on line A (if known). |
| 5 | TREAT AUTH CODE | FL 63 | Home health providers only: Enter the Claim-OASIS Matching Key code on line B. |

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Process C: Services RELATED to No-fault, Liability, or Workers' Compensation (WC) record. Primary insurer billed and denial received (e.g. insurance denied payment, benefits exhausted). Billing Medicare conditionally.

NOTE: If you have already submitted a claim with Medicare as primary, and your claim rejected (R B9997) for this type of MSP situation, you must submit an adjustment. You must wait until the claim appears in s/loc R B9997 in order to adjust it. Your adjustment must contain all the information as indicated below.

MSP Resources: This flow chart also provides the following information (click to access):

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- MSP Explanation Codes ([page 17](#))
- MSP Billing Codes ([page 19](#))
- UB-04 to 5010 Crosswalk for MSP ([page 20](#))
- Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) 5010 Format ([page 22](#))

| FISS Pg | FISS Field | UB-04 FL | MSP Billing Instruction (** NOTE: Bill all other fields as usual.**) |
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| <p>Claims using Process C may be submitted electronically using the American National Standard Institute (ANSI) ASC X12N 837 5010 format or may be submitted to Medicare using the Fiscal Intermediary Standard System (FISS) Direct Data Entry (DDE). All MSP claims, submitted via 5010 or DDE must include Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) information. However, if your conditional claim is related to the MSP Explanation Codes "DA" or "DP", CAS information would not be available, therefore, it is not required. For DDE entry, additional fields, shown below (*), are required. MSP paper claim submissions are only accepted when services are related to Black Lung, or when the provider meets the small provider exception (CMS Pub. 100-04, Ch. 24 §90 at https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Guidance/Manuals/Downloads/clm104c24.pdf). Paper claims submitted due to the small provider exception must include the prior payer's explanation of benefits (EOB) and documentation indicating that the provider meets the small provider exception.</p> | | | |
| 1 | OCC CDS/ DATE | FL 31-34 | Enter occurrence code '24' and the date the insurer denied payment. Enter the appropriate occurrence code (01 for med-pay, 02 for no fault, 03 for liability, under- or un-insured, or 04 for WC) and date based on the MSP record. (See "MSP Billing Codes" on page 19). Bill any other occurrence codes as usual. |
| 1 | VALUE CODES | FL 39-41 | Enter the appropriate value code (14 for no-fault, 47 for liability, 15 for workers' compensation). Enter zeros (0000.00) in the amount field. Bill any other value codes as usual. |
| 3 | CD | N/A | Enter payer code 'C' on line A. Enter payer code "Z" on line B. NOTE: Value Code 44 should not be reported with payer code 'C'. |
| 3 | PAYER | FL 50 | Enter the primary insurer's name (as it appears on the eligibility file) on line A. Enter "Medicare" on line B. |
| 3 | OSCAR | FL 51 | Enter your provider number for the primary payer (if known), on line A. |
| <p>*All MSP claims require claim adjustment segment (CAS) information. In FISS DDE, CAS information must be entered on the "MSP Payment Information screen (MAP1719) by pressing F11 from the Claim Page 03. The "MSP Payment Information" screen for "Primary Payer 1" will display. Entry for a second payer (if there is one) is available by pressing F6 to display the "MSP Payment Information" screen for "Primary Payer 2." Access to the Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) 5010 Format information is available later in this flow chart. (page 21).</p> <p>The prior payer's 835 Electronic Remittance Advice (ERA) typically includes CAS information. If this information is not available from the prior payer, providers need to determine the appropriate Group Code and Claim Adjustment Reason Code (CARC) to submit. Refer to the Washington Publishing Company website at http://www.wpc-edi.com/reference/codelist/healthcare/claim-adjustment-reason-codes/ for a list of valid CARC codes, and the CAQH website at http://www.caqh.org/core/ongoing-maintenance-core-code-combinations-caqh-core-360-rule for the current version of the CORE Code Combinations.</p> | | | |
| | * PAID DATE | N/A | Enter the paid date shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. |
| | * PAID AMOUNT | N/A | Enter the paid amount shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. This amount must equal the dollar amount entered for MSP Value Codes 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 43, and 47. |

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| | * GRP | N/A | Enter the Group Code shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. Valid codes are: CO – Contractual Obligation PI – Payer Initiated Reductions OA – Other Adjustment PR – Patient Responsibility Refer to the CAQH website at http://www.cagh.org/core/ongoing-maintenance-core-code-combinations-cagh-core-360-rule for the current version of the CORE CODE Combinations. |
| | * CARC | N/A | Enter the Claim Adjustment Reason Code (CARC) shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. NOTE: The CARC code must be a valid code. This is a 4-digit field; however if the CARC code is a 2, enter a "2", not "02" or "0002." NOTE: CARC codes explain why there is a difference between the total billed amount and the paid amount. The word 'adjustment' in relation to a CARC code is not the same as a "claim adjustment" (type of bill 327 or 817). For a current list of valid CARC codes, refer to the Washington Publishing Company website at http://www.wpc-edi.com/reference/codelist/healthcare/claim-adjustment-reason-codes/ . A list of CARC codes is also available by accessing the FISS DDE Inquiry screen option 68 (ANSI REASON CODES) and type "C" in the RECORD TYPE field. |
| | * AMT | N/A | Enter the dollar amount associated with the group code (GRP) and CARC. The total amount entered in the PAID AMOUNT field, plus the adjusted amount(s) entered in the AMT field for each GRP and CARC combination, must equal the total submitted charges on the claim. PAID AMOUNT + AMT (adjusted charge) = Total Billed |
| 4 | REMARKS | FL 65/80 | Enter the appropriate MSP Explanation Code (below) to indicate why services denied by primary insurer. If WC, also enter employer name and address. |
| 5 | INSURED NAME | FL 58 | Enter the insured's name (the name of the person/business that carries this insurance) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's name on line B. |
| 5 | REL | FL 59 | Enter the code for the patient's relationship to the insured on line A. (See "MSP Billing Codes" on pg 19.) |
| 5 | CERT-SSN-MID | FL 60 | Enter the primary payer's policy number (if available on the eligibility file) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's MID number on line B. |
| 5 | SEX | FL 11 | Enter the insured's sex code (F or M) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's sex code on line B. |
| 5 | GROUP NAME | FL 61 | Enter the group name or plan through which the insurance is provided (if known). |
| 5 | DOB | FL 10 | Enter the insured's date of birth (MMDDCCYY) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's DOB on line B. |
| 5 | INS GROUP NUMBER | FL 62 | Enter the insurance group number of the plan through which the insurance is provided on line A (if known). |
| 5 | TREAT AUTH CODE | FL 63 | Home health providers only: Enter the Claim-OASIS Matching Key code on line B. |

| MSP Explanation Codes | |
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| Code | Description |
| BE | Benefits are exhausted. |
| CD | Charges applied to co-payment, coinsurance or deductible. |
| DA | 120 days have passed since the primary payer was billed. |
| DP | Delay in payment from liability insurer. |
| FG | Beneficiary did not follow guidelines of their primary health plan. Use only for out of network, untimely filing or no prior authorization. NOTE: Indicate which of these guidelines was not followed. |
| LD | Response received from liability insurer stating they are not responsible for claim. |
| NB | Not a covered benefit. |
| PE | * No-Fault (also known as PIP) has been exhausted toward medical expenses. |
| PP | Beneficiary paid by liability insurer. NOTE: May not be used for medical payment insurance payments to the beneficiary (VC 14). Providers are required to pursue those dollars. |

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Process D: Services RELATED to No-fault, Liability or Workers' Compensation (WC) record. Primary insurer billed, and no response received from insurer. If WC, case is in litigation. Billing Medicare conditionally.

If you have submitted your claim to the primary insurance, and have not received a response from the no-fault/liability/WC insurer **AND** 120 days have passed since the claim was filed with the primary insurer (or it is 120 days after your claim's 'TO' date), you may bill Medicare conditionally using the following instructions. If WC, you must withdraw any lien filed against a pending settlement.

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- MSP Explanation Codes ([page 17](#))
- MSP Billing Codes ([page 19](#))
- UB-04 to 5010 Crosswalk for MSP ([page 20](#))
- Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) 5010 Format ([page 22](#))

| FISS Pg | FISS Field | UB-04 FL | MSP Billing Instruction (** NOTE: Bill all other fields as usual.**) |
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| <p>Claims using Process D may be submitted electronically using the American National Standard Institute (ANSI) ASC X12N 837 5010 format or may be submitted to Medicare using the Fiscal Intermediary Standard System (FISS) Direct Data Entry (DDE). All MSP claims, submitted via 5010 or DDE must include Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) information. However, if your conditional claim is related to the MSP Explanation Codes "DA" or "DP," CAS information would not be available, therefore, it is not required. For DDE entry, additional fields, shown below (*), are required. MSP paper claim submissions are only accepted when services are related to Black Lung, or when the provider meets the small provider exception (CMS Pub. 100-04, Ch. 24 §90 at https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Guidance/Manuals/Downloads/clm104c24.pdf). Paper claims submitted due to the small provider exception must include the prior payer's explanation of benefits (EOB) and documentation indicating that the provider meets the small provider exception.</p> | | | |
| 1 | COND CODES | FL 18-28 | If WC, enter condition code '02' to indicate the condition is employment related. |
| 1 | OCC CDS/ DATE | FL 31-34 | Enter occurrence code '24' and the date of the last contact with the insurance/attorney. Enter the appropriate occurrence code (01 for med-pay, 02 for no fault, 03 for liability, under- or un-insured, or 04 for WC) and date based on the MSP record. |
| 1 | VALUE CODES | FL 39-41 | Enter the appropriate value code (14 for no-fault, 47 for liability, 15 for WC). Enter zeros (0000.00) for the amount. |
| 3 | CD | N/A | Enter payer code 'C' on line A. Enter payer code "Z" on line B. NOTE: Value Code 44 should not be reported with payer code 'C.' |
| 3 | PAYER | FL 50 | Enter the primary insurer's name (as it appears on the eligibility file) on line A. Enter "Medicare" on line B. |
| 3 | OSCAR | FL 51 | Enter your provider number for the primary payer (if known), on line A. |
| <p>*All MSP claims require claim adjustment segment (CAS) information. In FISS DDE, CAS information must be entered on the "MSP Payment Information screen (MAP1719) by pressing F11 from the Claim Page 03. The "MSP Payment Information" screen for "Primary Payer 1" will display. Entry for a second payer (if there is one) is available by pressing F6 to display the "MSP Payment Information" screen for "Primary Payer 2." Access to the Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) 5010 Format information is available later in this flow chart. (page 21).</p> <p>The prior payer's 835 Electronic Remittance Advice (ERA) typically includes CAS information. If this information is not available from the prior payer, providers need to determine the appropriate Group Code and Claim Adjustment Reason Code (CARC) to submit. Refer to the Washington Publishing Company website at http://www.wpc-edi.com/reference/codelist/healthcare/claim-adjustment-reason-codes/ for a list of valid CARC codes, and the CAQH website at http://www.caqh.org/core/ongoing-maintenance-core-code-combinations-caqh-core-360-rule for the current version of the CORE Code Combinations.</p> | | | |
| | * PAID DATE | N/A | Enter the paid date shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. |
| | * PAID AMOUNT | N/A | Enter the paid amount shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. This amount must equal the dollar amount entered for MSP Valud Codes 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 43, and 47. |

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| | * GRP | N/A | <p>Enter the Group Code shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. Valid codes are: CO – Contractual Obligation PI – Payer Initiated Reductions OA – Other Adjustment PR – Patient Responsibility</p> <p>Refer to the CAQH website at http://www.cagh.org/core/ongoing-maintenance-core-code-combinations-cagh-core-360-rule for the current version of the CORE CODE Combinations.</p> |
| | * CARC | N/A | <p>Enter the Claim Adjustment Reason Code (CARC) shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. NOTE: The CARC code must be a valid code. This is a 4-digit field; however if the CARC code is a 2, enter a "2", not "02" or "0002."</p> <p>NOTE: CARC codes explain why there is a difference between the total billed amount and the paid amount. The word 'adjustment' in relation to a CARC code is not the same as a "claim adjustment" (type of bill 327 or 817).</p> <p>For a current list of valid CARC codes, refer to the Washington Publishing Company website at http://www.wpc-edi.com/reference/codelist/healthcare/claim-adjustment-reason-codes/. A list of CARC codes is also available by accessing the FISS DDE Inquiry screen option 68 (ANSI REASON CODES) and type "C" in the RECORD TYPE field.</p> |
| | * AMT | N/A | <p>Enter the dollar amount associated with the group code (GRP) and CARC. The total amount entered in the PAID AMOUNT field, plus the adjusted amount(s) entered in the AMT field for each GRP and CARC combination, must equal the total submitted charges on the claim.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: 10px auto;"> <p>PAID AMOUNT + AMT (adjusted charge) = Total Billed</p> </div> |
| 4 | REMARKS | FL 65/80 | <p>Enter the appropriate MSP Explanation Code (below). If WC, also enter employer name and address. If an attorney is involved, enter the name and address.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DA – 120 days have passed since the primary payer was billed • DP – Delay in payment from liability insurer. |
| 5 | INSURED NAME | FL 58 | Enter the insured's name (the name of the person/business that carries this insurance) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's name on line B. |
| 5 | REL | FL 59 | Enter the code for the patient's relationship to the insured on line A. (See "MSP Billing Codes" on pg 19.) |
| 5 | CERT-SSN-MID | FL 60 | Enter the primary payer's policy number (if available on the eligibility file) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's MID number on line B. |
| 5 | SEX | FL 11 | Enter the insured's sex code (F or M) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's sex code on line B. |
| 5 | GROUP NAME | FL 61 | Enter the group name or plan through which the insurance is provided on line A (if known). |
| 5 | DOB | FL 10 | Enter the insured's date of birth (MMDDCCYY) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's DOB on line B. |
| 5 | INS GROUP NUMBER | FL 62 | Enter the insurance group number of the plan through which the insurance is provided on line A (if known). |
| 5 | TREAT AUTH CODE | FL 63 | Home health providers only: Enter the Claim-OASIS Matching Key code on line B. |

Process E has been eliminated.

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Process F: Services related to Black Lung and some/all services were denied by Department of Labor (DOL) (see Note below). Billing Medicare conditionally.

NOTE: If you have already submitted a claim, and your claim rejected (R B9997) for this type of MSP situation, you must submit an adjustment. You must wait until the claim appears in s/loc R B9997 in order to adjust it. Your adjustment must be submitted on paper (see table below) and contain all the information as indicated below.

MSP Resources: This flow chart also provides the following information:

- Medicare Secondary Payer (MSP) Adjustment Process 5010 Format or FISS DDE ([page 17](#))
- MSP Explanation Codes ([page 17](#))
- MSP Billing Codes ([page 19](#))
- UB-04 to 5010 Crosswalk for MSP ([page 20](#))
- Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) 5010 Format ([page 22](#))

| UB-04 FL | UB-04 Field | MSP Billing Instruction (* * NOTE: Bill all other fields as usual.* *) |
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| If the services are related to BL or the claim includes a BL-related diagnosis, the claim must be submitted hardcopy (paper UB-04) with a copy of DOL's denial notice. | | |
| FL 31-34 | OCCURRENCE CODE/DATE | If services were denied by DOL, enter occurrence code '24' and the date of the denial. |
| FL 39-41 | VALUE CODES/AMOUNT | Enter value code '41' . Enter zeros (0000.00) if all services denied. If DOL denied some services, enter the amount paid by DOL. |
| FL 50 | PAYER NAME | Enter name of black lung insurer (as it appears on the Eligibility file) on line A. Enter "Medicare" on line B. |
| FL 51 | HEALTH PLAN ID | Enter your provider number for the primary payer (if known) on line A. |
| FL 58 | INSURED'S NAME | Enter the beneficiary's name in the insured's name field on line A and B. |
| FL 59 | P. REL | Enter the patient's relationship code '18' on line A. |
| FL 60 | INSURED'S UNIQUE ID | Enter the patient's Black Lung Identification number on Line A. Enter the beneficiary's MID number on line B. |
| FL 61 | GROUP NAME | Enter the group name or plan through which the insurance is provided on Line A (if known). |
| FL 63 | TREATMENT AUTHORIZATION CODES | Home health providers only: Enter the Claim-OASIS Matching Key code on line B. |
| FL 80 | REMARKS | Enter the appropriate MSP Explanation Code (below) indicating why services were denied by DOL. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BE – Benefits are exhausted. • NB – Not a covered benefit. See Note below. |

NOTE: If the services appear to be related to Black Lung, they must be billed to Department of Labor (DOL) before billing Medicare. If services are denied by DOL, a **hardcopy** claim must be submitted to Medicare. A copy of DOL's denial notice and a copy of workers' compensation insurers denial notice (if applicable), giving the specific reason for nonpayment, must be included with your hardcopy claim, and mailed to:

J15 – HHH Claims
 CGS
 PO Box 20019
 Nashville, TN 37202

Process G has been eliminated.

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Process H: Disability insurance OR Working Aged insurance is primary and payment denied or applied to deductible. Billing Medicare conditionally.

NOTE: If you have already submitted a claim with Medicare as primary, and your claim rejected (R B9997) for this type of MSP situation, you must submit an adjustment. You must wait until the claim appears in s/loc R B9997 in order to adjust it. Your adjustment must contain all the information as indicated below.

MSP Resources: This flow chart also provides the following information (click to access):

- Medicare Secondary Payer (MSP) Adjustment Process 5010 Format or FISS DDE ([page 17](#))
- MSP Explanation Codes ([page 17](#))
- MSP Billing Codes ([page 19](#))
- UB-04 to 5010 Crosswalk for MSP ([page 20](#))
- Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) 5010 Format ([page 29](#))

| FISS Pg | FISS Field | UB-04 FL | MSP Billing Instruction (** NOTE: Bill all other fields as usual. **) |
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| <p>Claims using Process H may be submitted electronically using the American National Standard Institute (ANSI) ASC X12N 837 5010 format or may be submitted to Medicare using the Fiscal Intermediary Standard System (FISS) Direct Data Entry (DDE). All MSP claims, submitted via 5010 or DDE must include Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) information. For DDE entry, additional fields, shown below (*), are required. MSP paper claim submissions are only accepted when services are related to Black Lung, or when the provider meets the small provider exception (CMS Pub. 100-04, Ch. 24 §90 at https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Guidance/Manuals/Downloads/clm104c24.pdf). Paper claims submitted due to the small provider exception must include the prior payer's explanation of benefits (EOB) and documentation indicating that the provider meets the small provider exception.</p> | | | |
| 1 | OCC CDS/DATE | FL 31-34 | Enter occurrence code '24' and the date of the Explanation of Benefits (EOB) or date of last contact with the insurer. |
| 1 | VALUE CODES | FL 39-41 | Enter the appropriate value code (43 for disability or 12 for Working Aged). Enter zeros (0000.00) in the amount field. Also, enter value code '44' and amount if you are contractually obligated to accept an amount less than the total charges and higher than the payment received as your payment in full. Refer to the "Billing MSP Claims With Value Coe 44" (http://www.cgsmedicare.com/hhh/education/materials/MSP_VC44.html) for additional information. |
| 3 | CD | N/A | Enter payer code 'C' on line A. Enter payer code "Z" on line B. NOTE: Value Code 44 should not be reported with payer code 'C.' |
| 3 | PAYER | FL 50 | Enter the primary insurer's name (as it appears on the eligibility file) on line A. Enter "Medicare" on line B. |
| 3 | OSCAR | FL 51 | Enter your provider number for the primary payer (if known), on line A. |
| <p>*All MSP claims require claim adjustment segment (CAS) information. In FISS DDE, CAS information must be entered on the "MSP Payment Information screen (MAP1719) by pressing F11 from the Claim Page 03. The "MSP Payment Information" screen for "Primary Payer 1" will display. Entry for a second payer (if there is one) is available by pressing F6 to display the "MSP Payment Information" screen for "Primary Payer 2." Access to the Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) 5010 Format information is available later in this flow chart. (page 21).</p> <p>The prior payer's 835 Electronic Remittance Advice (ERA) typically includes CAS information. If this information is not available from the prior payer, providers need to determine the appropriate Group Code and Claim Adjustment Reason Code (CARC) to submit. Refer to the Washington Publishing Company website at http://www.wpc-edi.com/reference/codelists/healthcare/claim-adjustment-reason-codes/ for a list of valid CARC codes, and the CAQH website at http://www.caqh.org/core/ongoing-maintenance-core-code-combinations-caqh-core-360-rule for the current version of the CORE Code Combinations.</p> | | | |
| | * PAID DATE | N/A | Enter the paid date shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. |
| | * PAID AMOUNT | N/A | Enter the paid amount shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. This amount must equal the dollar amount entered for MSP Value Codes 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 43, and 47. |
| | * GRP | N/A | Enter the Group Code shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. Valid codes are: CO – Contractual Obligation PI – Payer Initiated Reductions OA – Other Adjustment PR – Patient Responsibility Refer to the CAQH website at http://www.caqh.org/core/ongoing-maintenance-core-code-combinations-caqh-core-360-rule for the current version of the CORE CODE Combinations. |

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| | * CARC | N/A | <p>Enter the Claim Adjustment Reason Code (CARC) shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. NOTE: The CARC code must be a valid code. This is a 4-digit field; however if the CARC code is a 2, enter a "2", not "02" or "0002."</p> <p>NOTE: CARC codes explain why there is a difference between the total billed amount and the paid amount. The word 'adjustment' in relation to a CARC code is not the same as a "claim adjustment" (type of bill 327 or 817).</p> <p>For a current list of valid CARC codes, refer to the Washington Publishing Company website at http://www.wpc-edi.com/reference/codelists/healthcare/claim-adjustment-reason-codes/. A list of CARC codes is also available by accessing the FISS DDE Inquiry screen option 68 (ANSI REASON CODES) and type "C" in the RECORD TYPE field.</p> |
| | * AMT | N/A | <p>Enter the dollar amount associated with the group code (GRP) and CARC. The total amount entered in the PAID AMOUNT field, plus the adjusted amount(s) entered in the AMT field for each GRP and CARC combination, must equal the total submitted charges on the claim.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> PAID AMOUNT + AMT (adjusted charge) = Total Billed </div> |
| 4 | REMARKS | FL 65/80 | Enter the appropriate MSP Explanation Code (below) to indicate why services denied by primary insurer. Enter the employer's name and address that provides the primary insurance. |
| 5 | INSURED NAME | FL 58 | Enter the insured's name (the name of the person that carries the disability insurance) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's name on line B. |
| 5 | REL | FL 59 | Enter the code for the patient's relationship to the insured on line A. (See "MSP Billing Codes" on pg 19.) |
| 5 | CERT-SSN-MID | FL 60 | Enter the primary payer's policy number on line A. Enter the beneficiary's MID number on line B. |
| 5 | SEX | FL 11 | Enter the insured's sex code (F or M) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's sex code on line B. |
| 5 | GROUP NAME | FL 61 | Enter the group name or plan through which the insurance is provided (if known). |
| 5 | DOB | FL 10 | Enter the insured's date of birth (MMDDCCYY) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's DOB on line B. |
| 5 | INS GROUP NUMBER | FL 62 | Enter the insurance group number of the plan through which the insurance is provided on line A (if known). |
| 5 | TREAT AUTH CODE | FL 63 | Home health providers only: Enter the Claim-OASIS Matching Key code on line B. |

| MSP Explanation Codes | |
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| Code | Description |
| BE | Benefits are exhausted. |
| CD | Charges applied to co-payment, coinsurance or deductible. |
| FG | Beneficiary did not follow guidelines of their primary health plan. Use only for out of network, untimely filing or no prior authorization. NOTE: Indicate which of these guidelines was not followed. |
| NB | Not a covered benefit. |
| PC | Pre-existing condition. |

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Process I: Public Health Services (PHS) or other Federal Agency is primary. Services were not authorized by PHS/ Federal Agency. Billing Medicare conditionally.

NOTE: If you have already submitted a claim with Medicare as primary, and your claim rejected (R B9997) for this type of MSP situation, you must submit an adjustment. You must wait until the claim appears in s/loc R B9997 in order to adjust it. Your adjustment must contain all the information as indicated below.

MSP Resources: This flow chart also provides the following information (click to access):

- Medicare Secondary Payer (MSP) Adjustment Process 5010 Format or FISS DDE ([page 17](#))
- MSP Explanation Codes ([page 17](#))
- MSP Billing Codes ([page 19](#))
- UB-04 to 5010 Crosswalk for MSP ([page 20](#))
- Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) 5010 Format ([page 22](#))

| FISS Pg | FISS Field | UB-04 FL | MSP Billing Instruction (* * NOTE: Bill all other fields as usual. * *) |
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| <p>Claims using Process I may be submitted electronically using the American National Standard Institute (ANSI) ASC X12N 837 5010 format or may be submitted to Medicare using the Fiscal Intermediary Standard System (FISS) Direct Data Entry (DDE). All MSP claims, submitted via 5010 or DDE must include Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) information. For DDE entry, additional fields, shown below (*), are required. MSP paper claim submissions are only accepted when services are related to Black Lung, or when the provider meets the small provider exception (CMS Pub. 100-04, Ch. 24 §90 at https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Guidance/Manuals/Downloads/clm104c24.pdf). Paper claims submitted due to the small provider exception must include the prior payer's explanation of benefits (EOB) and documentation indicating that the provider meets the small provider exception.</p> | | | |
| 1 | OCC CDS/ DATE | FL 31-34 | Enter occurrence code '24' and the date the services were denied. |
| 1 | VALUE CODES | FL 39-41 | Enter the value code '16' to indicate PHS. Enter zeros (0000.00) in the amount field. |
| 3 | CD | N/A | Enter payer code 'C' on line A. Enter payer code "Z" on line B. NOTE: Value Code 44 should not be reported with payer code 'C.' |
| 3 | PAYER | FL 50 | Enter the primary insurer's name (as it appears on the eligibility file) on line A. Enter "Medicare" on line B. |
| 3 | OSCAR | FL 51 | Enter your provider number for the primary payer (if known), on line A. |
| <p>*All MSP claims require claim adjustment segment (CAS) information. In FISS DDE, CAS information must be entered on the "MSP Payment Information screen (MAP1719) by pressing F11 from the Claim Page 03. The "MSP Payment Information" screen for "Primary Payer 1" will display. Entry for a second payer (if there is one) is available by pressing F6 to display the "MSP Payment Information" screen for "Primary Payer 2." Access to the Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) 5010 Format information is available later in this flow chart. (page 21).</p> <p>The prior payer's 835 Electronic Remittance Advice (ERA) typically includes CAS information. If this information is not available from the prior payer, providers need to determine the appropriate Group Code and Claim Adjustment Reason Code (CARC) to submit. Refer to the Washington Publishing Company website at http://www.wpc-edi.com/reference/codelists/healthcare/claim-adjustment-reason-codes/ for a list of valid CARC codes, and the CAQH website at http://www.caqh.org/core/ongoing-maintenance-core-code-combinations-caqh-core-360-rule for the current version of the CORE Code Combinations.</p> | | | |
| | * PAID DATE | N/A | Enter the paid date shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. |
| | * PAID AMOUNT | N/A | Enter the paid amount shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. This amount must equal the dollar amount entered for MSP Value Codes 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 43, and 47. |
| | * GRP | N/A | Enter the Group Code shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. Valid codes are: CO – Contractual Obligation PI – Payer Initiated Reductions OA – Other Adjustment PR – Patient Responsibility Refer to the CAQH website at http://www.caqh.org/core/ongoing-maintenance-core-code-combinations-caqh-core-360-rule for the current version of the CORE CODE Combinations. |

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| | * CARC | N/A | <p>Enter the Claim Adjustment Reason Code (CARC) shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. NOTE: The CARC code must be a valid code. This is a 4-digit field; however if the CARC code is a 2, enter a "2", not "02" or "0002."</p> <p>NOTE: CARC codes explain why there is a difference between the total billed amount and the paid amount. The word 'adjustment' in relation to a CARC code is not the same as a "claim adjustment" (type of bill 327 or 817).</p> <p>For a current list of valid CARC codes, refer to the Washington Publishing Company website at http://www.wpc-edi.com/reference/codelists/healthcare/claim-adjustment-reason-codes/. A list of CARC codes is also available by accessing the FISS DDE Inquiry screen option 68 (ANSI REASON CODES) and type "C" in the RECORD TYPE field.</p> |
| | * AMT | N/A | <p>Enter the dollar amount associated with the group code (GRP) and CARC. The total amount entered in the PAID AMOUNT field, plus the adjusted amount(s) entered in the AMT field for each GRP and CARC combination, must equal the total submitted charges on the claim.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: 10px auto;"> <p>PAID AMOUNT + AMT (adjusted charge) = Total Billed</p> </div> |
| 4 | REMARKS | FL 65/80 | Enter a remark to indicate reason why services were not covered by PHS/other Federal Agency. |
| 5 | INSURED NAME | FL 58 | Enter the beneficiary's name in the insured's name field on line A and B. |
| 5 | SEX | FL 11 | Enter the insured's sex code (F or M) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's sex code on line B. |
| 5 | DOB | FL 10 | Enter the insured's date of birth (MMDDCCYY) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's DOB on line B. |
| 5 | REL | FL 59 | Enter the patient's relationship code '18' on line A. |
| 5 | CERT-SSN-MID | FL 60 | Enter the PHS/Federal Agency identification number on line A. Enter the beneficiary's MID number on line B. |
| 5 | TREAT AUTH CODE | FL 63 | Home health providers only: Enter the Claim-OASIS Matching Key code on line B. |

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Process J: Group Health Plan (GHP) is primary for 30-month ESRD coordination period. Primary insurer billed and payment/denial received or applied to deductible. Billing Medicare conditionally. (Services after the 30-month coordination period are billed to Medicare as primary.)

NOTE: If you have already submitted a claim with Medicare as primary, and your claim rejected (R B9997) for this type of MSP situation, you must submit an adjustment. You must wait until the claim appears in s/loc R B9997 in order to adjust it. Your adjustment must contain all the information as indicated below.

MSP Resources: This flow chart also provides the following information (click to access):

- Medicare Secondary Payer (MSP) Adjustment Process 5010 Format or FISS DDE ([page 17](#))
- MSP Explanation Codes ([page 17](#))
- MSP Billing Codes ([page 19](#))
- UB-04 to 5010 Crosswalk for MSP ([page 20](#))
- Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) 5010 Format ([page 22](#))

| FISS Pg | FISS Field | UB-04 FL | MSP Billing Instruction (** NOTE: Bill all other fields as usual.**) |
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| <p>Claims using Process J may be submitted electronically using the American National Standard Institute (ANSI) ASC X12N 837 5010 format or may be submitted to Medicare using the Fiscal Intermediary Standard System (FISS) Direct Data Entry (DDE). All MSP claims, submitted via 5010 or DDE must include Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) information. For DDE entry, additional fields, shown below (*), are required. MSP paper claim submissions are only accepted when services are related to Black Lung, or when the provider meets the small provider exception (CMS Pub. 100-04, Ch. 24 §90 at https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Guidance/Manuals/Downloads/clm104c24.pdf). Paper claims submitted due to the small provider exception must include the prior payer's explanation of benefits (EOB) and documentation indicating that the provider meets the small provider exception.</p> | | | |
| 1 | OCC CDS/ DATE | FL 31-34 | Enter occurrence code '33' and date 30-month coordination period started. If services denied or applied to deductible, also enter occurrence code '24' and the date of the explanation of benefits (EOB) or date of last contact with primary insurer. |
| 1 | VALUE CODES | FL 39-41 | Enter the value code '13.' Enter the amount paid by GHP. Enter zeros (0000.00) if the services were denied by the GHP or applied to deductible. Enter value code '44' and amount if you are contractually obligated to accept an amount less than the total charges and higher than the payment received as your payment in full. Refer to the "Billing MSP Claims With Value Code 44" (http://www.cgsmedicare.com/hhh/education/materials/MSP_VC44.html) Web page for additional information. Do not report value code 44 if the primary insurer denied or applied to deductible. |
| 3 | CD | N/A | Enter payer code 'B' on line A if primary insurer paid. Enter payer code "C" if primary insurer payment denied or applied to deductible. Enter payer code "Z" on line B. NOTE: Value Code 44 should not be reported with payer code 'C.' |
| 3 | PAYER | FL 50 | Enter the primary insurer's name (as it appears on the eligibility file) on line A. Enter "Medicare" on line B. |
| 3 | OSCAR | FL 51 | Enter your provider number for the primary payer (if known), on line A. |
| <p>*All MSP claims require claim adjustment segment (CAS) information. In FISS DDE, CAS information must be entered on the "MSP Payment Information screen (MAP1719) by pressing F11 from the Claim Page 03. The "MSP Payment Information" screen for "Primary Payer 1" will display. Entry for a second payer (if there is one) is available by pressing F6 to display the "MSP Payment Information" screen for "Primary Payer 2." Access to the Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) 5010 Format information is available later in this flow chart. (page 21).</p> <p>The prior payer's 835 Electronic Remittance Advice (ERA) typically includes CAS information. If this information is not available from the prior payer, providers need to determine the appropriate Group Code and Claim Adjustment Reason Code (CARC) to submit. Refer to the Washington Publishing Company website at http://www.wpc-edi.com/reference/codelists/healthcare/claim-adjustment-reason-codes/ for a list of valid CARC codes, and the CAQH website at http://www.caqh.org/core/ongoing-maintenance-core-code-combinations-caqh-core-360-rule for the current version of the CORE Code Combinations.</p> | | | |
| | * PAID DATE | N/A | Enter the paid date shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. |

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| | * PAID AMOUNT | N/A | Enter the paid amount shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. This amount must equal the dollar amount entered for MSP Value Codes 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 43, and 47. |
| | * GRP | N/A | Enter the Group Code shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. Valid codes are: CO – Contractual Obligation PI – Payer Initiated Reductions OA – Other Adjustment PR – Patient Responsibility Refer to the CAQH website at http://www.caqh.org/core/ongoing-maintenance-core-code-combinations-caqh-core-360-rule for the current version of the CORE CODE Combinations. |
| | * CARC | N/A | Enter the Claim Adjustment Reason Code (CARC) shown on the primary payer's remittance advice. NOTE: The CARC code must be a valid code. This is a 4-digit field; however if the CARC code is a 2, enter a "2", not "02" or "0002." NOTE: CARC codes explain why there is a difference between the total billed amount and the paid amount. The word 'adjustment' in relation to a CARC code is not the same as a "claim adjustment" (type of bill 327 or 817). For a current list of valid CARC codes, refer to the Washington Publishing Company website at http://www.wpc-edi.com/reference/codelists/healthcare/claim-adjustment-reason-codes/ . A list of CARC codes is also available by accessing the FISS DDE Inquiry screen option 68 (ANSI REASON CODES) and type "C" in the RECORD TYPE field. |
| | * AMT | N/A | Enter the dollar amount associated with the group code (GRP) and CARC. The total amount entered in the PAID AMOUNT field, plus the adjusted amount(s) entered in the AMT field for each GRP and CARC combination, must equal the total submitted charges on the claim. PAID AMOUNT + AMT (adjusted charge) = Total Billed If Value Code 44 is billed, the dollar amount entered in the AMT field must be the difference between the total charges and the VC 44 amount. NOTE: Value Code 44 should not be reported with payer code 'C.' |
| 4 | REMARKS | FL 65/80 | If payment denied or applied to deductible, enter the appropriate MSP Explanation Code (below). Enter the employer's address that provides the primary insurance. |
| 5 | INSURED NAME | FL 58 | Enter the insured's name (the name of the person that carries this insurance) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's name on line B. |
| 5 | SEX | FL 11 | Enter the insured's sex code (F or M) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's sex code on line B. |
| 5 | DOB | FL 10 | Enter the insured's date of birth (MMDDCCYY) on line A. Enter the beneficiary's DOB on line B. |
| 5 | REL | FL 59 | Enter the patient's relationship to the insured on line A. |
| 5 | CERT-SSN-MID | FL 60 | Enter the primary payer's policy number on line A. Enter the beneficiary's MID number on line B. |
| 5 | GROUP NAME | FL 61 | Enter the group name or plan through which the insurance is provided on line A (if known) |
| 5 | INS GROUP NUMBER | FL 62 | Enter the insurance group number of the plan through which the insurance is provided on line A (if known). |
| 5 | TREAT AUTH CODE | FL 63 | Home health providers only: Enter the Claim-OASIS Matching Key code on line B. |

| MSP Explanation Codes | |
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| Code | Description |
| BE | Benefits are exhausted. |
| CD | Charges applied to co-payment, coinsurance or deductible. |
| FG | Beneficiary did not follow guidelines of their primary health plan. Use only for out of network, untimely filing or no prior authorization. NOTE: Indicate which of these guidelines was not followed. |
| NB | Not a covered benefit. |
| PC | Pre-existing condition. |

Medicare Secondary Payer (MSP) Adjustment Process 5010 Format or FISS DDE

Adjustments with MSP information must be submitted using the 5010 format or FISS DDE, and contain all the information as indicated in the MSP Billing Process (A-J). If using FISS DDE, providers must ensure the MSP information is entered on the "MSP Payment Information" screen (MAP 1719).

If your adjustment is related to **Black Lung**, the adjustment must be submitted on paper. Refer to Process F for additional information.

| American National Standard Institute (ANSI) ASC X12N 837 5010 Format Adjustments | |
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| Step 1 | Enter all claim information as usual for your type of bill, noting the exceptions below. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure your type of bill (FL 4) ends in a "7" (i.e. 327 or 817) • Ensure all service units (FL 46) and total charges (FL 47) appear as covered. |
| Step 2 | Enter the MSP information as indicated in the table for the appropriate MSP Process (A-J) above. |
| Step 3 | Enter a Claim Change Reason Code in the first available COND CODES field. If changing to make Medicare secondary, enter D7. If changing to make Medicare primary, enter D8. Refer to the Adjustments/ Cancels (https://www.cgsmedicare.com/hhh/education/materials/adjustments_cancels.html) Web page for additional Claim Change Reason Code. Only use D9, when no other code best describes the adjustment request (e.g. conditional payment), or when there are multiple changes. An explanation must be entered in the REMARKS field when D9 is entered. |
| Step 4 | Enter the original claim's document control number (DCN) (FL 64). (The DCN can be found in the ICN field on the RA for the original claim, or in FISS on MAP171D of the original claim.) |
| Step 5 | Enter Remarks (FL 80) to indicate the reason for the adjustment. |
| Step 6 | Submit the adjustment to Medicare. |

| FISS DDE Adjustments | |
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| Step 1 | From the FISS Main Menu, choose option 03 Claim Correction |
| Step 2 | From the Claims and Attachments Correction Menu, choose option 33 (Home Health) or 35 (Hospice). |
| Step 3 | Enter your NPI and the patient's MID number. |
| Step 4 | If the claim you want to adjust was rejected, change the "P" in the S/LOC field to an "R." |
| Step 5 | Change the 2nd digit of your type of bill, if needed (ex, 33 changed to a 32, 81 changed to an 82). Press Enter. |
| Step 6 | Select the claim you want to adjust |
| Step 7 | On FISS Page 01, enter a Claim Change Reason Code in the first available COND CODES field. If changing to make Medicare secondary, enter D7. If changing to make Medicare primary, enter D8. Refer to the Adjustments/Cancels (https://www.cgsmedicare.com/hhh/education/materials/adjustments_cancels.html) Web page for additional Claim Change Reason Code. Only use D9, when no other code best describes the adjustment request (e.g. conditional payment), or when there are multiple changes. An explanation must be entered in the REMARKS field when D9 is entered. |
| Step 8 | On FISS Page 02, delete each revenue code line and rekey all revenue code lines, ensuring units and charges appear as covered. (For information on deleting revenue code lines, refer to the 'Claims Correction' (http://www.cgsmedicare.com/hhh/education/materials/pdf/chapter_5-claims_correction_menu.pdf) section of the FISS Guide. |
| Step 9 | On FISS Page 03, enter an adjustment reason code "RM" in the ADJUSTMENT REASON CODE field. (If the field already contains data, key the RM over the top of the existing data.) |
| Step 10 | Enter the MSP information as indicated in the table for the appropriate MSP Process (A-J) above. |
| Step 11 | Submit the adjustment to Medicare by pressing 'F9' |

MSP Explanation Codes

MSP Explanation Codes are used in conditional payment situations to assist CGS with claim processing.

| Code | Description |
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| BE | Benefits are exhausted. |
| CD | Charges applied to co-payment, coinsurance or deductible. |

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| Code | Description |
|------|--|
| DA | 120 days have passed since the primary payer was billed. |
| DP | Delay in payment from liability insurer. |
| FG | Beneficiary did not follow guidelines of their primary health plan. Use only for out of network, untimely filing or no prior authorization. Indicate which of these guidelines was not followed. |
| LD | Response received from liability insurer stating they are not responsible for claim. |
| NB | Not a covered benefit. |
| PC | Pre-existing condition. |
| PE | * No-Fault (also known as PIP) has been exhausted toward medical expenses. |
| PP | Beneficiary paid by liability insurer. NOTE: May not be used for medical payment insurance payments to the beneficiary (VC 14). Providers are required to pursue those dollars. |

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Medicare Secondary Payer (MSP) Billing Codes (UB-04 FL)

Refer to the Hospice Medicare Billing Codes Sheet at https://www.cgsmedicare.com/hhh/education/materials/pdf/hospice_medicare_billing_codes_sheet.pdf or the Home Health Medicare Billing Codes Sheet at https://www.cgsmedicare.com/hhh/education/materials/pdf/home_health_billing_codes.pdf for additional billing information.

| Condition Codes (FL18-28) | | Occurrence Codes (FL31-34) | |
|---------------------------|--|----------------------------|---|
| Code | Description | Code | Description |
| 02 | Condition is employment related | 01 | Accident/Med pay (use with VC 14 or 47) |
| 05 | Lien has been filed | 02 | No-fault insurance involved-including auto accident/other |
| 06 | ESRD patient in first 30 months of entitlement | 03 | Accident - liability (includes underinsured and uninsured) (use with VC 47) |
| 08 | Beneficiary would not provide information concerning other insurance coverage | 04 | Accident/employment related (use with VC 15) |
| 09 | Neither patient nor spouse is employed | 06 | Crime victim |
| 10 | Patient and/or spouse is employed but no GHP coverage exists | 18 | Date of retirement patient/beneficiary (use with VC 12, 13, or 43) |
| 11 | Disabled beneficiary but no GHP coverage | 19 | Date of retirement spouse (use with VC 12, 13, or 43) |
| 28 | Patient and/or spouse's GHP is secondary | 24 | Date insurance denied |
| 29 | Disabled beneficiary and/or family member's GHP is secondary to Medicare | 25 | Date benefit terminated (use with VC 14 or 15) |
| 77 | Provider accepts or is obligated/required due to a contractual agreement or law to accept payment by a primary payer as payment in full. No Medicare payment will be made. | 33 | First day of coordination period for ESRD beneficiaries covered by GHP (use with VC 13) |
| | | A3 | Benefits exhausted (payer A) (use with VC 12, 13, or 43) |

| Description | Value Codes: | Payer Codes: | Remarks FL 80 |
|--|------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| | FL39-41 | PAYER/FL 50 | MSP Explanation Codes* |
| Working aged beneficiary/spouse with GHP | 12 | A | BE, CD, FG, NB, PC |
| ESRD beneficiary in 30-month coordination period with GHP | 13 | B | BE, CD, FG, NB, PC |
| No-fault, including auto/other | 14 | D | BE, CD, DA, NB, PE |
| Workers' compensation | 15 | E | BE, DA, FG, NB |
| Public health service (PHS) or other federal agency (Ex: crime victim, drug trial) | 16 | F | |
| Black lung | 41 | H | BE, NB |
| Disabled beneficiary under age 65 with large group health plan (LGHP) | 43 | G | BE, CD, FG, NB, PC |
| Amount provider agreed to accept from primary payer when this amount is less than charges, but higher than payment received. (Enter the total amount you agreed to or are obligated to accept.) NOTE: Value Code 44 should not be reported with payer code 'C.' | 44 | Use appropriate Payer Code A-H or L | |
| Liability insurance | 47 | L | BE, DA, DP, LD PP |
| Conditional payment (payment denied or applied to deductible) NOTE: Do not submit value code 44 with Payer Code 'C.' (conditional payment). | Any of the above | C | BE, CD, DA, DP, FG, LD, NB, PC, PE, PP |

* MSP Explanation Codes are used in conditional payment situations to assist CGS with claim processing. Refer to page 17 for the codes/descriptions, or the MSP Processes for applicable codes/descriptions.

| Relationship Codes (REL/FL59) | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|------|----------------------|------|------------------------------|------|---|
| Code | Description | Code | Description | Code | Description | Code | Description |
| 01 | Spouse | 17 | Stepson/stepdaughter | 23 | Sponsored dependent | 39 | Organ donor |
| 04 | Grandfather/grandmother | 18 | Self | 24 | Dependent of minor dependent | 40 | Cadaver donor |
| 05 | Grandson/granddaughter | 19 | Child | 29 | Significant other | 41 | Injured plaintiff |
| 07 | Nephew/niece | 20 | Employee | 32 | Mother | 43 | Child where insured has no financial responsibility |
| 10 | Foster child | 21 | Unknown | 33 | Father | 53 | Life partner |
| 15 | Ward | 22 | Handicap dependent | 36 | Emancipated minor | G8 | Other relationship |

For a complete list of all UB-04 codes, go to the National Uniform Billing Committee website, <http://www.nubc.org>.

UB-04 to 5010 Crosswalk for MSP

The following crosswalk provides ASC 837 Version 5010A2 Loop and Segment information that corresponds to the UB-04 form locators required for each of the Medicare Secondary Payer (MSP) processes.



| MSP Process | UB-04 FL | UB-04 Field | ASC837 v5010A2 Loop, Segment |
|---|----------|----------------------|--|
| Process D | FL 18-28 | CONDITION CODES | Loop 2300, HI01-2 (HI01-1=BG) Loop 2300, HI02-2 (HI02-1=BG) Loop 2300, HI03-2 (HI03-1=BG) Loop 2300, HI04-2 (HI04-1=BG) Loop 2300, HI05-2 (HI05-1=BG) Loop 2300, HI06-2 (HI06-1=BG) Loop 2300, HI07-2 (HI07-1=BG) |
| Process B Process C Process D Process F Process H Process I Process J | FL 31-34 | OCCURRENCE CODE/DATE | Loop 2300, HI01-2 (HI01-1= BH) HI01-4 Loop 2300, HI02-2 (HI02-1= BH) HI02-4 Loop 2300, HI03-2 (HI03-1= BH) HI03-4 Loop 2300, HI04-2 (HI04-1= BH) HI04-4 Loop 2300, HI05-2 (HI05-1= BH) HI05-4 Loop 2300, HI06-2 (HI06-1= BH) HI06-4 Loop 2300, HI07-2 (HI07-1= BH) HI07-4 Loop 2300, HI08-2 (HI08-1= BH) HI08-4 |
| All MSP Processes A - J | FL 39-41 | VALUE CODES/AMOUNT | Loop 2300, HI01-2 (HI01-1= BE) HI01-5 Loop 2300, HI02-2 (HI02-1= BE) HI02-5 Loop 2300, HI03-2 (HI03-1= BE) HI03-5 Loop 2300, HI04-2 (HI04-1= BE) HI04-5 Loop 2300, HI05-2 (HI05-1= BE) HI05-5 Loop 2300, HI06-2 (HI06-1= BE) HI06-5 Loop 2300, HI07-2 (HI07-1= BE) HI07-5 Loop 2300, HI08-2 (HI08-1= BE) HI08-5 Loop 2300, HI09-2 (HI09-1= BE) HI09-5 Loop 2300, HI10-2 (HI10-1= BE) HI10-5 Loop 2300, HI11-2 (HI11-1= BE) HI11-5 Loop 2300, HI12-2 (HI12-1= BE) HI12-5 |

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| MSP Process | UB-04 FL | UB-04 Field | ASC837 v5010A2 Loop, Segment |
|---|----------|----------------------------------|---|
| All MSP Processes A - J | FL 50 | PAYER NAME | Loop 2330B, NM1/PR/03 |
| All MSP Processes A - J | FL 51 | HEALTH PLAN ID | Loop 2330B, NM1/PR/09 |
| All MSP Processes A - J | FL58 | INSURED'S NAME | Loop 2010BA, NM1/IL/03, 04, 05 Loop 2330A, NM1/IL/03, 04, 05 |
| All MSP Processes A - J | FL59 | P. REL | Loop 2000B, SBR02 |
| All MSP Processes A - J | FL60 | INSURED'S UNIQUE ID | Loop 2010BA, NM1/IL/09 |
| Process A Process B Process C Process D Process F Process H Process J | FL61 | GROUP NAME | Loop 2000B,SBR04 |
| Process A Process B Process C Process D Process F Process H Process J | FL62 | INSURANCE GROUP NO | Loop 2000B,SBR03 |
| Home Health Providers Only | FL63 | TREATMENT AUTHORIZATION CODES | Loop 2300,REF/G1/02 |
| All MSP Processes A - J | | | |
| All MSP Processes A - J | FL80 | REMARKS | Loop 2300, NTE/ADD/01 Loop 2300, NTE02 (NTE01=ADD) |

Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) 5010 Format

MSP claims/adjustments submitted electronically (5010 format) must include Claim Adjustment Segment (CAS) information. When submitting via 5010, CAS information is reported in Loops 2320 – 2330I as follows:

| | |
|-------------|---|
| PAID DATE | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2330B DTP segment Primary Adjudication or Payment Date |
| PAID AMOUNT | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2320 AMT segment Primary Payer Paid Amount |
| GRP | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2320 CAS segment Claim Level Adjustments• CAS01 CO PR OA |
| CARC | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2320 CAS segment Claim Level Adjustments• CAS02 Adjustment Reason Code• CAS05, CAS08, CAS11, CAS14, CAS17 if multiple CARCs for the same group code |
| AMT | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2320 CAS segment Claim Level Adjustments• CAS03 Adjustment Amount• CAS06, CAS09, CAS12, CAS15, CAS18 if multiple CARCs for the same group code |