

# Hennepin Health

## 837p Standard Companion Guide

**Refers to the Implementation Guides Based on ASC  
X12 version 005010**

## CORE v5010 Master Companion Guide

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**Preface**

This Companion Guide to the v5010 ASC X12N Implementation Guides and associated errata adopted under HIPAA clarifies and specifies the data content when exchanging electronically with Hennepin Health. Transmissions based on this companion guide, used in tandem with the v5010 ASC X12N Implementation Guides, are compliant with both ASC X12 syntax and those guides. This Companion Guide is intended to convey information that is within the framework of the ASC X12N Implementation Guides adopted for use under HIPAA. The Companion Guide is not intended to convey information that in any way exceeds the requirements or usages of data expressed in the Implementation Guides.

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## 1 INTRODUCTION

### OVERVIEW

This document highlights information that is specific to Hennepin Health. The information presented in this document is intended to be used *in addition* to the guidelines set forth by relevant state and federal agencies.

### REFERENCES

Entities subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 62J.536 and related rules must follow the data content and other transaction specific information of the applicable Minnesota Uniform Companion Guide. A copy of the Minnesota Uniform Companion Guide is available at no charge from the Minnesota Department of Health at: <https://www.health.state.mn.us/facilities/ehealth/auc/guides/index.html>.

### WORKING WITH HENNEPIN HEALTH

Hennepin Health follows the legislative standards outlined in Minnesota statute [62J.536](#). Per this statute, all claims submitted to Hennepin Health must be submitted electronically, following American National Standards Institute, Accredited Standards Committee X12 standard transactions or National Council for Prescription Drug Program (NCPDP) standards. No paper claim submissions will be accepted.

Providers are required to adhere to State of Minnesota Uniform Companion guide requirements and the Administrative Uniformity Committee (AUC) Best Practices for claims submission. These documents are available [on the AUC website](#).

Hennepin Health contracts with **Payer Connectivity Services (PCS)**, part of Change Healthcare, to receive, test, and send HIPAA-compliant mandated transactions. Services provided by PCS can be performed in batch transactions, or as real-time transactions.

### TRADING PARTNER REGISTRATION

Hennepin Health does not contract directly with providers as trading partners. **Payer Connectivity Services (PCS)**, on behalf of Hennepin Health, works with several clearinghouses. If you would like to become a trading partner with Hennepin Health, please contact one of the clearinghouses listed below:

Clearinghouse Name	Phone	Website
Availity (835 only)	800-282-4548	<a href="http://www.availity.com">www.availity.com</a>
ClaimLynx	952-593-5969	<a href="http://www.claimlynx.com">www.claimlynx.com</a>
Change Healthcare	877-271-0054	<a href="http://www.changehealthcare.com">www.changehealthcare.com</a>
Infotech Global, Inc (IGI), aka MN e-Connect	877-444-7194	<a href="http://www.mneconnect.com">www.mneconnect.com</a>
Office Ally	866-575-4120	<a href="http://www.officeally.com">www.officeally.com</a>
RelayHealth	800-778-6711	<a href="http://www.changehealthcare.com">www.changehealthcare.com</a>

If you are unable to send electronic institutional and professional claims and/or electronic replacement/cancel claims, Hennepin Health, along with several other large Minnesota group purchasers, have secured the services of Infotech Global, Inc. (IGI) (aka MN e-Connect) to provide free Web-based services for provider data entry of ANSI X12 837 v5010 and AUC compliant claims.

Availity is not a direct submitter of 837 (claims) transactions to Hennepin Health. Providers using Availity as their claims submission clearinghouse can contact Availity directly if you would like to know how these are routed to Hennepin Health

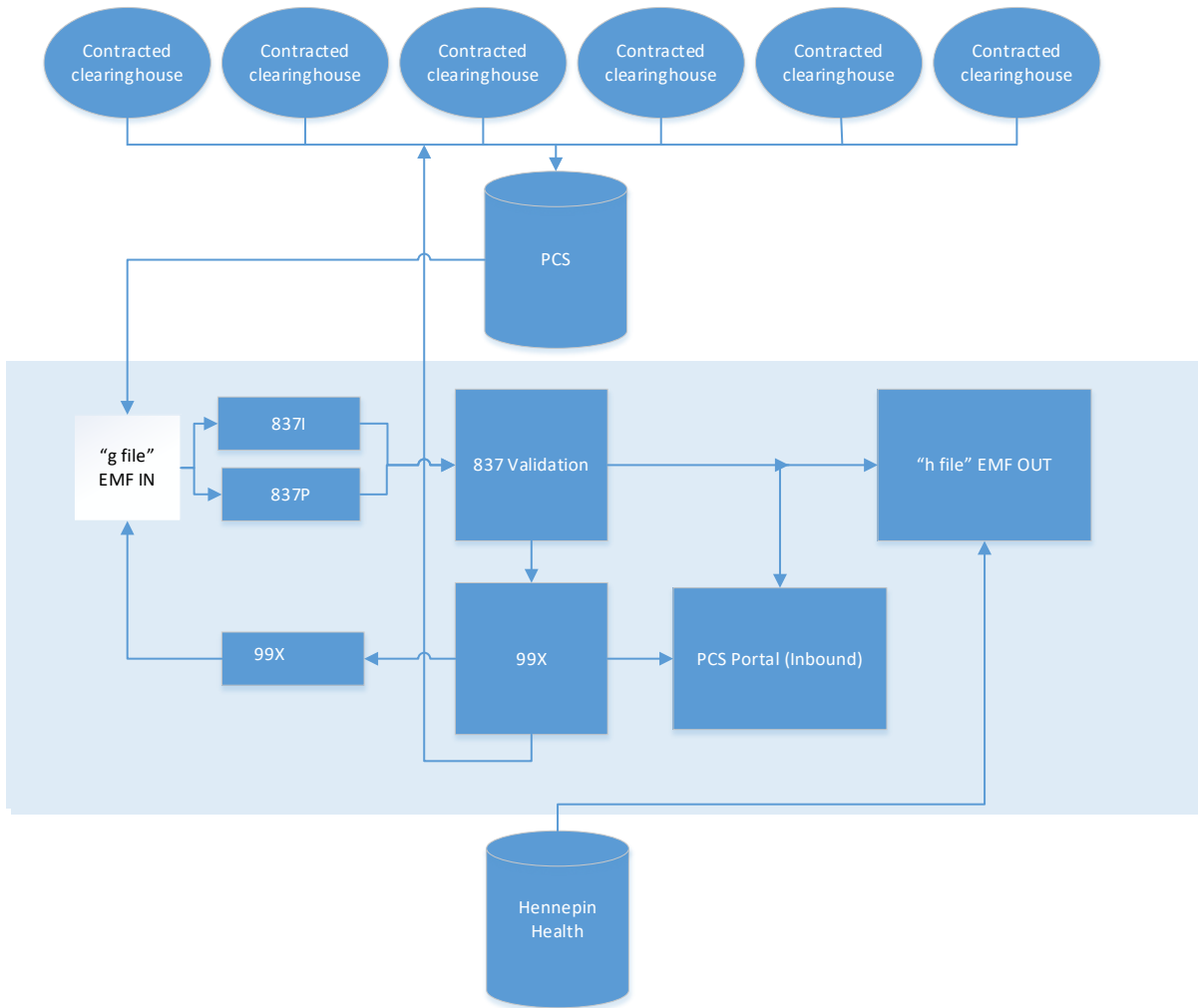
Electronic Remittance Advises (ERAs) will be sent to the same clearinghouse submitting the 837 transactions on behalf of the service provider. If you would like the ERA to be sent to a different clearinghouse than the one used for claims submissions, follow the steps in the implementation checklist Hennepin Health's 835 Companion Guide.

**2 TESTING WITH THE PAYER**

If testing is required, testing will be conducted by your selected clearinghouse in conjunction with Payer Connectivity Services. Please contact your selected clearinghouse for testing requirements.

**3 CONNECTIVITY WITH THE PAYER/COMMUNICATIONS**

**PROCESS FLOW DIAGRAM**



**RE-TRANSMISSION PROCEDURE**

Please contact PCS in cases where re-transmission is needed. PCS will provide instructions and guidance.

**4 CONTACT INFORMATION**

**EDI CUSTOMER SERVICE**

Email: [CHC\\_pcssupport@changehealthcare.com](mailto:CHC_pcssupport@changehealthcare.com)

**EDI TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE**

Email: CHC\_pcssupport@changehealthcare.com

**PROVIDER SERVICE NUMBER**

Phone: 800-647-0550, option 2

**5 CONTROL SEGMENTS/ENVELOPES EXAMPLES**

**ISA-IEA**

ISA\*00\* \*00\* \*ZZ\* {Sender ID} \*ZZ\*6005801  
\*181203\*2127\*^\*00501\*000002459\*0\*P\*::~~  
IEA\*1\*000002459~

6005801 is Hennepin Health's receiver ID

**GS-GE**

GS\*HC\*133052274\*{RECEIVING UNIT}\*20181203\*212718\*2459\*X\*005010X222A1~  
GE\*380\*2459~

**6 PAYER SPECIFIC BUSINESS RULES AND LIMITATIONS**

**MINNESOTA STATUTES**

Entities subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 62J.536 and related rules must follow the data content and other transaction specific information of the applicable Minnesota Uniform Companion Guide. A copy of the Minnesota Uniform Companion Guide is available from the Minnesota Department of Health at no charge at: <https://www.health.state.mn.us/facilities/ehealth/auc/guides/index.html>.

**SNIP TESTING**

A list of all SNIP testing edits being applied by Hennepin Health can be found at <https://hennepinhealth.org/providers/resources>. The [SNIP 0-8 Error Code List \(XLS\)](#) is a reference document that contains a list of the error codes and corresponding error code descriptions for SNIP Levels 0 through 8 testing on 837 claims transactions

**NON-PARTICIPATING PROVIDERS**

Non-participating providers: Prior to submitting a claim, you must complete and submit a [provider information form \(PDF\)](#) and a [W9 for non-contracted providers form \(PDF\)](#). To prevent a delay in your claim being processed, please make sure the form is filled out accurately and completely. If you have any questions regarding claim inquiries, please contact Provider Services at 612-596-1036 from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

**BILLING NAME AND ADDRESS STANDARDS**

In order to expedite claims processing and ensure proper payment, Hennepin Health strongly recommends that billing providers fill out all address-related fields following [USPS Address Standards](#). In addition, please use the business name that matches the name as submitted on any W-9 forms or other contractual documents filed with Hennepin Health. Doing so will eliminate errors and ensure prompt and accurate payment.

**7 ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS AND/OR REPORTS**

In addition to the standard 999 and 277CA acknowledgement transactions, Hennepin Health provides a custom response report for each 837 received. The report contains more detailed, user-friendly language that is intended to assist providers who may have limited EDI transaction knowledge. The custom report is sent at the same time as the standard 999 and 277CA responses.

**CUSTOM REPORT EXAMPLE**

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*****
File Receive Date:      MM/DD/YYYY
File Name:              g0000123_000123456_HH_YYYYMMDD_NNNNNNN.837x.edi
Submitter:              OFFICEALLY
Interchange Control Number: 001234567

Error Severity Legend:  2 - Warning, 3 - Error, 4 - Fatal
*****

Billing Provider ID:    {TAX ID}
Group Control Number:  1234567

Claim_ID #             Member_ID      DOB           Sex           Member_Name      Claim_Amount   Clearinghouse_ID   Error Severity   Reject Claim Error Message
-----
{PATIENT CONTROL #}   009876543      MM/DD/YYYY    U             {LAST NAME}      $543.21        NNNNNNNNN         3               {REJECTION REASON}
                                                                2               {WARNING REASON}
-----

CLAIMS Rejected:      1
CLAIMS Accepted:     0
                      $543.21
                      $0.00
-----
CLAIMS Total:        1
*****
    
```

**8 TRANSACTION SPECIFIC INFORMATION**

The transaction-specific information for entities subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 62J.536 and related rules is incorporated by reference from the applicable Minnesota Uniform Companion Guide (MUCG) at: <https://www.health.state.mn.us/facilities/ehealth/auc/guides/index.html>. Readers are referred to the MUCG for information and instructions to comply with Minnesota’s requirements.

In addition to any requirements set forth by the Minnesota Uniform Companion Guide and the v5010 ASC X12N Implementation Guides, Hennepin Health makes the following recommendations for usage of the data elements listed below:

Page #	Table	Loop ID	POS #	Segment	Name	Data Element	Notes/Comments
79	Header	1000B	0200	NM1	Receiver Name	NM103	Value should be "Hennepin Health"
79	Header	1000B	0200	NM1	Receiver Name	NM109	Value should be "6005801"
83	Billing Provider Detail	2000A	0300	PRV	Billing Provider Specialty Information	PRV02	If taxonomy code is provided, it must be a valid code from CODE SOURCE 682: Health Care Provider Taxonomy
87	Billing Provider Detail	2010AA	0150	NM1	Billing Provider Name	NM102	Acceptable values: "1" should be used for <b>Sole proprietors</b> : The Billing Provider may be an individual only when the health care provider performing services is an independent, unincorporated entity. In these cases, the Billing Provider is the individual whose social security number is used for 1099 purposes. That individual's NPI is reported in NM109, and the individual's Tax Identification Number must be reported in the REF segment of this loop. The individual's NPI must be reported when the individual provider is eligible for an NPI. See section 1.10.1 (Providers who are Not Eligible for Enumeration). "2" should be used for non-person entities (i.e. hospital, clinic)
94	Billing Provider Detail	2010AA	0350	REF	Billing Provider Tax Identification	REF01	Send qualifier EI signaling Tax ID
96	Billing Provider Detail	2010AA	0350	REF	Billing Provider UPIN/License Information	REF02	Send Tax ID
101	Billing Provider Detail	2010AB	0150	NM1	Pay-to Address Name		Only required when the address for payment is different than that of the Billing Provider. Do not send if this information is the same as the billing provider.
106	Billing Provider Detail	2010AC	0150	NM1	Pay-to Plan Name		We do not use 837 data for subrogation purposes. Do not send.
108	Billing Provider Detail	2010AC	0250	N3	Pay-to Plan Address		We do not use 837 data for subrogation purposes. Do not send.
109	Billing Provider Detail	2010AC	0300	N4	Pay-to Plan City, State, ZIP Code		We do not use 837 data for subrogation purposes. Do not send.

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111	Billing Provider Detail	2010AC	0350	REF	Pay-to Plan Secondary Identification		We do not use 837 data for subrogation purposes. Do not send.
113	Billing Provider Detail	2010AC	0350	REF	Pay-to Plan Tax Identification Number		We do not use 837 data for subrogation purposes. Do not send.
116	Subscriber Detail	2000B	0050	SBR	Subscriber Information	SBR02	All Hennepin Health plan members are considered to be the subscriber. Value should be "18"
116	Subscriber Detail	2000B	0050	SBR	Subscriber Information	SBR09	File indicator is necessary and required for correct processing of COB claims
119	Subscriber Detail	2000B	0070	PAT	Patient Information		If a provider chooses to include PAT info, the data must match the SBR information
121	Subscriber Detail	2010BA	0150	NM1	Subscriber Name		Subscriber name must match exactly to subscriber information as found in HH provider portal
127	Subscriber Detail	2010BA	0320	DMG	Subscriber Demographic Information		Birthdate and gender must match information as found in the HH provider portal
130	Subscriber Detail	2010BA	0350	REF	Property and Casualty Claim Number		This segment is not a HIPAA requirement as of this writing.
133	Subscriber Detail	2010BB	0150	NM1	Payer Name	NM103	Payer name is "Hennepin Health"
133	Subscriber Detail	2010BB	0150	NM1	Payer Name	NM109	"6005801"
140	Subscriber Detail	2010BB	0350	REF	Billing Provider Secondary Information		If the provider is a health care provider as defined under federal standards, then the only identifier that is valid is the NPI with the exception of the billing loop. For the billing provider, a secondary identifier of the TIN is also required.
140	Subscriber Detail	2010BB	0350	REF	Reference Identification Qualifier	REF01	Send G2 Qualifier if provider has an UMPI
140	Subscriber Detail	2010BB	0350	REF	Billing Provider Secondary Identifier	REF02	Send UMPI if applicable.
142	Patient Detail	2000C	0010	PAT	Patient Information		All Hennepin Health members are considered subscribers. Do not use.
147	Patient Detail	2010CA	0150	NM1	Patient Name		All Hennepin Health members are considered subscribers. Do not use.
152	Patient Detail	2010CA	0320	DMG	Patient Demographic Information		All Hennepin Health members are considered subscribers. Do not use.
209	Claim Information	2300	1900	NTE	Note/ Special Instructions	NTE02	For ambulance claims, use to indicate multiple trips on the same day. Include pick-up date and time.
223	Claim Information	2300	2200	CRC	EPSDT Referral		If code S0302 is billed, one of four acceptable procedure codes (NU, ST, AV, S2) must also be present
257	Patient Detail	2310A	2500	NM1	Referring Provider Name		If this segment is used, the referring provider must be an individual person.
260	Patient Detail	2310A	2710	REF	Referring Provider Secondary Information	REF02	Atypical providers should enter their UMPI here and G2 qualifier in REF 01.
262	Patient Detail	2310B	2500	NM1	Rendering Provider Name	NM102	If rendering provider is listed, the rendering provider must be an individual. Situationally required, depending on procedure code billed. See Hennepin Health Provider Resources for current list: <a href="https://hennepinhealth.org/providers/resources">https://hennepinhealth.org/providers/resources</a>
267	Patient Detail	2310B	2710	REF	Rendering Provider Secondary Identification	REF02	Atypical providers should enter their UMPI here and G2 qualifier in REF 01.
283	Patient Detail	2310D	2710	REF	Supervising Provider Secondary Information	REF02	Atypical providers should enter their UMPI here and G2 qualifier in REF 01.
299	Patient Detail	2320	2950	CAS	Claim Level Adjustments		If other insurance is noted, this segment must be populated
305	Patient Detail	2320	3000	AMT	Coordination of Benefits (COB) Payer Paid Amount		If other insurance is noted, this segment must be populated
306	Patient Detail	2320	3000	AMT	Coordination of Benefits (COB) Total Non-Covered Amount		If other insurance is noted, this segment must be populated
307	Patient Detail	2320	3000	AMT	Remaining Patient Liability		If other insurance is noted, this segment must be populated



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350	Patient Detail	2400	3650	LX	Service Line Number	The Service Line LX segment must begin with one and is incremented by one for each additional service line of a claim.
362	Patient Detail	2400	4200	PWK	Line Supplemental Information	Complete the AUC Cover Sheet for Health Care Claims (required for all attachments in Minnesota). Do not use the AUC Appeals Cover Sheet. Use the AUC Uniform Cover Sheet only for electronic claims that require an attachment. Do not use the AUC Uniform Cover Sheet without an attachment control number (ACN) or to submit authorization requests that require attachments.
366	Patient Detail	2400	4200	PWK	Durable Medical Equipment Certificate of Medical Necessity Indicator	Complete the AUC Cover Sheet for Health Care Claims (required for all attachments in Minnesota). Do not use the AUC Appeals Cover Sheet. Use the AUC Uniform Cover Sheet only for electronic claims that require an attachment. Do not use the AUC Uniform Cover Sheet without an attachment control number (ACN) or to submit authorization requests that require attachments.
399	Patient Detail	2400	4700	REF	Prior Authorization	Common carrier providers must include prior authorization number
411	Patient Detail	2400	4800	K3	File Information	Follow AUC standards for worker's compensation insurance state code and/or tooth number/oral cavity
423	Drug Identification	2410	4930	LIN	Drug Identification	Visit <a href="http://minnesota.magellanmedicaid.com/drug_search.asp">http://minnesota.magellanmedicaid.com/drug_search.asp</a> for current list
426	Drug Identification	2410	4940	CTP	Drug Quantity	Always required if Drug Identification is present
428	Drug Identification	2410	4950	REF	Prescription or Compound Drug Association Number	Tied to previous two items
430	Rendering Provider Name	2420A	5000	NM1	Rendering Provider Name	If rendering provider is listed, the rendering provider must be an individual. Situationally required, depending on procedure code billed. See Hennepin Health Provider Resources for current list: <a href="https://hennepinhealth.org/providers/resources">https://hennepinhealth.org/providers/resources</a>
434	Rendering Provider Name	2420A	5250	REF	Rendering Provider Secondary Identification	Atypical providers should enter their UMPI here and G2 qualifier in REF 01.

**APPENDICES**

**1. IMPLEMENTATION CHECKLIST**

- Register with Trading Partner or clearinghouse (for list of available clearinghouses, see pg. 4)
- Create and sign contract with trading partner or clearinghouse.
- Establish connectivity with clearinghouse.
- Send test transactions to clearinghouse.
- If testing succeeds, proceed to send production transactions.

**Non-participating providers:**

- Prior to submitting a claim, you must complete and submit a [provider information form](#) and a [W-9 for non-contracted providers form](#)

**2. BUSINESS SCENARIOS**

**A. RENDERING PROVIDER REQUIREMENTS:**

Hennepin Health tests all incoming 837 Professional transactions against its Rendering Provider requirements. This will return or reject claims with specific procedure codes ([See D412 procedure code list \(PDF\)](#)) where an individual (person) billing or rendering provider is needed but not included. The testing of incoming 837 professional transactions for the inclusion of an individual rendering provider when needed, will take into consideration both Billing and Rendering provider segments of an 837 Professional transaction:

1. The Billing provider may be an individual only when the health care provider performing services is an independent, unincorporated entity. When a HCPCS code on the list is submitted and the transaction does not include a rendering provider segment at either the claim header or service line levels, the billing provider needs to be a person and not an organization (NM1\*85\*1).

**Examples:**

Billing Provider Name Segment, Loop 2010AA

a) NM1\*85\*2\*ABC Group Practice\*\*\*\*XX\*1234567890~

*-If HCPC on the list, this claim will be rejected*

b) NM1\*85\*1\*Public\*John\*Q\*\*\*\*XX\*1234567890

*-If HCPC code submitted is on list, this claim will be accepted.*

2. When a HCPCS code on the list is submitted and the Billing Provider Name is an organization (NM1\*85\*2\*), the transaction must contain a Rendering Provider Segment (person) either at the claim or service line levels (NM1\*82\*1). If either of these segments are not present or these are presented as an organization, then the claim is rejected.

**Examples:**

Rendering Provider Segments Loops 2310B and 2420A – (Required when the Rendering Provider information is different than that carried in Loop ID-2010AA - Billing Provider)

a) NM1\*82\*1\*DOE\*JANE\*C\*\*\*\*XX\*1234567804~

*-If HCPC code submitted on list and Billing Provider is an organization, claim is accepted*

b) NM1\*82\*2\*HCMC\*\*\*\*XX\*1234567804~

*-If HCPC code submitted on list and Billing Provider is an organization, claim will be rejected.*

**B. SOLE PRIOPRIETOR**

The Billing Provider may be an individual only when the services were performed by, and will be paid to, an independent, non-incorporated individual. In these cases, the Billing Provider is the individual whose Tax Identification Number (TIN) is used for IRS Form 1099 purposes. That individual's NPI is reported in NM109, and the individual's TIN must be reported in the REF segment of Loop ID-2010AA. The individual's NPI must be reported when the individual provider is eligible for an NPI.

**Example:**

NM1\*85\*1\*First name\*last\*\*\*\*XX\*NPI~

N3\*123 Down D St~  
N4\*MPLS\*MN\*554041234~  
REF\*EI\*TIN~

### **C. BILLING FOR NEWBORNS**

All Hennepin Health members are considered to be the Subscriber on the plan. DO NOT write the parent's name in either the patient or subscriber loops. Doing so will result in rejection of the claim.

The name on a newborn's account may initially be set to a generic name (i.e. "Baby Girl", "Baby Boy"), then updated as their paperwork is processed through DHS. We recommend checking the member's information on the Hennepin Health portal to find the current member name information. Check HH eligibility and use member's name exactly.

### **D. AMBULANCE SERVICE BILLING**

Hennepin Health follows Medicare coding guidelines for emergency ambulance services in accordance with guidelines from Minnesota AUC. Only ambulance HCPCS codes and modifiers, as defined by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), can be used to bill for emergency medical services (ambulance).

When billing for multiple trips provided on the same day, use the NTE- CLAIM NOTE segment (Loop 2300- Claim Information) to provide additional information to substantiate the need for multiple trips on the same date. Do not use non-ambulance modifiers (e.g. 76) to indicate multiple trips.

The provider should use the claims note to indicate when one of the two trips provided is a second trip and not a duplicate.

#### **Example:**

- First claim - NTE\*ADD\*DOS 08/06/2019 First XPRT same day, pick up time 7:55 PM~
- Second Claim - NTE\*ADD\*DOS 08/06/2019 Second XPRT same day, pick up time 11:00 PM~