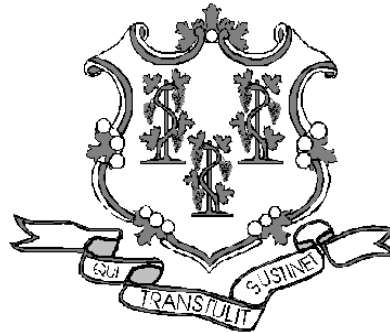




**Connecticut Department  
of Social Services**

*Caring for Connecticut*

# Connecticut Medical Assistance Program (CMAP) Home Health Provider Billing Workshop Review 2013



Presented by  
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# WORKSHOP AGENDA

- ✓ CHC Program Changes
- ✓ Web Capabilities
- ✓ Eligibility Verification
- ✓ Care Plan Access
- ✓ Claim Processing Guidelines
- ✓ Claim Denials/ Care Plan Issues/Resolution
- ✓ ACA OPR Requirements
- ✓ ICD-10 2014
- ✓ Resources/Contacts
- ✓ Questions

# CHC PROGRAM CHANGES

## CLAIM SUBMISSION

Effective for dates of service July 1, 2013:

- ***Home Health Agencies***– Will submit their medical service claims to HP using their existing Home Health Agency billing provider number used to submit medical claims directly to HP for HUSKY clients.
- ***Home Health Agencies*** will continue to submit **medical service** claims for CHC only clients for dates of service through June 30, 2013 directly to the Access Agencies for reimbursement.

# PROGRAM CHANGES

## CARE PLAN

All Home Health services and units of service billed **must** be on the care plan for the provider of service **to be reimbursed**.

Assessments and Status Reviews (serviced and billed by the Access Agencies) will **not** be on the care plan.

- Second status reviews in a Nursing Home requires PA.
  - A paper PA form must be submitted to HP.

# SECURE WEB PORTAL

Users have multiple access to logging on to their secure Web account from the [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com) Home page.

The screenshot shows the homepage of the Connecticut Department of Social Services. The header includes the department's name and logo, with the tagline "-- Caring for Connecticut --". The date is Sunday, May 26, 2013. The main navigation bar includes links for Home, Information, Provider, Trading Partner, ConnPACE, and Pharmacy Information. A dropdown menu is open under the 'Provider' link, listing various services such as Provider Enrollment, Re-enrollment, Tracking, Matrix, Services, Search, Drug Search, Fee Schedule Download, EHR Incentive Program, OOS Instructions/Information, and Secure Site. The 'Secure Site' link is highlighted with an orange box. The main content area features a large 'WELCOME' message and a description of the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program website. At the bottom, there are five icons representing different services: Information (stack of books), Provider (stethoscope), Trading Partner (key), ConnPACE (mortar and pestle), and Pharmacy (Rx bottle). The 'Provider' icon is also highlighted with an orange box.

# WEB ACCOUNT CAPABILITIES

*Accessing your provider secure web account allows you to:*

- **Update your demographic information :**
  - Chapter 10-Web Portal/AVRS-Section 10.16 Provider Demographic Maintenance
  
- **Set Up clerk accounts:**
  - **Chapter 10-Web Portal/AVRS-Section 10.9.3** Creating Clerk Accounts
  
- **Switch Provider:**
  - Switch from one provider to another, to allow clerks that have been associated to multiple provider accounts easy access.
  - **Chapter 10-Web Portal/AVRS-Section 10.9.4.3** Ongoing Clerk Maintenance
  
- **Check client eligibility via the Web:**
  - **Chapter 4-Client Eligibility-Section 4.4** Internet Web Site Portal Eligibility
  
- **Access client care plans:**
  - Care Plan Inquiry (Access Agencies)
  - Prior Authorization Inquiry (CHC Service Providers)
    - **Chapter 10-Web Portal/AVRS-Section 10.12.2** Searching for PA Request

# WEB ACCOUNT CAPABILITIES CONT.

- **Create and Submit claims:**
  - Web claim format is HIPAA 5010 compliant
  - Institutional
  - **Chapter 10**-Web Portal/AVRS-Section 10.10 Claim Submission, Resubmission, Adjustments and Inquiry
  
- **Perform claim inquiries:**
  - **Chapter 10**-Web Portal/AVRS-Section 10.10.4 Searching for a Claim
  
- **Resubmit, Adjust, Void, and Copy claims:**
  - Even those previously submitted electronically or via paper.
  - Region 12 and 13 claims cannot be adjusted.
  - **Chapter 10**-Web Portal/AVRS-Section 10.10.5 Adjusting and Resubmitting Claims

# SWITCH PROVIDER FUNCTION

- If multiple providers create clerk accounts using an **identical clerk User ID**, the clerk in question will have the ability to switch back and forth between submitting online transactions for those providers.
  - To switch between providers, select **switch provider** from either the *Account* submenu or the *Account* drop-down menu.
  - Select the line of the provider you wish to switch to; click **switch to**. A window will appear asking you to verify the switch; click **ok**.

Switch Provider									
Trading Partner/ Provider ID	Provider AVRS ID	Provider Type	Address	City	State	Zip	Zip + 4	Default Provider/ Trading Partner	
1234567890	NPI	123456	Dentist	15 MAIN STREET	WILLIMANTIC	CT	06226	1948	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
1122334450	NPI	111222	Clinic	47 CRESCENT STREET	WILLIMANTIC	CT	06226	3606	<input type="checkbox"/>

Select row above to update.

Current Provider/Trading Partner	1234567890	NPI	Address	15 MAIN STREET
Provider/Trading Partner ID	1234567890	NPI	City	WILLIMANTIC
Provider AVRS ID	123456		State	CT
Provider Type	Dentist		Zip	06226 1948
Default Provider/Trading Partner	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			



# WEB CLAIM INQUIRY

- To search for claims using the [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com) secure site, click on the claims > claim inquiry tab on the main menu.

Home Information Provider Trading Partner ConnPACE Pharmacy Information **Claims** Eligibility Prior Authorization Hospice Trade Files MAPIR Messages Account

home **claim inquiry** professional institutional dental claim history for specific services

### Claim Search

ICN	<input type="text"/>	Claim Type	<input type="text"/>
Client ID	<input type="text"/>	Status	<input type="text"/>
TCN	<input type="text"/>	FDate Paid	<input type="text"/>
FDOS	<input type="text"/>	TDate Paid	<input type="text"/>
TDOS	<input type="text"/>	Pending Claims	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prescription No (Pharmacy Only)	<input type="text"/>	Exclude Adjusted Claims	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Records	20

- Enter enough information to satisfy at least one of the following criteria listed below and then click search.
  - ICN, From and Through Dates of Service, From and Through Dates of Payment* or check off the *Pending Claims* box.

Claim Search **MCD**

ICN	<input type="text"/>	Claim Type	<input type="text"/>
Client ID	<input type="text"/>	Status	<input type="text"/>
TCN	<input type="text"/>	FDate Paid	<input type="text"/>
FDOS	<input type="text"/>	TDate Paid	<input type="text"/>
TDOS	<input type="text"/>	Pending Claims	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prescription No (Pharmacy Only)	<input type="text"/>	Exclude Adjusted Claims	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Records	20

# WEB CLAIM INQUIRY

Once a claim has been submitted (*Using any method of claim submission*), providers have many options to submit re-submit claims, based on the status of the claim.

- **Paid claims allow you to:**
  - ✓ Cancel any alterations you have made.
  - ✓ Adjust the claim.
  - ✓ Void the claim.
  - ✓ Copy the claim and use it as a template to create a new claim.
  - ✓ Create a new claim from scratch.
- **Denied claims allow you to:**
  - ✓ Resubmit the claim. (With or without making changes)
  - ✓ Cancel any alterations you have made.
  - ✓ Create a new claim from scratch.
- **Suspended claims allow you to:**
  - ✓ Create a new claim from scratch.

\*\* For further information please refer to **Chapter 10** of the provider manual **section-10.10.4 Searching for a Claim** located at [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com).\*\*

# Web Claim Submission Benefits

- **Top 5 reasons to use the Web claim submission tool:**
  - Easily resubmit previously denied claims.
  - Submit secondary claims containing payments or denials from Other Insurance or Medicare.
  - Adjust claims on the Web and eliminate paper Paid Claim Adjustment Requests (PCAR).
  - Claim results are immediate.
  - Eliminate paper claims.

Learn more by attending a Web Claim Submission Workshop. The workshop schedule is located at [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com) Homepage> Provider> Provider Services> Provider Training.

# ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION

- DSS recommends that providers verify a client's eligibility on the date of service prior to performing the service, doing so will prevent unnecessary claim denials such as;
  - The client was not eligible on the date of service.
  - The service provided was not a covered service under the client's benefit plan.
  
- Eligibility verification can be performed in the following ways:
  - Internet Web site at [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com).
  - Automated Voice Response System (AVRS).
  - Vendor software utilizing the ASC X12N 270/271 Health Care Eligibility/Benefit Inquiry and Information Response transaction.

\*\* Ineligibility at the time of verification does **not** mean the provider will not be paid for the service rendered to a “CHC only” client.

# ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION

- To verify a CMAP client's eligibility through the secure site – click on the **Eligibility** tab on the main menu.

Home Information Provider Trading Partner ConnPACE Pharmacy Information Claims **Eligibility** Prior Authorization Trade Files MAPIR Messages Account

- Enter enough data to satisfy at least one of the **valid search combinations**; click **search**.

## Valid Search Combinations

- Client ID + SSN
- Client ID + Birth Date
- Birth Date + SSN
- Full Name + SSN
- Full Name + Birth Date

Eligibility Response Quick Reference Guide

## Eligibility Verification Request

Client ID	<input type="text"/>	last name	<input type="text" value="DOE"/>	From DOS*	<input type="text" value="03/24/2013"/>
SSN	<input type="text" value="123-45-6789"/>	First Name, MI	<input type="text" value="JOHN"/> <input type="text" value="S"/>	To DOS*	<input type="text" value="03/24/2013"/>
Birth Date	<input type="text"/>				
Service Type Code 1	<input type="text" value="30 - Health Benefit Plan Coverage"/>	Service Type Code 2	<input type="text"/>		
Service Type Code 3	<input type="text"/>	Service Type Code 4	<input type="text"/>		
Service Type Code 5	<input type="text"/>				

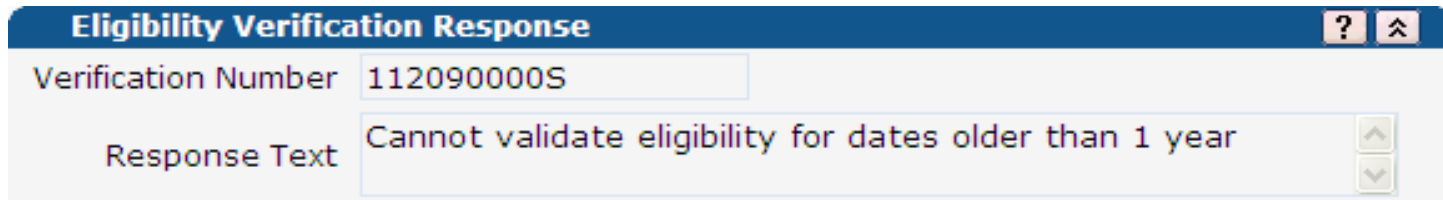
search

clear

- \*\*When entering a full name as part of your search, a middle initial is required if present in their CMAP profile.\*\***

# ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION

- The ***Eligibility Verification Response*** window provides the search results.



The screenshot shows a window titled "Eligibility Verification Response" with a blue header bar containing a question mark icon and an upward arrow icon. Below the header, there are two input fields. The first field is labeled "Verification Number" and contains the text "112090000S". The second field is labeled "Response Text" and contains the text "Cannot validate eligibility for dates older than 1 year". To the right of the "Response Text" field are two small arrow icons, one pointing up and one pointing down.

- **Eligibility verification can only look as far back as one year.**
- **Eligibility searches cannot span multiple months.**
  - 04/15/2013 – 05/14/2013 (invalid span)
  - 05/24/2013 – 05/29/2013 (valid span)

This search will allow providers to search for eligibility to the end of the month (future dates). Providers must validate eligibility on the actual date of service.

- ***Eligibility Verification Response***
  - Provides a verification number that should be kept on record in case the client's coverage is retroactively changed at a later date.
  - Reports client's eligibility status for the requested date(s) of service.

## Eligibility Verification Response



Verification Number

Response Text

## Client Information

Client ID	<input type="text" value="009999999"/>	Last Name	<input type="text" value="THOMAS"/>
SSN	<input type="text" value="111-99-9999"/>	First Name, MI	<input type="text" value="THOMAS"/> <input type="text"/>
Birth Date	<input type="text" value="01/20/1997"/>	Street	<input type="text" value="1 MAIN ST"/>
Gender	<input type="text" value="M"/>	City, State, Zip	<input type="text" value="TORRINGTON, CT 06790"/>

## Benefit Plan

Service Information <sup>▲</sup>	Benefit Month Effective Date	Effective Date	End Date
Husky C. For Behavioral Health Services, call BHP at 877-552-8247.	01/01/2012	01/11/2012	01/22/2012

## Service Type Codes - HP Services

Service Type Code <sup>▲</sup>	Service Type Information
1	Medical Care
33	Chiropractic
35	Dental Care
4	Diagnostic X-Ray
42	Home Health Care
45	Hospice
47	Hospital
5	Diagnostic Lab
54	Long Term Care
56	Medically Related Trans

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## Lockin

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## Medicare

Coverage <sup>▲</sup>  
Medicare A

# ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION

## – *Benefit Plan*

- The benefit plan(s) with which the client was an active member on the date(s) of service requested.

***Client is covered for “Medicare Covered Services” for the effective/end dates of service verified. Home Health claims will deny.***

Benefit Plan			
Service Information	Benefit Month Effective Date	Effective Date	End Date
Medicare Covered Services	05/01/2013	05/25/2013	05/25/2013

***Client is covered for “Medicare Covered Services” and is a state funded CHC, HUSKY CHC Waiver or HUSKY only client for the effective/end dates of service verified. Medical services will deny to bill Medicare first. Provider must submit claim with the required adjustment reason code and date HHABN or NOMNC was issued to the client.***

Benefit Plan			
Service Information ▲	Benefit Month Effective Date	Effective Date	End Date
CT Home Care Community Based Case Managed State Funded	05/01/2013	05/25/2013	05/25/2013
Medicare Covered Services	05/01/2013	05/25/2013	05/25/2013



# ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION

***When clients are covered for the CHC Assessment only, no other medical CHC services will be covered for the effective/end date of service verified.***

Benefit Plan				
Service Information	Benefit Month	Effective Date	Effective Date	End Date
CT Home Care Assessment Only State Funded	02/05/2013		02/05/2013	02/05/2013

## ***Lockin***

***Note1: The hospice develops a plan of care that coordinates with the waiver case manager to eliminate overlap of services. These services must appear on the care plan.***

***Note2: Home Health Services for HUSKY only clients locked into Hospice require PA.***

Lockin				
Lockin Type	Effective Date	End Date	Provider Name	Provider Phone
Hospice	08/05/2011	08/05/2011	HOSPICE AGENCY	(860)555-1234

# ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION

Benefit Plans eligible for CHC coverage with services required to be in the Care Plan:

- **CHC Waiver Benefit Plans** – *(Medical and non-medical services for elder and disabled clients in the CHC Program).*
  - ✓ 1915C CHC 1915i Case Managed Clients
  - ✓ 1915S CHC 1915i Self Directed Clients
  - ✓ CBCMD CHC Program for Disabled Adults Community Based
  - ✓ CBCMF CHC Community Based Case Managed Waiver
  - ✓ CBCMS CHC Community Based Case Managed State Funded
  - ✓ SDIRF CHC Self Directed Waiver
  - ✓ SDIRS CHC Self Directed State Funded

The following **HUSKY** clients may also be eligible for one of the above **CHC Waiver** benefit plans:

HUSKY A – *(Medical Services for low income families with dependent children)*

HUSKY C – *(Medical services for individuals who are aged, blind or disable)*

**Note:** Services for these clients must also be on the care plan.

\*\*For more information refer to section **4.4 Internet Web Site Portal Eligibility** in the **Chapter 4-Client Eligibility** provider manual located at [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com).\*\*

# CARE PLAN ACCESS

**Home Health Agencies** will have access to the care plans of the client's they service via the **secure Web portal** within the **Prior Authorization (PA) subsystem**.

- Each service on the care plan will have its own **unique PA#**.
- Each PA# will be tied to and **viewable** to the **servicing provider** via **PA inquiry**.
- *PA's already on file prior to July 1, 2013 for **medical** services to **CHC only (State Funded)** clients will continue to be tied and **viewable only** to the **Access Agency**.*
- All CHC **medical** services for **Waiver** and **State Funded** CHC clients **must be on the care plan** for the **services** to be **reimbursed**.

# CARE PLAN ACCESS SECURE WEB PORTAL

Home Information **Provider** Trading Partner ConnPACE Pharmacy Information Claims Eligibility Prior Authorization Hospice Trade Files MAPIR Messages Account

home provider enrollment provider re-enrollment provider enrollment tracking provider matrix provider services provider search drug search provider fe  
oos instructions/information **secure site**

Login

The Connecticut Department of Social Services Medical Assistance Program secure website is intended for providers, clerks and billing agents.

If you have received your Personal Identification Number letter, click on the setup account button.

setup account

User ID\*

Password\*

login

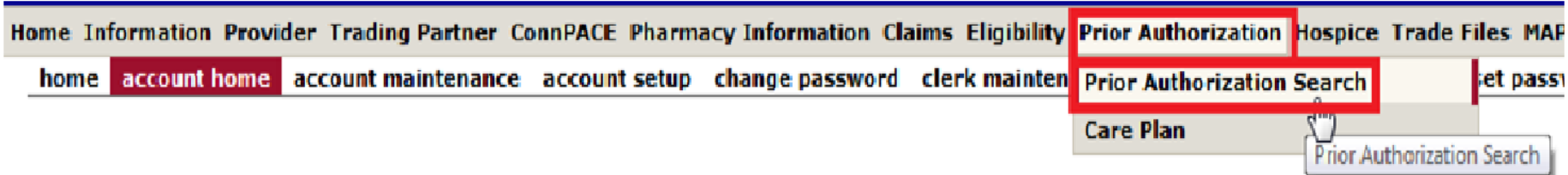
If you have forgotten your password please click the reset password button.

reset password

# CARE PLAN ACCESS

## PRIOR AUTHORIZATION (PA) SEARCH

Once on the secure site, click [Prior authorization](#) > [Prior authorization search](#).



Your Password Expires in 60 days on 12/31/2013 [Change Password](#)

Welcome, P008021185  
Provider ID: 008021185 MCD  
Provider AVRS ID: 008021185  
Zip Code: 06032 - 1234

Your R.A.s, or 835 transactions, are being sent to:  
Your download page in the Trade Files menu option.

### Global Messages

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# CARE PLAN SEARCH

## ACCESS TO CARE PLAN SERVICES - SEARCH PERFORMED BY CLIENT ID

Home Information Provider Trading Partner ConnPACE Pharmacy Information Claims Eligibility **Prior Authorization** Hospice Trade Files MAPIR Messages Account

home prior authorization search **care plan**

### Care Plan Search

Care Plan Number	<input type="text"/>	Client ID	<input type="text" value="001111011"/> [ Search ]	Procedure Code	<input type="text"/> [ Search ]
Last Name	<input type="text"/>	Revenue Code	<input type="text"/> [ Search ]	Proc/Mod List	<input type="text"/>
First Name	<input type="text"/>	Effective Date	<input type="text"/>	End Date	<input type="text"/>
Access Agency Provider ID	<input type="text" value="004071692"/>	Service Provider ID	<input type="text"/> [ Search ]	Prior Authorization	<input type="text"/>
Records	<input type="text" value="20"/> ▼				

<input type="button" value="search"/>
<input type="button" value="clear"/>
<input type="button" value="add"/>

# SEARCH BY CLIENT ID RESULTS - SINGLE PA WITH ONE SERVICE LINE DETAIL

Quick Link

- Web Guide - Prior Authorization Search

Provider 008021184 MCD

**Prior Authorization Search**

Client ID	<input type="text" value="001111011"/>	Prior Authorization	<input type="text"/>
Client Name	PATSY Claus	PA Assignment	<input type="text"/>
Requested Eff Date	<input type="text"/>	PA Assign - Sub	<input type="text"/>
Requested End Date	<input type="text"/>	Procedure	<input type="text"/> [ Search ]
Authorized Eff Date	<input type="text"/>	Revenue Code	<input type="text"/> [ Search ]
Authorized End Date	<input type="text"/>	Proc/Mod List	<input type="text"/>
		Records	20 <input type="text"/>

**Search Results**

Prior Authorization	Line Item	Authorized Effective date	Authorized End date	Authorized Units	Authorized Dollars	Status	Determination Date	PA Assignment	PA Assign - Sub	Procedure	Revenue	NDC	Proc/Mod List	Frequency
2013256002	01	07/01/2013	12/31/2013	65	\$0.00	Auto Approved for Care Plan	0	Home Care Program for Elders	Initial				SN	65 Per Date Span

# SELECT LINE DETAIL TO DETERMINE UNITS USED, AVAILABLE AND FREQUENCY OF SERVICE

Line Item											
Line Item	Requested Units	Requested Dollars	Authorized Units	Authorized Dollars	Status	Procedure Code	Procedure Code List	Proc/Mod List	NDC	Revenue Code	Revenue Code List
01	65.000	\$0.00	65.000	\$0.00	Auto Approved for Care Plan			SN			

Type changes below.

Line Item	01										
Service Type Code*	Procedure/Mod List					Tooth	<input type="text"/>	[ Search ]	Authorized Units/Dollars	65.000	\$0.00
Procedure Code/List	<input type="text"/>	[ Search ]	<input type="text"/>	1	[ Search ]	Quad	<input type="text"/>	[ Search ]	Authorized Eff./End Dates	07/01/2013	12/31/2013
Modifier 1	<input type="text"/>	[ Search ]				Tooth Surface 1	<input type="text"/>	[ Search ]	Used Units/Dollars	0	\$0.00
Modifier 2	<input type="text"/>	[ Search ]				Tooth Surface 2	<input type="text"/>	[ Search ]	Available Units/Dollars	65	\$0.00
Modifier 3	<input type="text"/>	[ Search ]				Tooth Surface 3	<input type="text"/>	[ Search ]	Frequency	65 Per Date Span	
Modifier 4	<input type="text"/>	[ Search ]				Tooth Surface 4	<input type="text"/>	[ Search ]			
Revenue Code/List	<input type="text"/>	[ Search ]	<input type="text"/>		[ Search ]	Tooth Surface 5	<input type="text"/>	[ Search ]			
Proc/Mod List	SN										
Requested Eff./End Dates*	07/01/2013		12/31/2013			NDC	<input type="text"/>	[ Search ]			
Requested Units/Dollars*	65.000		\$0.00			Status	Auto Approved for Care				

Notes

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Select row above to update -or- click Add button below.

Description



Changes to the plan of care are reflected in the notes.



# PROCEDURE CODE/FREQUENCY CROSSWALK

Procedure	Description	Unit Increment	Billing Provider	Span DC	Valid Frequency	Care Plan limitat	Funding Source
10212	SERVICES: PER 15 MINUTES, AGENCY	Per 15 min	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	Y	Per week or month		State Funded, Waiver
10222	SERVICES: OVERNIGHT, AGENCY	1 per day	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	Y	Per week or per month		State Funded, Waiver
30222	PCA AGENCY OVERNIGHT CANNOT BE COMPLETED PRORATED HOURLY	11 per day	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	N	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
10232	SERVICES: PER DIEM, AGENCY	1 per day	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	Y	Per week or per month		State Funded, Waiver
12252	DIEM, CANNOT BE COMPLETED PRORATED HOURLY	23 per day	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	N	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
T1019	PER 15 MINUTES INDIVIDUAL	Per 15 min	Allied Only	Y	Per week or per month		State Funded, Waiver
10192	PERSONAL CARE SERVICES INDIVIDUAL PER DIEM	1 per day	Allied Only	Y	Per week or per month		State Funded, Waiver
12272	DIEM CANNOT BE COMPLETED PRORATED HOURLY	23 per day	Allied Only	N	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
10202	PERSONAL CARE SERVICES INDIVIDUAL OVERNIGHT	1 per day	Allied Only	Y	Per week or per month		State Funded, Waiver
30202	PCA INDIV OVERNIGHT CANNOT BE COMPLETED PRORATED HOURLY	11 per day	Allied Only	N	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
12002	ADULT DAY HEALTH - FULL DAY (NON-MEDICAL MODEL PROVIDER)	1 per day	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	Y	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
12012	FULL DAY (APPROVED MEDICAL MODEL PROVIDER)	1 per day	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	Y	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
12022	ADULT DAY HEALTH - HALF DAY (LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO 4 HRS)	1 per day	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	Y	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
12062	CHORE SERVICE AGENCY 1/4 HOUR	Per 15 min	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	Y	Per week or per month		State Funded, Waiver
12082	CHORE SERVICE - HIGHLY SKILLED / HOUR	\$S	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	N	not applicable. Dollars authorized, not units.	All services req PA	1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
12092	MINOR HOME MODIFICATIONS	\$S	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	N	not applicable. Dollars authorized, not units.	All services req PA	1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver

# PROCEDURE CODE/FREQUENCY CROSSWALK

Procedure	Description	Unit Increment	Billing Provider	Span DC	Valid Frequency	Care Plan limits	Funding Source
1210Z	COMPANION SERVICE - AGENCY PER 1/4 HOUR	Per 15 min	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	Y	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
1214Z	HOMEMAKER SERVICE - AGENCY - PER 1/4 HOUR	Per 15 min	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	Y	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
1218Z	MEAL SERVICE - SINGLE HOT MEAL/MEAL SERVICE - SINGLE MEAL- HOT/COLD	1 single meal per day	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	Y	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
1220Z	DOUBLE MEAL ( ONE HOT - ONE COLD) PER DOUBLE MEAL/MEAL SERVICE - DOUBLE (ONE HOT & ONE COLD) PER DOUBLE MEAL	1 double meal per day	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	Y	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
1221Z	KOSHER MEALS DOUBLE	1 double meal per day	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	Y	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
1222Z	PERS SERVICE INSTALLATION	1 installation per year	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	N	Per year		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
1223Z	TWO-WAY PERS SYSTEM ONGOING SERVICES	1 ongoing service per month	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	N	Per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
1226Z	RESPITE CARE IN THE HOME 1/4 HOUR- COMPANION/RESPITE CARE IN THE HOME- 1/4 HR. COMPANION	Per 15 min	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	N	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
1228Z	RESPITE CARE IN THE HOME 1/4 HOUR - HOMEMAKER/RESPITE CARE IN THE HOME 1/4 HOUR- HOMEMAKER	Per 15 min	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	N	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
1230Z	RESPITE CARE IN THE HOME 1/4 HOUR - HOME HEALTH AIDE	Per 15 min	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	N	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
1232Z	RESPITE CARE IN THE HOME PER HOUR-OTHER	Per Hour	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	N	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
1234Z	RESPITE CARE- REST HOME WITH NURSING SUPERVISION- PER DAY/RESPITE CARE-REST HOME WITH NURSING SUPERVISION-PER DAY	1 per day	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	Y	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
1236Z	RESPITE CARE- CHRONIC CONVALESCENT NURSING FACILITY- PER DAY/RESPITE CARE-CHRONIC CONVALESCENT NURSING FACILITY-PER DAY	1 per day	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	Y	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver

# PROCEDURE CODE/FREQUENCY CROSSWALK

Procedure	Description	Unit Increment	Billing Provider	Span DC	Valid Frequency	Care Plan limits	Funding Source
12402	RESPIRE CARE LICENSED HOME FOR THE AGED-PER DAY/RESPIRE CARE- LICENSED HOME FOR THE AGED PER DAY	1 per day	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	Y	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
12442	RESPIRE CARE OUT OF THE HOME-PER HOUR- OTHER/RESPIRE CARE OUT OF THE HOME PER HOUR OTHER	24 per day	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	N	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
12472	MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING-INDIVIDUAL -(PROVIDED IN CLIENT'S HOME)	1 per day	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	Y	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded Medicare
12562	MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING-INDIVIDUAL (45 - 50 MIN) OUT OF HOME/MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING-INDIVIDUAL(45-50 MIN)-OUT OF HOME	1 per day	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	Y	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
12622	SOCIAL TRANSPORTATION - TAXI - PER TRIP	PER TRIP	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	N	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded,, Waiver
12642	SOCIAL TRANSPORTATION - LIVERY - PER TRIP	PER TRIP	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	N	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded,, Waiver
12662	SOCIAL TRANSPORTATION - INVALID COACH - PER TRIP	PER TRIP	CHC SERVICE PROV ONLY	N	Per week or per month		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded,, Waiver
12862	CASE MGMT SERVICES (ACTIVITIES RELATED TO IMPLEMENTATION, COORDINATION & MONITORING PLAN OF CARE)	1 PER DAY	ACCESS Agency only	Y	Billable by Access Agency only but included in the care plan. Per day		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
13972	ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY	\$	ALLIED COMMUNITY RESOURCES AND CHC SERVICE PROVIDERS	N	Frequency not applicable. Dollars authorized, not units.		1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver
HOME HEALTH SERVICES BILLED BY HOME HEALTH AGENCIES							
S9128/441	SPEECH THERAPY, IN THE HOME, PER DIEM/SPEECH THERAPY, IN THE HOME, PER DIEM	1 per day	HOME HEALTH AGENCY ONLY	N	Per week or per month	In excess of 2 per week or in excess of 10 per month	1915i, Medicaid, State Funded, Waiver



# CLAIMS PROCESSING / SUBMISSION INFORMATION

- Claims for services rendered to CMAP clients may be submitted:
  - Internet Web site at [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com)
    - HIPAA compliant Institutional claim format
    - Interactive with ***immediate response*** of claim payment or denial.
    - Allows provider to ***adjust or correct and resubmit*** within the ***same claims processing cycle.***
  - Vendor Software utilizing the following HIPAA ASC X12N transactions:
    - 837I – Health Care Claim Institutional

# CLAIMS PROCESSING / SUBMISSION INFORMATION

- Provider Electronic Solutions HIPAA compliant free windows based software offered by DSS via HP.
  - Effective **October 1, 2014** this software will **no longer be supported by HP.**
  - Use as **interim solution** to **obtaining vendor software** for batch claim.
  - Requires provider to enroll as a **Trading Partner.**
    - *Instructions on how to enroll as a Trading Partner can be located at [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com) Homepage > Trading Partner > Trading Partner Enrollment/Profile.*
- Paper
  - UB-04 Claim Form

**\*\*Note: HP mailing address for paper claims submission depends upon claim type. (See Chapter 1 of the CMAP Provider Manual for correct mailing address.)**

# CLAIMS PROCESSING / SUBMISSION INFORMATION

- Claims submitted to HP are each assigned a unique 13-digit Internal Control Number (ICN) that is used

2012032123456 for tracking and research.

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- **1** *Claim Region* – Identifies the manner in which the claim was submitted. (**20** = *Electronic Claims with No Attachments*)
- **2** *Year of Receipt* – Indicates the year in which the claim was received by HP. (**12** = *2012*)
- **3** *Julian Date of Receipt* – The Julian calendar date of receipt (**032** = *the thirty-second day of the year. (February 1)*)
- **4** *Batch Number* – An internal number assigned by HP to uniquely identify a batch. (**123**)
- **5** *Claim Number* – A sequential number assigned to uniquely identify claims within a batch. (**456**)

# CLAIMS PROCESSING/SUBMISSION INFORMATION

- Claims processed through the Connecticut interChange system are subject to a series of **edits** that check the validity of claim data such as:
  - **Submitting** Provider must be actively enrolled on the date of service.
  - **Client** must be eligible on date of service.
  - **Procedure Code** submitted must be valid for the **Provider Type**.
- Claims are then subject to a series of **audits**.
  - Is the **procedure code(s)** billed **on** the client's **plan of care**?
  - If the billed **procedure code** requires prior authorization (PA), has the **PA** been **approved**?
  - The claim is compared to previously paid claims
    - Is the current claim a **duplicate** of a **paid claim**?



# CLAIMS PROCESSING/SUBMISSION INFORMATION

## Spanning Calendar Months

Claims will deny edit 580 (formerly 574) “Detail dates not in same month” if:

- **Cost share** is calculated on a claim for a CHC only eligible client.
- **Applied income** is calculated on a claim for a CHC and/or HUSKY eligible client.

**This edit will not set on:**

- HUSKY C only clients.
- CHC clients with or without HUSKY C, when applied income is not being calculated.

# CLAIMS PROCESSING/SUBMISSION INFORMATION

## Medicare Cost Avoidance Guidelines

- Medical services provided by Home Health Agencies to CHC clients are subject to the same Medicare Cost Avoidance rules in place for HUSKY clients today.
- Claims for **CHC and/or HUSKY Medicare eligible clients will deny** if not submitted with an adjustment reason code of:
  - 151, 152 or 153
  - and
  - Date the Home Health Advanced Beneficiary Notice (HHABN) or Notice of Medicare Non-Coverage (NOMNC) was issued to the client.

Refer to PB 10-06 for further details.

# CLAIMS PROCESSING / SUBMISSION INFORMATION

## Third Party Liability (TPL) Information

- Commercial/private insurance coverage other than Medicare or Medicaid under which the client may be covered.
  - Connecticut Medical Assistance Program is the payer of last resort, Home Health claims for the following clients **will cost avoid (deny)** if commercial/private insurance is on the client's eligibility file:
    - Medical CHC only (State Funded) claims
    - Medical CHC Waiver (HUSKY A or C)
    - HUSKY only
  - Providers must investigate the possibility of clients having other insurance coverage and pursue payment prior to submitting their claim to HP.

# THIRD PARTY LIABILITY UPDATE

## To correct or update Third Party Liability (TPL) information:

### ➤ Obtain TPL forms

- Print out form located on Web site at [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com) under Information → Publications → Forms → Third Party Liability Forms → TPL Information Form.
- Call Health Management System, Inc. (HMS) 1-866-277-4271. HMS staff will mail or fax the form to the provider.
- E-mail request to [ctinsurance@hms.com](mailto:ctinsurance@hms.com) and form will be e-mailed back to provider.

### ➤ Submit completed forms

- Mail to Health Management Systems, Inc. Attn: CT Insurance Verification Unit 5615 High Point Dr, Suite 100 Irving, Texas 75038
- Fax to HMS with HIPAA compliant letter to 1-214-560-3932
- Scan completed forms and submit through e-mail to [ctinsurance@hms.com](mailto:ctinsurance@hms.com)

# CLAIMS PROCESSING / SUBMISSION INFORMATION

- **Timely Filing Guidelines**

- Effective January 1, 2012 the timely filing limits are as follows:

- **CHC State Funded**

- (Medical services) – **1 year**

- **HUSKY C with CHC Waiver**

- (*Medical services*) -**1 year**

- (*Behavioral Health services*) – **1 year**

- **HUSKY A**

- (*Medical services*) – **1 year**

- *Behavioral Health services* – **120 days**

# CLAIMS PROCESSING / SUBMISSION INFORMATION

- **Conditions that Waive the Timely Filing Limit**
  - Situations that allow the timely filing limit to be bypassed (1 year or 120 days depending on benefit plan and claim type):
    - Claim submission date is within range of the detail through date of service (TDOS).
    - Client eligibility has been added or updated where the claim date of service is within the effective dates of the update *and* the claim submission date is within range of the update.
    - Medicare and/or Other Insurance Payment:
      - » TPL or Medicare paid amount is greater than \$0.00 *and* the paid date is within 366 days of the claim submission date.
      - » If multiple carriers exist and if any one does not meet the above criteria, the claim will deny.

# CLAIMS PROCESSING / SUBMISSION INFORMATION

- Situations that allow the timely filing limit to be bypassed (cont.):
  - Medicare or Other Insurance (TPL) denial:
    - » The claim submission date is within range of when the primary insurance denied the claim (provided that denial was not due to timely filing).
    - » If multiple carriers exist and if any one does not meet the above criteria, the claim will deny.
  - Prior claim history:
    - » When a claim in history with the same *Client, Provider, Billed Amount*, detail *From* and *Through* dates of service, and *Revenue Center Code* or *Procedure Code* where the claim submission date is within range of the previous claim's Remittance Advice date *and* the previous claim did not deny for timely filing.

# CLAIM DENIALS AND RESOLUTION

*The Access Agencies have been working diligently to upload their care plans to the Web Portal. As most care plans have now been uploaded to the Web portal, effective **November 1, 2013**, claims previously held in suspense that contain the following EOB messages will deny.*

**\*\* This information can be found under Homepage> Information> Publications> Provider Manuals> Chapter 12-Claim Resolution Guide located at [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com).**

- **3015- CHC care plan required**

**Cause:**

- The claim is for a client enrolled in the Connecticut Home Care for Elder's benefit plan and a care plan has not yet been established for this client.

**Resolution:**

- The service is not payable unless the care manager creates a care plan and adds the service to the care plan. Contact the care manager for assistance.



# CLAIM DENIALS AND RESOLUTION

- **3016- Service not covered under CHC care plan**

**Cause:**

- The claim is for a client enrolled in the Connecticut Home Care for Elder's benefit plan and the service billed is not an authorized service on the client's care plan. This edit will also set if the service authorization is uploaded to the claims processing system with the incorrect servicing provider ID or if the provider submitted an incorrect procedure code.

**Resolution:**

- The service is not payable unless the care manager adds the service to the client's care plan, the service authorization is uploaded to the claims processing system with the correct servicing provider NPI or AVRS ID and the provider submits the correct procedure code. Contact the care manager for assistance.

# CLAIM DENIALS AND RESOLUTION

- **5151- Units exceed frequency units on CHC care plan**

**Cause:**

- The claim was submitted with units that exceed the frequency on the care plan established by the care manager. If only a portion of the units billed remain authorized, the claim will make payment on the available units.

**Resolution:**

- The service is not payable unless the care manager increases the frequency for the date(s) of service submitted on the claim.

# CLAIM DENIALS AND RESOLUTION

- **3003- Prior Authorization is required for payment of this service**

## **Cause:**

- If the claim is for a client enrolled in the Connecticut Home Care for Elder's program, the client does not have any remaining units authorized by the client's care manager for the service billed on the claim.

## **Resolution:**

- The service is not payable unless the care manager increases the number of units for the date(s) of service being billed.

# CLAIM DENIALS AND RESOLUTION

- **2504-Bill private carrier first**

## Cause

- The Connecticut Medical Assistance Program is the payer of last resort for all covered services. Therefore, if a client has applicable other insurance coverage, the benefits of these policies must be fully exhausted prior to submitting the claim to HP. This EOB will post to the claim when a private insurance policy is present on the client's file which contains a type of coverage that may cover the claim and the claim was submitted without the response from this specific insurance carrier.

## Resolution

- Perform a client eligibility verification transaction for the date of service on the claim to determine the other insurance carrier to which the claim should be billed.
- Bill the claim to the other insurance carrier.
- Once a response has been received from the carrier, resubmit the claim to HP, indicating either the payment or denial from the insurance carrier, using the same three digit carrier code returned in the client eligibility verification response. These claims can be submitted electronically and the other insurance EOB should not be submitted to HP. For complete instructions for submitting claims with other insurance, refer to **Chapter 11** of the Provider Manual located at [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com).

# CLAIM DENIALS AND RESOLUTION

- **2522-Bill Medicare first or provide appropriate adjustment reason code and date of HHABN or NOMNC.**

## Cause

- Medicaid is payer of last resort. The client's eligibility file indicates that the client has Medicare coverage and the Home Health claim was submitted without reference to a Medicare payment, Medicare denial or the reason a Home Health Advanced Beneficiary Notice (HHABN) or MCO Notice of Medicare Non-Coverage (NOMNC) was issued.

## Resolution

- The claim must either be billed to Medicare, or the HHABN or NOMNC must be issued to the client indicating the reason the client's care does not meet Medicare coverage criteria.
- The claim must then be resubmitted to HP indicating either Medicare made a payment or denied the claim. If the denial is due to a HHABN or NOMNC, the appropriate claim adjustment reason code must be entered to identify the reason the HHABN or NOMNC was issued.
- Further billing instructions are located in **Chapter 11** of the Provider Manual, the Institutional Other Insurance/Medicare Billing Guide found on [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com).

# CLAIM DENIALS AND RESOLUTION

- **4021- The procedure billed is not a covered service under the client's benefit plan**

## **Cause:**

- If the claim is Connecticut Home Care (CHC) Program claim and the client does not have an active CHC benefit plan in effect yet for the date of service submitted on the claim.

## **Resolution:**

- The Alternate Care Unit at DSS should be notified of an eligibility issue when a client begins service so action can be taken to resolve the client's eligibility issue as soon as possible. Providers who identify an eligibility issue at the time of service should send an encrypted email to [AlternateCare.dss@ct.gov](mailto:AlternateCare.dss@ct.gov).
  - The client's name, client ID and the date service began or is scheduled to begin should be provided. Place the words "CHC Client Eligibility Issue" in the subject line of the email.

# CARE PLAN ISSUES RESOLUTION

Providers are reminded to review the client's care plan, which can be found under "PA Inquiry" on their secure Web account to identify omissions or discrepancies in service authorizations which are causing claims to deny effective November 1, 2013.

If omissions or discrepancies are found, providers are encouraged to contact the Access Agency who issued the service order directly as noted below:

- Connecticut Community Care (CCCI)- [serviceauthissues@ctcommunitycare.org](mailto:serviceauthissues@ctcommunitycare.org)
- Western Connecticut Area on Aging (WCAA)- contact WCAA directly at (203)465-1000
- South Western Connecticut Area on Aging (SWCAA)- Dayna Serra [dserra@swcaa.org](mailto:dserra@swcaa.org) or 203-814-3625 or Bill Schempp at [bschempp@swcaa.org](mailto:bschempp@swcaa.org) or 203-814-3645
- South Central Connecticut Area on Aging (SCCAA)- Carolyn Feliciano at [cfeliciano@aoascc.org](mailto:cfeliciano@aoascc.org) or contact her directly at 203-752-2991

**\*\*Please include the following information when submitting care plan issues: client name, the client EMS number, the type of service (SN, Therapy Services, Home Health Aide .), the dates of service, the frequency of service (Spanned/Weekly/ Monthly ) and the number of units or hours per visit.\*\***

# 2013 - AFFORDABLE CARE ACT (ACA) CLAIM SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS AT [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com)

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# NEW CLAIM SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- The Affordable Care Act (ACA) sections 6401 and 6501 mandate that ordering, prescribing and referring (OPR) providers who render services to HUSKY clients be enrolled in the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program (CMAP).
- Effective, beginning with claim dates of service May 1, 2013, DSS implemented the following new claim edits to validate that attending, referring, and rendering providers submitted on Institutional claims are enrolled in the CMAP:
  - EOB 1033 “Informational Only - Attending physician not enrolled on date of service.”
  - EOB 1034 “Informational Only - Rendering provider not enrolled on date of service.”
  - EOB 1035 “Informational Only – Referring provider not enrolled on date of service.

# NEW CLAIM SUBMISSION (OPR) REQUIREMENTS

- Effective with claim dates of service 9/1/2013 and forward, Home Health claims must be submitted with the attending provider on the claim.
  - **Edit 381 “Attending provider number is missing”**
    - This EOB will post on the provider’s RA and pay for dates of service through 11/30/2013.
    - This edit will begin to deny with dates of service on or after 12/1/2013.

# NEW CLAIM SUBMISSION (OPR) REQUIREMENTS CONT.

- Effective with claim dates of service **12/1/2013** and forward
  - **Edit 1033 “Attending physician not enrolled on date of service”** will begin to deny. **(HUSKY or HUSKY with CHC benefit only clients)**
    - If the referring provider is not submitted on the claim and the attending provider is not enrolled in the CMAP.
  - **Edit 1035 “Referring provider not enrolled on date of service”** will begin to deny if the referring provider is not enrolled in the CMAP. **(HUSKY or HUSKY with CHC benefit only clients)**
    - The referring provider is only required when different from the attending provider.
    - This edit will only set if there is a provider number in the referring provider field and the provider is not enrolled on the date of service.

# OTHER ACA (OPR) REQUIREMENTS

- Beginning **12/1/2013** Prior Authorization (PA) requests for Home Health Services for **HUSKY or HUSKY with a CHC benefit only clients** where the ordering, prescribing or referring provider is not enrolled in the CTMAP will no longer be accepted.
- Home Health services for **HUSKY or HUSKY with a CHC benefit only clients** performed on or after **12/1/2013** where the ordering, prescribing or referring provider is not enrolled in the CMAP will result in a claim denial for the rendering agency.
  - This includes services that were authorized **prior** to December 1, 2013.
  - Prior authorization forms have been updated and now include mandatory fields for the CMAP ID numbers of both the rendering and ordering providers.
  - Forms submitted without these fields completed will be returned.

# OTHER ACA (OPR) RESOURCES

- Log-on to the [www.ctdssmap](http://www.ctdssmap) Website > Publications > Provider Bulletins
  - PB 2013-24
  - PB 2013-57
  - PB 2013-68

For more information regarding:

- OPR Edits
- How to obtain revised PA forms
- How to confirm full provider enrollment or OPR status
- How to enroll as a CMAP provider

# COMING IN 2014 - ICD-10

Logon to the [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com) Web site

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# INFORMATION RESOURCES AT [WWW.CTDSSMAP.COM](http://WWW.CTDSSMAP.COM) IMPORTANT MESSAGES

**“Important Messages”** contains **urgent messages** that require immediate communication to the provider community as well as links to important information regarding recent or upcoming system changes. Be sure to review the **CHC Implementation IM** on a regular basis to keep informed about the upcoming CHC Program changes.

**Important Messages**

[CD-10 Implementation Information \(Updated 11/1/13\)](#)

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[Attention: School Based Child Health Providers](#)

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[New Influenza Virus Vaccines Updated 10/08/13](#)

[Welcome to the CT Home Care Program Implementation \(Updated 10/3/13\)](#)

**\*\*The CHC Program Frequently Asked Questions can also be found in the CHC Implementation Important Message. Home page> Important Messages.\*\***

# INFORMATION – RA BANNER PAGE MESSAGES

- **RA Banner Announcements**

- Available by going to the **Homepage> Information> RA Banner Announcement** located at [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com).
  - Messages originally published for providers on the first page of their remittance advice. Some banner announcements are provider specific and therefore are only sent to the relevant provider types/specialties.
  - Often published in regards to reprocessed claims; explaining the reasons behind the reprocessing as well as the claim types affected.

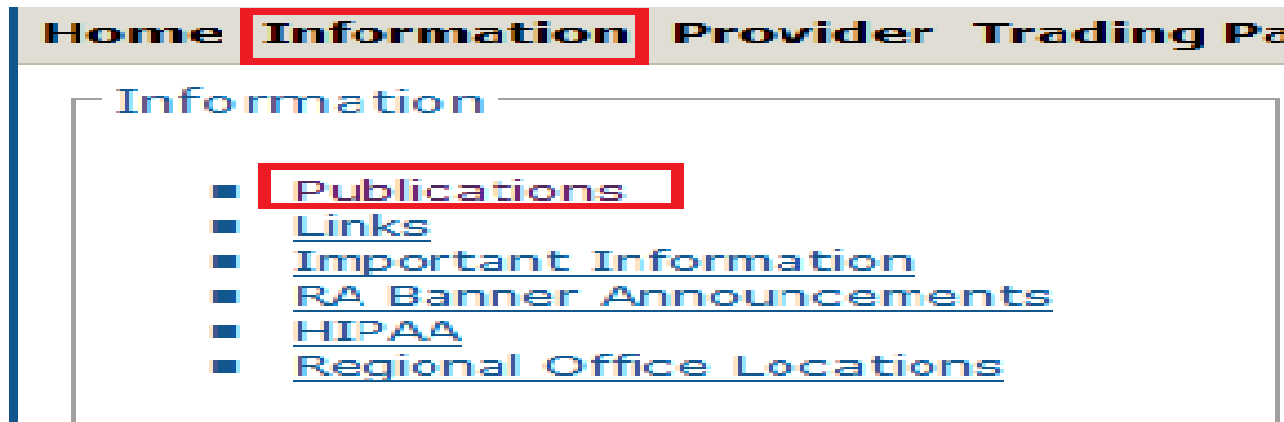
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10/18/2013-10/25/2013	Attention Connecticut Home Care (CHC) Service Providers and Home Health Providers Servicing CHC Clients	Attention Connecticut Home Care (CHC) Service Providers and Home Health Providers Servicing CHC Clients. CHC CLAIMS THAT DISPLAY EXPLANATION OF BENEFIT (EOB) CODES: 3015 CHC care plan required, 3016 Service not covered under CHC care plan, or 5151 Units exceed frequency units on CHC care plan, are currently in a suspended status. The Department of Social Services (DSS) has maintained these edits in a suspended status while the Access Agencies continue to make progress in both adding and updating the care plans. Effective November 1, 2013, claims that contain these EOB messages will begin to deny. Please refer to provider bulletin PB13-63 which contains detail surrounding these claim denials, claims resolution and future billing change requirements. This bulletin can be accessed by going to the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program's Web site: <a href="http://www.ctdssmap.com">www.ctdssmap.com</a> . From this web page, go to Information, then to Publications, then enter Year 13 and Number 63, then click search.



# INFORMATION – PUBLICATIONS

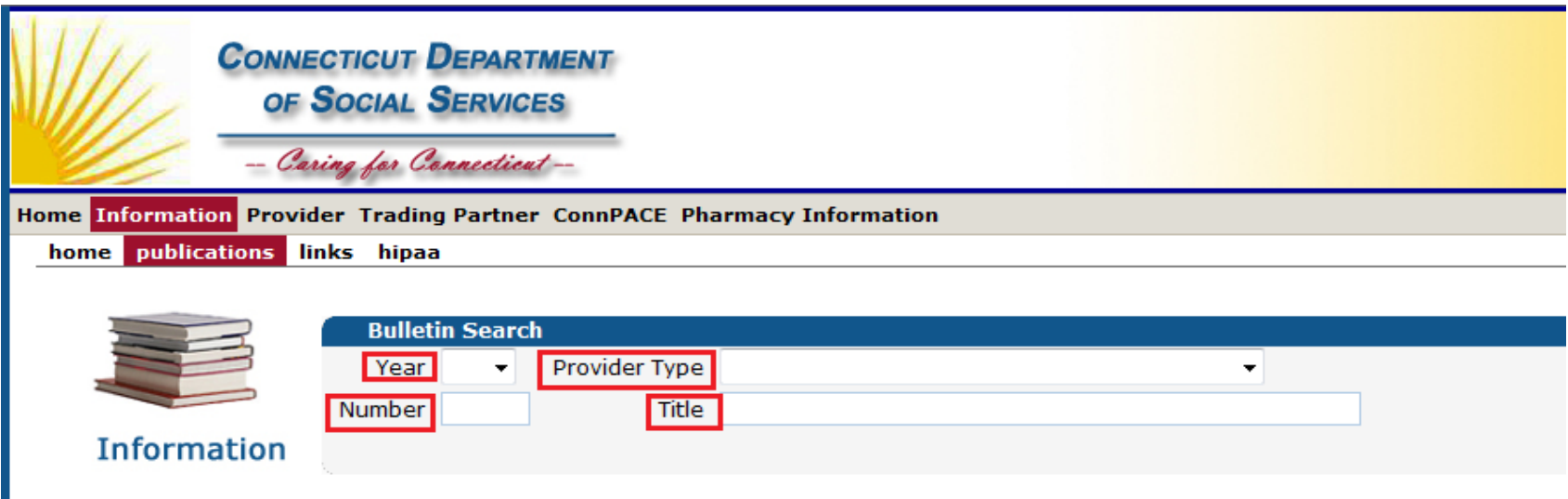
The *Publications* page on the [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com) web site is a *primary resource* for information available regarding the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program.

Access the *Publications* page by selecting *Publications* from either the *Information* box on the left hand side of the home page or from the *Information* drop-down menu.



# INFORMATION- PROVIDER BULLETINS

- **Provider Bulletins:**
  - **Publications** mailed to relevant provider types/specialties **documenting changes or updates** to the CT Medical Assistance Program.
  - **Bulletin Search** allows you to search for **specific** bulletins (by **year, number, or title**) as well as for **all** bulletins relevant to your **provider type**. The online database of bulletins goes back to the year 2000.



The screenshot displays the website for the Connecticut Department of Social Services. At the top left is a logo featuring a sunburst. The text reads "CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES" and "— Caring for Connecticut —". Below this is a navigation bar with links: Home, Information (highlighted), Provider, Trading Partner, ConnPACE, and Pharmacy Information. Underneath, there are sub-links: home, publications (highlighted), links, and hipaa. The main content area features a "Bulletin Search" section. To the left of this section is an icon of a stack of books and the word "Information". The search form includes a "Year" dropdown menu, a "Provider Type" dropdown menu, a "Number" text input field, and a "Title" text input field. Red boxes highlight the "Year", "Provider Type", "Number", and "Title" labels in the original image.

# INFORMATION – PROVIDER MANUAL

- **Provider Manual**

- The Provider Manual is available to assist providers in understanding how to receive prompt reimbursement through complete and accurate claim submission.
- It is the **primary source of information for submitting CMAP claims and other related transactions**. This manual contains detailed instructions regarding the Program, and should be your first source of information pertaining to policy and procedural questions.
- **The Provider Manual is divided into twelve (12) chapters.**
  - Click on the chapter title to open the document (disable pop-up blockers).
  - **Chapters 7 and 8 are provider specific.** – Select your provider type from the drop-down menu and click ***View Chapter*** to access the chapter.
  - **Chapter 11 is claim-type specific.**

# INFORMATION – PROVIDER MANUAL

## – **Chapter 1 – Introduction**

- Provides information on the CT Medical Assistance Program, the Department of Social Services' and Hewlett-Packards' responsibilities and resources.

## – **Chapter 2 – Provider Participation Regulations**

- Details the CMAP regulations for provider participation.

## – **Chapter 3 – Provider Enrollment**

- Provides information on provider eligibility in regards to provider enrollment and re-enrollment.

## – **Chapter 4 – Client Eligibility**

- Provides information regarding client eligibility in the Medical Assistance Program, client eligibility verification, and client third party liability.

# INFORMATION – PROVIDER MANUAL

## – **Chapter 5 – Claim Submission Information**

- Provides information on general claims processing and billing requirements.

## – **Chapter 6 – EDI Options**

- Provides information on electronic claim submission and electronic Remittance Advices.

## – **Chapter 7- Regulations/Program Policy**

- This section contains the Medical Section Policy section that pertains to the chosen provider type.

## – **Chapter 8 – Billing Instructions**

- Provides information on provider specific billing requirements.

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## – **Chapter 9 – Prior Authorization**

- Provides information on how to obtain Prior Authorization for designated services.

## – **Chapter 10 – Web Portal/Automated Voice Response System (AVRS)**

- Provides information both the AVRS and the Web Portal functions of interChange.

## – **Chapter 11 – Other Insurance/Medicare Billing Guides**

- Provides claim-type specific information on other insurance and Medicare billing.

## – **Chapter 12 – Claim Resolution Guide**

- Provides descriptions of common EOBs and, if applicable, information to resolve the errors.

**\*\*[\(Provider Manual\) Homepage > Information > Publications > Provider Manuals](#) located at [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com).**

# INFORMATION – FORMS

## Forms

- Claim and Adjustment Forms
- Enrollment Maintenance Forms
- Provider Workshop Invitations
- Third Party Liability Forms
- Other Forms

\*\* [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com)

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# INFORMATION - OTHER

- **Provider Newsletters**

- Quarterly publications to providers on a wide range of topics.

## Provider Newsletters

- [April 2013 interChange Newsletter](#)
- [December 2012 interChange Newsletter](#)
- [Provider Newsletter Archives](#)

- **Claims Processing Information**

- Guides and FAQs to assist with billing/claims processing.

## Claims Processing Information

- [Eligibility Response Quick Reference Guide](#)
- [Internet Claims Submission FAQ](#)
- [Hospice Procedure Code Exception List](#)
- [ICN Region Code List](#)
- [Medical Assistance Program FOB Crosswalk](#)
- [CHC Procedure Code Frequency Crosswalk](#)
- [Medically Unlikely Edit \(MUE\) Updates](#)
- PCMH Billing Instructions
  - [Physician, Nurse Practitioner and Physician Assistants PCMH Billing Instructions](#)
  - [Outpatient PCMH Billing Instructions](#)
  - [FQHC PCMH Billing Instructions](#)

**\*\*The CHC Procedure Code/Frequency Crosswalk can be found here by going to [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com) Homepage> Information> Claims Processing Information.\*\***



# INFORMATION – LINKS

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## State Government Sites

- [State of Connecticut Department of Social Services](#)
- [HUSKY Health - Healthcare for Uninsured Kids and Youth](#)
- [ConnPACE - Connecticut Pharmaceutical Assistance Contract for the Elderly and Disabled](#)

## Federal Government Sites

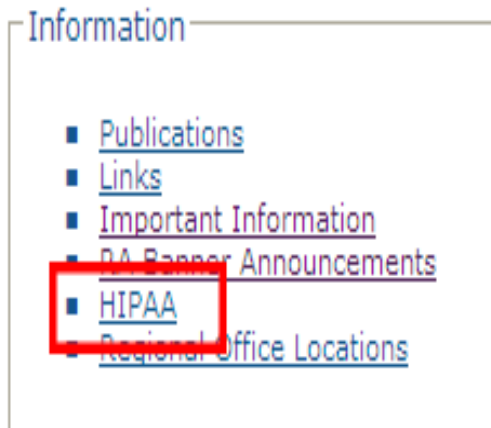
- [Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services](#)
- [Department of Health and Human Services](#)
- [National Institute of Health](#)

## Health Care Provider Organizations

- [American Dental Association](#)
- [American Academy of Pediatrics](#)
- [American Medical Association](#)

# INFORMATION – HIPAA

- The **HIPAA information page** is accessible by selecting **HIPAA** from either the **Information** box on the left hand side of the home page or from the **Information** drop-down menu.



- **HIPAA Mandated Transactions**
- **Frequently Asked Questions**
  - HP and DSS have compiled a list of common HIPAA-related questions and answers.
- **Glossary Of Terms**
  - General definitions and explanations of HIPAA-related terms and acronyms.

# INFORMATION – FEE SCHEDULES

- CMAP *fee schedules* are available for download from the Web site.
  - Select *Provider Fee Schedule Download* from the *Provider* drop-down menu.



- You must read and accept the **End User License Agreement** prior to downloading the fee schedule; **click I Accept.**
  - Provider Fee Schedules are **listed** by provider type and specialty.
  - Hold down the **control key** and **click** the **corresponding link** to download the appropriate fee schedule.

**Provider Fee Schedule Download**

- Acquired Brain Injury [CSV](#)
- Air Ambulance [CSV](#)
- Alcohol Treatment [CSV](#)
- Audiology [CSV](#)
- Basic/Advanced Transportation [CSV](#)
- Behavioral Health Partnership [PDF](#)
- Chiropractor [CSV](#)
- Clinic - Ambulatory Surgical Center [CSV](#)
- Clinic - Dialysis [CSV](#)
- Clinic - Family Planning / Abortion [CSV](#)
- Clinic - Medical [CSV](#)
- Clinic - Mental Health [CSV](#)
- Clinic - Rehabilitation [CSV](#)
- Clinic - Substance Abuse [CSV](#)
- Critical Helicopter [CSV](#)
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- Lab [CSV](#)
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- MEDS-Hearing Aid/Prosthetic Eye [CSV](#)
- MEDS-Medical/Surgical Supplies [CSV](#)
- MEDS-MISC [PDF](#)
- MEDS-Parenteral-Enteral [CSV](#)
- MEDS-Prosthetic/Orthotic [CSV](#)
- Mental Health Waiver [CSV](#)
- Natureopath [PDF](#)
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- Personal Care Assistant [CSV](#)
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- Physician Anesthesia [CSV](#)
- Physician Office and Outpt Services [CSV](#)
- Physician Radiology [CSV](#)
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- Travel Agent [CSV](#)

# PROVIDER WORKSHOPS

- This provider workshop and past presentations can be found by going to [www.ctdssmap.com](http://www.ctdssmap.com).  
**Homepage> Provider> Provider Services> Provider Training.**

## Provider Training

HP Provider Relations offers free provider training on a bi-monthly basis. If you are a newly enrolled provider in the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program, have new office staff, or simply want to brush up on billing basics, please join us at these scheduled events. For more information on covered topics, the bi-monthly training session schedule, or to obtain a registration form or directions to the facility where the workshop will be held, click [here](#).

# CONTACTS

- **HP Provider Assistance Center (PAC)**
  - 1-800-842-8440 – Monday thru Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 PM (EST), excluding holidays
  - [CTDSSMAP-ProviderEmail@hp.com](mailto:CTDSSMAP-ProviderEmail@hp.com)
- **HP Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) Help Desk**
  - 1-800-688-0503 – Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. (EST), excluding holidays
- **CHNCT Provider Relations (HUSKY Medical Prior Authorizations)**
  - 1-800-440-5071 – Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. (EST)
- **CTBHP ASO (HUSKY Behavioral Health Prior Authorizations with diagnosis range between 291-319)**
  - 1-877-552-8247

# CONTACTS CONT.

- **Connecticut Community Care (CCI)-**  
[serviceauthissues@ctcommunitycare.org](mailto:serviceauthissues@ctcommunitycare.org)
- **Western Connecticut Area on Aging (WCAA)-** contact WCAA directly at (203)465-1000
- **South Western Connecticut Area on Aging (SWCAA)-** Dayna Serra  
[dserra@swcaa.org](mailto:dserra@swcaa.org) or 203-814-3625 or Bill Schempp at  
[bschempp@swcaa.org](mailto:bschempp@swcaa.org) or 203-814-3645
- **South Central Connecticut Area on Aging (SCCAA)-** Carolyn Feliciano at  
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# CHC BILLING WORKSHOP

*Time for Questions*

# **CHC BILLING WORKSHOP**

***Thank You For Attending  
The Connecticut Medical Assistance Program  
CHC Billing Workshop!***

***All questions and comments regarding this  
training are welcome!***

***Please fill out the supplied workshop survey,  
your feedback helps us to improve future  
workshops!***