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New Requirement When Billing Drug-Related HCPCS (Including All J-Codes)

To comply with Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) requirements related to the Deficit Reduction Act, a change involving all J-Codes will become effective with dates of service on and after July 1, 2006. The Kansas Medical Assistance Program (KMAP) will require providers billing for prescription drug products in an office or outpatient setting using a drug-related Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) code to include the following:

- **National Drug Code (NDC)** – The 837 transaction data element is LIN03 – Product/Service ID.
- **At least one valid NDC that reflects the content of the HCPCS code being billed** – If the HCPCS code is comprised of more than one NDC, submit each applicable NDC, up to 25. Each NDC must be an 11-digit code unique to the manufacturer in a 5-4-2 format (99999-9999-99). Refer to the Additional NDC Format Information section in this bulletin for a detailed explanation regarding converting NDCs to the correct 11-digit format.
- **Quantity for each submitted NDC** (up to three digits to the right of the decimal point are available) – The 837 transaction data element is CTP04 – Quantity.
- **Unit of measurement for each submitted NDC** – The 837 transaction data element is CTP05-1 – Unit or Basis for Measurement Code. Valid codes include:
 - o F2 (international unit)
 - o GR (gram)
 - o ML (milliliter)
 - o UN (unit)
- **Drug unit price for each submitted NDC, if known** – The 837 transaction data element is CTP03 – Unit Price. If not known, submit a value of \$0.00. This is the price per unit; not the total dollar amount for the NDC.

For additional information on the required NDC data elements and how to obtain assistance with billing the correct NDC values, refer to the Billing Correct NDC Values section in this bulletin. A list of drug-related HCPCS codes requiring NDC information starting July 1, 2006, is attached at the end of this bulletin.

These requirements are applicable to all electronic, Internet, and paper claim submissions. The fields listed above are currently available for users of the batch 837 health care claim and encounter transactions (professional and institutional). Users of the Provider Electronic Solutions (PES) application will need to install an upgrade to version 2.06, or higher, prior to the policy effective date. The fields listed above will become available on the Internet claim format prior to the July 1, 2006, policy effective date. For users of paper claims, a KMAP form titled NDC Detail Attachment is to be filled out and attached to the paper claim when billing for drug-related HCPCS codes. The NDC Detail Attachment form is included in this bulletin and can be used to make photocopies. The form will be added to the Forms section of applicable provider manuals.

Note: Public Health Service (PHS) providers who have not carved out Medicaid and are submitting 340B prices to Medicaid will be excluded from the above requirements.

For information on becoming a covered entity in the 340B program, the Office of Pharmacy Affairs Database can be accessed at <http://opanet.hrsa.gov/opa/Login/MainMenu.aspx>. In addition, claims submitted to Medicare that cross over electronically to KMAP will be excluded from the above requirements for beneficiaries with both Medicare and Medicaid.

Note: Individual billing software programs may need to be modified to include the above required fields. In addition, a process will need to be in place to record and maintain the NDC administered to the beneficiary and the amount given.

For questions related to electronic transactions, contact the EDS Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) help desk at 1-800-933-6593, option 3, or via e-mail at edi.kmap@eds.com.

Drug manufacturers can dispute utilization of any of their drugs. There are several reasons why a dispute may be initiated. The following are the most common reasons for a dispute:

- Wrong unit of measure
- Units/Quantity appear inconsistent
- Generic substitution
- Inaccurate NDC
- Invalid/Terminated NDC

Once a manufacturer has disputed a drug, the Drug Rebate unit is required by CMS to gather all the documents that verify the actual NDC dispensed as well as the units dispensed. Supporting claim documentation may be requested, such as invoices of drug purchases or individual medical records that show the drug dispensed. Providers have 30 days to respond to the letter. If no response is received, the claim will be recouped in full. If it is determined that incorrect information was submitted in error, the claim will be adjusted to reflect the correct information.

Additional NDC Format Information

Most NDCs are displayed on drug packaging in a 10-digit format. Proper billing of an NDC requires an 11-digit number in a 5-4-2 format. Converting NDCs from a 10- to 11-digit format requires a strategically placed zero, dependent upon the 10-digit format. The following table

shows common 10-digit NDC formats on packaging and the associated conversion to an 11-digit format with the proper placement of a zero.

10-Digit Format on Package	10-Digit Format Example	11-Digit Format	11-Digit Format Example	Actual 10-Digit NDC Example	11-Digit Conversion of Example
4-4-2	9999-9999-99	5-4-2	09999-9999-99	0002-7597-01 Zyprexa IM [®] 10mg Vial	00002-7597-01
5-3-2	99999-999-99	5-4-2	99999-0999-99	50242-040-62 Xolair [®]	50242-0040-62
5-4-1	99999-9999-9	5-4-2	99999-9999-09	60574-4112-1 Synagis [®] 50mg Vial	60574-4112-01

Billing Correct NDC Values

Claim details for drug-related HCPCS codes will be denied if a valid NDC is not submitted and all NDC fields are not populated. Note the following required NDC fields:

- **The NDC(s) for the HCPCS code submitted must come off of the product(s) administered.** If the NDC(s) submitted is invalid (not in an 11-digit format or not a valid NDC), the claim detail will deny.
- **For each valid NDC submitted, a valid Unit of Measurement (UOM) code is required.** If the NDC UOM code is missing or invalid, the claim detail will deny. The NDC UOM represents the billing unit for the NDC, which may be different from the billing unit for the HCPCS. Valid UOM codes are GR, ML, UN, and F2 (see number 1 under *How to use the Palmetto GBA NDC-HCPCS Crosswalk document*).
- **For each NDC submitted, the NDC Quantity is required.** If the NDC Quantity is missing or invalid, the claim detail will be denied. The NDC Quantity must be a numeric value that is greater than zero. Up to three digits to the right of the decimal point are available. In most cases, the NDC Quantity will be different from the HCPCS billed units (see number 2 under *How to use the Palmetto GBA NDC-HCPCS Crosswalk document*).
- **For each NDC submitted, the Unit Price (reflecting the price per billing unit of the NDC) is to be submitted, if known.** The NDC Unit Price must be a numeric value. If the Unit Price is not known, submit a value of \$0.00.

For assistance with billing supporting NDC fields, access or contact the following:

- Palmetto GBA NDC-HCPCS Crosswalk Web site at:
[http://www.palmettogba.com/palmetto/other.nsf/\\$\\$ViewTemplate+for+Docs?ReadForm&Other+Medicare+Partners/SADMERC/NDC+to+HCPCS+Crosswalk](http://www.palmettogba.com/palmetto/other.nsf/$$ViewTemplate+for+Docs?ReadForm&Other+Medicare+Partners/SADMERC/NDC+to+HCPCS+Crosswalk)
- KMAP Customer Service Center at 1-800-933-6593 (in-state providers) or (785) 274-5990, option 0, between 7:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday

How to use the Palmetto GBA NDC-HCPCS Crosswalk document

Access the Palmetto Web site at the above address. On the NDC to HCPCS Crosswalk window, click on the most current month listed (such as NDC Crosswalk – June 2006) and follow the instructions to view the document. The document provides a listing of NDCs, the HCPCS codes crossed over to the NDCs, and a number of associated data elements. Locate the NDC in question. Some NDCs may be listed more than once; if so, identify the correct NDC row based on the Relationship Start Date and Relationship End Date, the billed HCPCS code, and if applicable, the HCPCS code modifier. The Relationship End Date should be 99/99/9999 to be a valid NDC for the billed HCPCS code.

1. To determine the **NDC UOM**, use the data column titled Billing Units. If the Billing Units value is EA (each), submit UN. If the Billing Units value is GM (gram), submit GR. If the Billing Units value is ML (milliliter), submit ML.
2. To determine the **NDC Quantity**, use the data column titled CF (conversion factor). Divide the number of billed HCPCS units by the CF. Enter the resulting number as the NDC Quantity.

The formula is: HCPCS units divided by CF = NDC Quantity

Note: Using the CF value to determine the NDC Quantity is only applicable when a single NDC makes up the HCPCS code. If more than one NDC makes up the HCPCS code, the portion (percentage) each NDC contributed will need to be identified before the NDC quantities for each are determined.

EXAMPLES

In the following examples, the Palmetto Web site is used to determine the UOM, CF, and the NDC Quantity (indirectly) for an NDC. Example 1 is a commonly billed HCPCS code. Examples 2 and 3 demonstrate how one HCPCS code could be billed two separate ways, depending on the NDC(s) used to make up the HCPCS code.

Example 1

Patient receives eight units of HCPCS J0696, injection, Ceftriaxone Sodium, per 250 mg. Provider administers NDC 00004-1964-04 (Rocephin[®], 1 Gram vial). Using the Palmetto Web site, the conversion factor for this NDC is four. Therefore, eight units of HCPCS J0696 divided by CF (4) equals two NDC units. The Palmetto Web site shows the 'Billing Units' for this NDC to be EA (UOM is UN).

The provider submits the following information when billing eight units of J0696 made up of NDC 00004-1964-04:

NDC = 00004-1964-04

NDC Quantity = 2

UOM = UN

Unit Price = If unknown, submit \$0.00.

Example 2

Patient receives two units of HCPCS J2543, injection, Piperacillin Sodium/Tazobactam Sodium, 1 Gram/0.125 Grams (1.125 Grams total). Two HCPCS units equal 2.25 grams. Provider administers NDC 00206-8452-16 (Zosyn[®], 2.25 Gram vial). Using the Palmetto

Web site, the conversion factor for this NDC is two. Therefore, two units of HCPCS J2543 divided by the CF (2) equals one NDC unit. The Palmetto Web site shows the Billing Units for this NDC to be EA (UOM is UN).

The provider submits the following information when billing two units of J2543 made up of NDC 00206-8452-16:

NDC = 00206-8452-16

NDC Quantity = 1

UOM = UN

Unit Price = If unknown, submit \$0.00.

Example 3

Patient receives two units of HCPCS J2543 (like Example 2). Provider administers NDC 00206-8820-02 (Zosyn, 2.25 Grams/50 mls). Again, the Palmetto Web site shows the Billing Units to be ML (same UOM). The CF is 0.04. To determine the NDC Quantity, divide the HCPCS units by the CF ($2/0.04 = 50$).

The provider submits the following information when billing two units of J2543 made up of NDC 00206-8820-02:

NDC = 00206-8820-02

NDC Quantity = 50

UOM = ML

Unit Price = If unknown, submit \$0.00.

Information about the Kansas Medical Assistance Program as well as provider manuals and other publications are on the KMAP Web site at <https://www.kmap-state-ks.us>.

If you have any questions, please contact the KMAP Customer Service Center at 1-800-933-6593 (in-state providers) or (785) 274-5990 between 7:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Drug-related HCPCS Codes That Will Require NDC Information Starting July 1, 2006

Please note the following regarding the list below:

- HCPCS codes listed are not an indication of coverage
- Updated versions will be published at regular intervals
- List reflects what was in effect at the time published and is subject to daily changes

90281	90283	90287	90288	90291	90371	90375	90376	90378	90379	90384
90385	90386	90389	90393	90396	90399	90585	90586	90740	90741	90742
A4216	A4217	A4218	A4319	A4323	A4712	A7020	A9500	A9535	A9536	A9537
A9540	A9541	A9542	A9543	A9544	A9545	A9546	A9547	A9548	A9549	A9550
A9551	A9552	A9553	A9554	A9555	A9556	A9557	A9558	A9559	A9560	A9561
A9562	A9563	A9564	A9565	A9566	A9567	A9698	B4164	B4168	B4172	B4176
B4178	B4180	B4184	B4185	B4186	B4189	B4193	B4197	B4199	B4216	B5000
B5100	B5200	C1024	C1045	C1058	C1065	C1066	C1079	C1080	C1081	C1082
C1083	C1084	C1086	C1087	C1089	C1090	C1091	C1092	C1093	C1094	C1095
C1096	C1097	C1098	C1099	C1122	C1178	C1188	C1200	C1201	C1202	C1203
C1205	C1348	C1775	C2637	C9000	C9001	C9002	C9003	C9004	C9005	C9006
C9007	C9008	C9009	C9011	C9012	C9017	C9018	C9019	C9020	C9100	C9102
C9103	C9104	C9105	C9106	C9107	C9108	C9110	C9112	C9113	C9114	C9115
C9117	C9118	C9121	C9126	C9202	C9203	C9205	C9211	C9212	C9218	C9224
C9225	C9402	C9403	C9404	C9405	C9435	C9436	C9437	C9439	G9017	G9020
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J0410	J0420	J0430	J0440	J0450	J0456	J0460	J0470	J0475	J0476	J0490
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Q9962	Q9963	Q9964	S0010	S0011	S0012	S0014	S0017	S0020	S0021	S0023

S0024	S0028	S0029	S0030	S0032	S0034	S0039	S0040	S0071	S0072	S0073
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S0196	S0197	S0198	S4989	S4990	S4991	S4993	S4995	S5000	S5001	S5002
S5003	S5010	S5011	S5012	S5013	S5014	S5022	S5550	S5551	S5552	S5553
S5565	S5566	S5570	S5571	S8002	S8003	S8060	S8085	S9055		

NDC Detail Attachment

This form is a required attachment for any KMAP paper claim billed using a drug HCPCS code on a CMS-1500 or a UB-92.

Provider Name _____	Provider Number _____	
Beneficiary Name _____	Beneficiary ID Number _____	Date of Service _____

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Please fill in:

- The corresponding line number from the CMS-1500 (HCFA-1500) or the UB-92
- NDC number used
- The drug description
- The actual quantity (units) given to the patient
- Circle the appropriate basis of measurement
- * The unit price (if known)

Legend:

GR – Gram
ML - Milliliter
UN - Unit
F2 – International Unit