





Encounter Data Processing System General Updates

- MAOs and other entities should submit all questions regarding MAO-002 reports to the Incident Tracking
 Tool. For a quicker response, questions related to front-end edits and submissions reflected on the TA1,
 999, or 277CA reports can be submitted directly to CSSC. All other questions should be submitted to the
 EDS Inbox at eds@ardx.net.
- MAOs and other entities should continue submitting Tier 1 and Tier 2 data for Professional and Institutional end-to-end testing.



MAO-002 Reports

- Edit 98325 Claim is an Exact Duplicate of a Previously Priced Claim is an error that is still appearing on MAO-002 reports due to MAOs submitting encounters that have previously been submitted and successfully processed through the EDPS. Please ensure ICNs are unique when submitting new encounter files. Duplicate errors related to TC14 Chart Review encounters were sent in error and should be resubmitted for processing. MAO-002 reports that have not been sent are being reprocessed for return to submitters by 5/09.
- Edit 00265 Adjustment or Void ICN Not Found in History will appear if encounters have been submitted without an original ICN or with an ICN number that does not conform to the EDS ICN structure (i.e. EDTEBA000800). Please ensure the a valid ICN is submitted for adjustment or void encounters.
- Edit 02240 Beneficiary Not Enrolled in Medicare Advantage Organization for Date of Service will appear if the member status was not effective during the date of service. Ensure that the member status is effective during the date of service and members with a date of death within the service date is not submitted. The edit is working correctly and further analysis is continuing. If you receive this edit message in error and have verified member data against CMS member files, please report the discrepancy using the EDS Incident Tracking Tool. Please include the encounter ICN in the incident report.
- Edit 02110 Beneficiary Health Insurance Number (HICN) Not on File will appear if the member was not active during 2012. Ensure that the beneficiary membership status was active in 2012. Additional research is being performed to validate results on this edit, further instructions will be provided.
- MAO-002 reports for testing files are being sent within seven (7) business days of submission.
- MAO-002 reports for production files will be sent within five (5) business days of submission.



End-To-End Testing

Every week, the EDPS bulletin will provide the results of MAO-002 reports analysis with top errors and any notable findings. For the week of April 30, MAO-002 reports reflected the following errors:

- 98325 Claim is an Exact Duplicate of a Previously Priced Claim
- 02240 Beneficiary Not Enrolled in Medicare Advantage Organization for Date of Service
- 02110 Beneficiary Health Insurance Carrier Number (HICN) Not on File
- 00265 Adjustment or Void ICN Not Found in History
- 03102 Provider Type or Specialty Not Allowed to Bill Procedure

The EDPS Bulletin is a weekly bulletin providing the latest updates on encounter data processing to MAOs and other entities. For further system related questions, comments or concerns, please contact eds@ardx.net. Thank you for being a part of the encounter data team.

