

Fact Sheet on Health Care Service: Data Reporting Guide

- **Objective:** Maintain a standardized format and data content for reporting health care service data that is compatible with the 837 Health Claim transaction set standards identified by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA)
- **Accomplishments:** Published first version of guide in 2003
- **Highlights of Planned Changes**
 - Support being added for ICD-10-CM Diagnosis Codes
 - Support being added for ICD-10-PCS Procedure codes
 - Additional “slots” for reporting external cause of injury codes being included.
 - A separate “slot” for reporting admitting diagnosis and the Patient’s Reason for Visit being included.

NOTE: All the above changes also being included in the health care claim guides

- Support being added for National Provider Identifier
- Refining situational notes in accordance with ANSI ASC X12N TG4 implementation guide guidelines
 - If not required, do not send
 - If not required, may be provided at the sender’s discretion
- Synchronizing of the Health Care Service: Data Reporting Guide with the Health Care Claim guides where appropriate.
- Working with NUBC to better clarify ambiguous definitions (i.e. inpatient & outpatient)

Unanswered Questions

- Should the next release of the HCSDRG include support for **professional services?**
- Should the next release of the HCSDRG include support for **more clinical data?**
- Should the next release of the HCSDRG include support for the **diagnosis indicator for external cause of injury codes?**

Summary

- October 2003 (5010) Version of Health Care Service: Data Reporting Guide in progress & help appreciated.
- Draft for review and comment expected by end of July 2004.
- Constantly seeking input and comment on clarity and content of the Health Care Service: Data Reporting Guide.