Subpart P—Health Care Electronic Funds Transfers (EFT) and Remittance Advice

§ 162.1601 Health care electronic funds transfers (EFT) and remittance advice transaction.

The health care electronic funds transfers (EFT) and remittance advice transaction is the transmission of either of the following for health care:

(a) The transmission of any of the following from a health plan to a health care provider:
   (1) Payment.
   (2) Information about the transfer of funds.
   (3) Payment processing information.

(b) The transmission of either of the following from a health plan to a health care provider:
   (1) Explanation of benefits.
   (2) Remittance advice.

§ 162.1602 Standards for health care electronic funds transfers (EFT) and remittance advice transaction.

The Secretary adopts the following standards:


(b) For the period from March 17, 2009 through December 31, 2011, both:
   (1) The standard identified in paragraph (a) of this section; and
   (2) The ASC X12 Standards for Electronic Data Interchange Technical Report Type 3—Benefit Enrollment and Maintenance (834), August 2006, ASC X12N/005010X220 (Incorporated by reference in §162.920).

(c) For the period on and after January 1, 2012, the standard identified in paragraph (b)(2) of this section.

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§ 162.1603 Operating rules for health care electronic funds transfers (EFT) and remittance advice transaction.

On and after January 1, 2014, the Secretary adopts the following for the health care electronic funds transfers (EFT) and remittance advice transaction:

(a) The Phase III CORE EFT & ERA Operating Rule Set, Approved June 2012 (Incorporated by reference in §162.920) which includes the following rules:
   (1) Phase III CORE 380 EFT Enrollment Data Rule, version 3.0.0, June 2012.
   (2) Phase III CORE 382 ERA Enrollment Data Rule, version 3.0.0, June 2012.
   (3) Phase III 360 CORE Uniform Use of CARCs and RARCs (835) Rule, version 3.0.0, June 2012.
   (4) CORE-required Code Combinations for CORE-defined Business Scenarios for the Phase III CORE 360 Uniform Use of Claim Adjustment Reason Codes and Remittance Advice Remark Codes (835) Rule, version 3.0.0, June 2012.
   (5) Phase III CORE 370 EFT & ERA Reassociation (CCD+/835) Rule, version 3.0.0, June 2012.
   (6) Phase III CORE 350 Health Care Claim Payment/Advice (835) Infrastructure Rule, version 3.0.0, June 2012, except Requirement 4.2 titled “Health Care Claim Payment/Advice Batch Acknowledgement Requirements”.

(b) ACME Health Plan, CORE v5010 Master Companions Guide Template, 005010X221, April 2006, ASC X12N/005010X221. (Incorporated by reference in §162.920).

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§ 162.1701 Health plan premium payments transaction.

The health plan premium payments transaction is the transmission of any of the following from the entity that is arranging for the provision of health care or is providing health care coverage payments for an individual to a health plan:

(a) Payment.
(b) Information about the transfer of funds.
(c) Detailed remittance information about individuals for whom premiums are being paid.
(d) Payment processing information to transmit health care premium payments including any of the following:
   (1) Payroll deductions.
   (2) Other group premium payments.
   (3) Associated group premium payment information.

§ 162.1702 Standards for health plan premium payments transaction.

The Secretary adopts the following standards for the health plan premium payments transaction:


(b) For the period on and after January 1, 2012, the standard identified in paragraph (b) of this section.

(1) The standard identified in paragraph (a) of this section, and
(2) The ASC X12 Standards for Electronic Data Interchange Technical Report Type 3—Payroll Deducted and Other Group Premium Payment for Insurance Products (820), February 2007, ASC X12N/005010X218. (Incorporated by reference in §162.920.)

(c) For the period on and after January 1, 2012, the standard identified in paragraph (b)(2) of this section.

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