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All Provider Types

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Starting today, **September 6, 2016**, eMedNY's Provider Testing Environment (PTE) is available for submitters to test their Medicaid claims with updated 2017 ICD-10 diagnosis codes and their inpatient hospital claims that utilize updated 2017 ICD-10 procedure codes.

Test claims must be submitted for dates of service on or after September 1, 2016 up to the date of the test submission in order to be adjudicated with the ICD-10 updates provided by CMS. Future dates of service are not allowed.

What is PTE?

The eMedNY PTE allows NYS Medicaid trading partners to test batch and real-time Electronic Data Interchange transactions against the same validation and adjudication logic as the eMedNY production environment. In order to allow for iterative testing, PTE does not apply edits involving duplicate and near-duplicate claims nor prior authorization submissions. Additionally, no claim or prior authorization are pended in PTE.

How to Use the eMedNY Provider Testing Environment

- All submitters must use an active ETIN when submitting transactions to PTE.
- Most existing eMedNY access methods may be used except ePACES, VeriFone POS, Audio Response Unit (ARU), and paper.
- For all ASC X12 inbound and outbound PTE transactions, "Test Indicator" in ISA15 must be set to "T", otherwise they will be processed through the production environment.
- Only 2 files per day, per user with a maximum of 50 claims on a file are allowed.
- The PTE weekly adjudication cycle ends on Fridays and remittances are delivered the following week according to the submitter's/provider's production settings.

Important Mapping Note: Due to the fact that NYS Medicaid will not be receiving the ICD-10 mapper from our vendor until September 27, 2016, accurate and complete testing may not be possible until sometime after this date. Providers and trading partners are still encouraged to test but they should be aware that test results may not be as expected. We will notify the providers and trading partners as soon as we have an update on this subject.

More information about ICD-10 changes may be found at www.emedny.org/icd

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