

NYSDOH Reserved Characters

NYS Medicaid has reserved certain Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) values for specific purposes. If any of the values listed in the table below are found within a data element on your claim it will be returned in your 835/820 HIPAA transaction (Remittance Advice) with a value of a space " ".

Asterisk	*	For Element Separator
Vertical Pipe	 	For Sub-element Separator
Tilde	~	For Segment Terminator

Please refrain from using these values as part of a data element in the future.