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## NYS MEDICAID FEE FOR SERVICE NCPDP D.0 BILLING CLARIFICATION FOR 340B DRUG CLAIMS

This is a clarification for submitting NYS Medicaid FFS 340B pharmacy claims in the NCPDP format. 340B drug claims submitted via the NCPDP D.0 format need to be properly identified as 340B and submitted at the 340B acquisition cost.

The following fields are required on 340B drug claims submitted in the NCPDP format:

- Value of '20' in field 420-DK, Submission Clarification Code; AND
- Value of '08' in field 423-DN, Basis of Cost Determination; AND
- 340B acquisition cost in field 409-D9, Ingredient Cost Submitted

Editing will be put in place in December 2017 that will require a pharmacy to submit all three fields when identifying a NCPDP pharmacy drug claim as 340B. Additionally, editing will check the ingredient cost submitted against the drug's 340B ceiling price as defined by the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA).

Pharmacies are still expected to submit field **426-DQ**, Usual and Customary Cost, as the lowest net charge that a non-Medicaid, 340B eligible patient would pay for the same prescription.

The above guidance clarifies previous billing guidance for NYS Medicaid FFS 340B claims submitted via the NCPDP D.0 format by specifying that 340B acquisition cost MUST be reported in field 409-D9, Ingredient Cost Submitted.

Billing questions regarding the FFS program should be directed to the eMedNY Call Center at (800) 343-9000.