

Vision Care

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Optical Establishments must bill with the Medicaid Provider ID Number (MMIS/NPI) of the entity where the services were rendered. They also need to include on the claim the Medicaid Provider ID # (MMIS/NPI) of the salaried optician or salaried optometrist who performed the service as the rendering/servicing provider.

Billing instructions-Paper:

Contact Details: 1-800-343-9000 emednyalert@csra.com The billing provider for paper is reported in field 25A. The rendering/servicing provider for paper NPI is reported in field 22C and their name is reported in field 22A.

Electronic:

The billing provider for 837P is reported in Ref: Loop 2010AA NM109 or Loop 2310B NM109.

The rendering/servicing provider is reported in 837P Ref: Loop 2310B NM1, and the name is reported in 837P Ref: Loop 2310B NM1.

The billing instructions for vision care specifically state that rendering provider's information MUST be completed ONLY by Optical Establishment providers enrolled with category of service 0401, 0402 or 0423 that employ either or both licensed ophthalmic dispensers (opticians) and/or licensed optometrists. Rendering provider fields SHOULD NOT be completed by categories of service 0404 (self-employed optician), 0405 (eye prostheses supplier) and 0422 (self-employed optometrists) who are the billing providers. If rendering provider and billing provider are the same, the rendering provider field is left blank.

If the rendering or servicing salaried optician or salaried optometrist is not enrolled in NYS Medicaid they must

enroll at

https://www.emedny.org/info/ProviderEnrollment/index.aspx . On this page providers can choose a link to their provider type. Complete the enrollment form, follow all instructions and provide required documentation. Providers can call CSRA at 800-343-9000 for assistance.

NYS Medicaid requires physicians and other healthcare professionals to be enrolled either in fee for service Medicaid as billing provider or as an ordering/prescribing/referring/attending (OPRA) provider

If the professional is not enrolled in FFS Medicaid (billing or as an OPRA provider), under federal law Medicaid must deny the FFS claim for the ordered service. Consequently, the billing entity must include the respective professional's Medicaid ID or NPI on all claims. If the required Medicaid ID/NPI is not provided, the claim is subject to denial or recoupment if paid in error. More information is provided in the December 2013 Medicaid Update (Special Edition Vol. 29, Number 13). http://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/program/updat e/2013/dec13_muspec.pdf

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