



GENERAL MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE BILLING REMINDERS

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Effective 10/01/15, AHCCCS integrated general mental health and substance abuse services (GMH/SA) for Dual (Medicare/Medicaid) adult members, i.e. 18 and older.

The billing format for GMH/SA services is determined by the provider/location rendering the service.

Integrated Clinics and Behavioral Health Outpatient Clinics

Services received at an Integrated Clinic or Behavioral Health Outpatient Clinic are billed under the clinic location as indicated below.

- Rendering Provider = service location, not a practitioner name. Also, the site specific NPI is used as the rendering provider and is placed in the following location:
 - Paper claim Box 24J
 - EDI claim loop 2310B bill (Note: If loop 2010AA: NM109 also contains the site location NPI, loop 2310B can be left blank)
- Leave the signature field is blank for clinic facility billing. The signature field is located in the following place on the paper and EDI claim:
 - Paper claim Box 31
 - EDI claim loop 2300: CLM06

AHCCCS Registered Practitioner

Services rendered by an AHCCCS registered practitioner, i.e. Licensed Marriage/Family Therapist (LMFT), Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC), Licensed Independent Substance Abuse Counselor (LISAC), Physician (MD), Physician Assistant (PA), Nurse Practitioner (NP), Social Worker (LCSW) or a Psychologist, are billed under the rendering practitioner.

- Rendering provider = the practitioner. Also, the practitioner's NPI is placed in the following location:
 - Paper claim Box 24J
 - EDI claim loop 2310B
- The signature field is populated with the rendering practitioner's name. The signature field is located in the following place on the paper and EDI claim:
 - Paper claim Box 31
 - EDI claim loop 2300: CLM06

If you have questions or need assistance, please contact Care1st Provider Network Operations using the information below. *Thank you!*

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