WA L&I EDI Announcement

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Re: Changes to Medical Requirements tables for the WA Electronic Data Interchange (EDI); New Version (V1.7, revised and posted 02/02/2018, effective 03/02/2018) Now Available!

Please forward this announcement to the person in your company who oversees your workers' compensation medical bill data reporting in Washington State.

We have updated L&I's Medical Requirements tables. The updated version (V1.7, dated 02/02/2018) has been posted and is available for download at https://walniedi.info/. You can find the updated tables under the "EDI Requirements" links on the left-hand side of the page along with detailed information about the changes in the "Requirement Tables Change Log" located near the bottom of the "EDI Requirements" page.

Highlight of changes to the Requirement Tables effective 03/02/2018

Refer to V1.7 Change Log for specifics of the following changes:

- WA L&I expects reporting of bills only on claims with dates of injury on or after January 1, 2002. This change will reduce the number of 'Match Data' errors on archived claims.
- When DN0005 - Jurisdiction Claim Number (JCN) is not yet established in the L&I claims system, the bill will be rejected, and the Ack Error (IR) 039 - No match on database, will be sent.
- When the Trading Partner does not send DN0006 - Insurer FEIN, DN0187 - Claim Administrator FEIN, or DN0014 - Claim Administrator Postal Code, as approved in their profile, then the bill will be rejected with an Ack Error (IR) 039 - No match on database.
- WA will accept any valid ICD-9 and/or ICD-10 for all bill types regardless of DN0509 - Service Bill Date(s) Range.
- As long as the code is valid for the data element, WA will accept either the:
  - HCPCS or the WA L&I Fee Schedule Procedure Codes
  - HCPCS or the WA L&I Modifier Codes-Appendix E
- WA L&I is removing any reference to 'Voluntary Events' as that table has become obsolete. All the dates related to that table are in the past.

For additional information or help, please contact your Support Team for the WA EDI at walniedi@iso.com or visit https://walniedi.info.

Thank you,
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