

### **Basic Billing for Hospice**

Provider Relations

2022

Must enter two of the following: tax ID, NPI, or 7 digit Ohio Medicaid provider number Staff are available weekdays from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Calls directed through the IVR prior to accessing the customer call center

IVR: 1-800-686-1516



#### **Helpful Phone Numbers**

➤ OSHIIP (Ohio Senior Health Insurance Information Program)
1-800-686-1578



Coordination of Benefits Section 614-752-5768 614-728-0757 (fax)



#### Medicaid Medical Necessity: OAC 5160-1-01

# Is the fundamental concept underlying the Medicaid Program



All services must meet accepted standards of medical practice



#### **Ohio Medicaid Covers:**



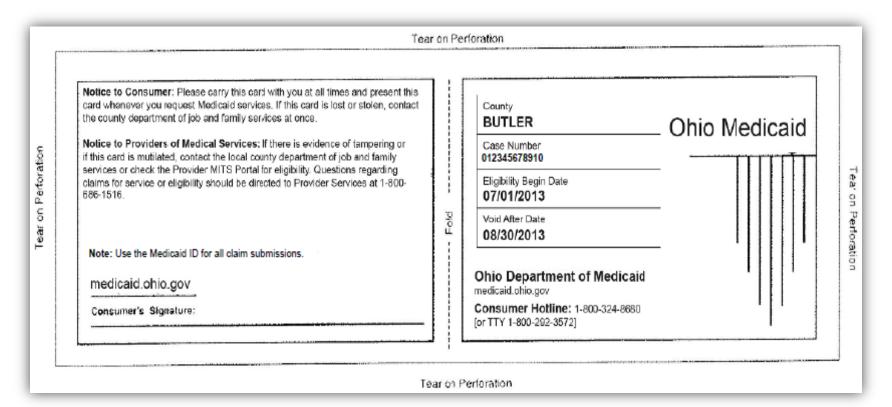
- Covered Families and Children
- > Expansion Population
- ➤ Aged, Blind, or People with Disabilities
- Home and Community Based Waivers
- ➤ Medicare Premium Assistance
- Hospital Care Assurance Program
- Medicaid Managed Care

## **Programs & Cards**



#### **Programs & Cards**

- Ohio Medicaid
  - »This card is the traditional fee-for-service Medicaid card
  - »Issued annually as of October 1, 2018



#### Conditions of Eligibility and Verifications: OAC 5160:1-2-10

- ➤ Individuals must cooperate with requests from third-party insurance companies needing to authorize coverage
- ➤ Individuals must cooperate with requests from a Medicaid provider for information which is needed in order to bill third-party insurances
- Providers may contact the local CDJFS office to report non-cooperative individuals
- > CDJFS may terminate eligibility

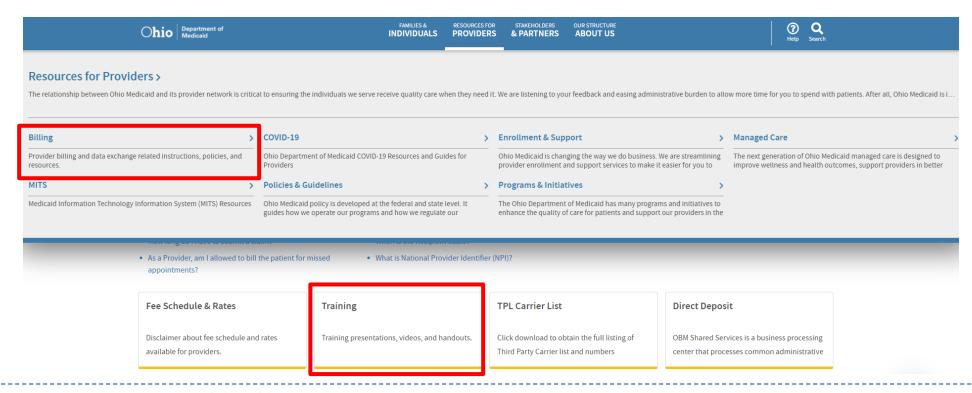
Full Medicaid eligibility on the MITS Portal will show four benefit spans:

- 1. Alcohol and Drug Addiction Services
- 2. MRDD Targeted Case Management
- 3. Ohio Mental Health
- 4. Medicaid

Additional spans when applicable:

- Alternative Benefit Plan for extension adults
- Medicaid School Program if applicable by age





#### **Training Videos**

Ohio Medicaid has created a compilation of training videos that cover a variety of topics for providers. If questions remain after reviewing these videos, contact Ohio Medicaid Provider Assistance at 1-800-686-1516.

Check back frequently as training videos will be added as needed. If there are issues viewing these videos, make sure your pop-up blocker is turned off.

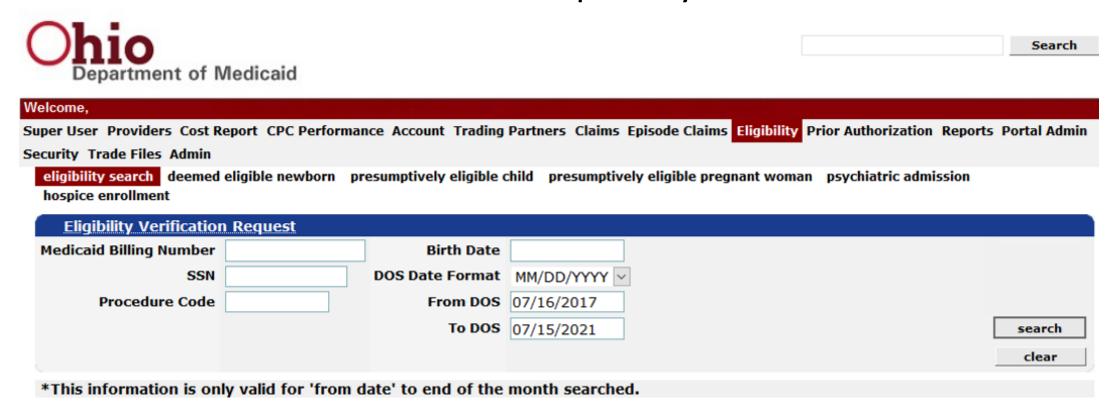
Presumptive Eligibility (PE) Portal Walk Through for Qualified Entities

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• Eligibility Search

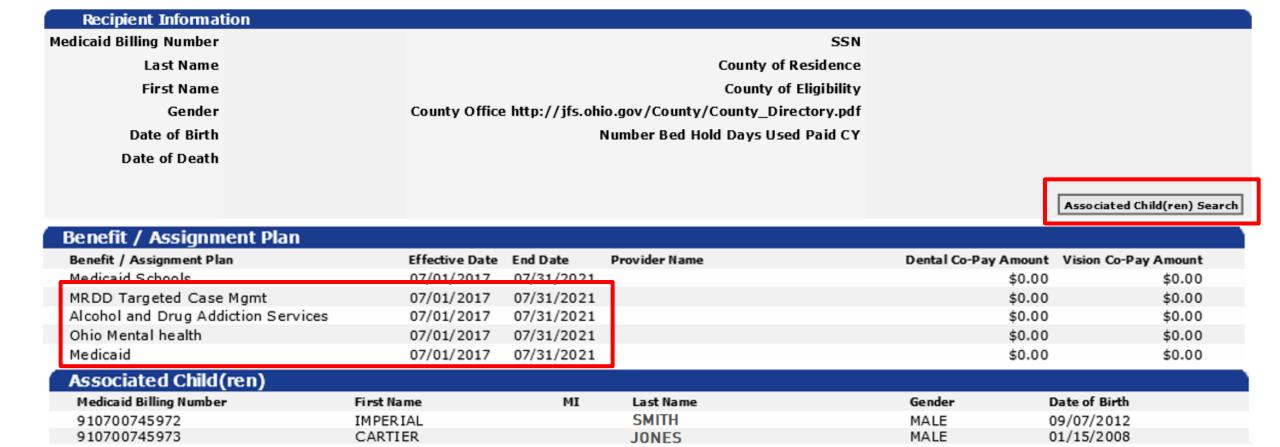


#### You can search up to 4 years back



TIP: Always check eligibility prior to billing

- The effective and end dates of will be based off the dates used in the search
- The associated child(ren) search will bring up any child associated with the member's ID





If an individual has a third-party payer, you can find that information under the TPL panel

						TPL						
Carrier Name	Ca	arrier Number	NAIC	Policy Number	Policy Holder		Coverage Type	Coverage		Effective Date	End Date	<b>Group Number</b>
AARP HEALTH (	ARE 00	0570		082020820-1			IND	INPATIENT COVER	RAGE	01/30/2021	01/31/2021	PLAN-NV
AARP HEALTH O	ARE 00	0570		082020820-1			IND	PHYSICIAN/OUTP COVERAGE	ATIENT	01/30/2021	01/31/2021	PLAN-NV
<b>AETNA US HEAL</b>	TH 00	0250		W116611666			IND	INPATIENT COVER	RAGE	01/30/2021	01/31/2021	724775
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Managed Care												
Plan Name				Plan De	scription			Effective Date	End Date	e Mar	naged Care Benefit	ts
CARESOURCE				нмо,	CFC			01/01/2021	01/31	/2021		
						Lock-In						
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						Medicare						
Coverage	Effective Date	End Dat	e	Plan Name			F	Plan ID		1edicare ID		
PART A	12/01/2020	12/08	/2020						2	272027209D6		
PART B	12/01/2020	12/08	/2020						2	272027209D6		
					Se	ervice Limitat	ion					
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Enter a Procedure Code on the Eliqibility Verification Request panel to search for Service Limitations.



#### **Medicaid Pre-Release Enrollment Program**



- Institutionalized individuals close to release are enrolled into a Medicaid Managed Care plan, prior to release
- > Individual must agree and be eligible for the program
- > MCP Care Manager will develop a transition plan
- ➤ Combined effort with ODRC, Ohio MHAS, ODH, and MCPs
- ➤ All DRC facilities activated by January 2017
- ➤ More than 20,000 individuals have benefited from this program



#### **DRC Inpatient Hospitalization**



1. ODRC sends applications to ODM Direct Enrollment Unit for offenders who are admitted to a hospital for a period of at least 24 hours

2. ODM Direct Enrollment Unit processes the application and maintains the case in their ODM caseload

3. Eligibility for a full year is approved, then Pre-Termination Review (PTR) to determine if there is a need to keep on Medicaid



#### **Inpatient Hospital Services Plan (IHSP)**

If an individual has an IHSP benefit, the benefit / assignment plan panel will show this:

edicaid Billing Number		SS	N	
Last Name		County of Residence	e	
First Name		County of Eligibilit	у	
Gender	County Office htt	tp://jfs.ohio.gov/county/cntydir.str	n	
Date of Birth	,	Number Bed Hold Days Used Paid CY		
Date of Death				
Benefit / Assignment Plan				
Benefit / Assignment Plan	Effective Date End Date	Provider Name	Dental Co-Pay Amount	Vision Co-Pay Amount
Inpatient Hospital Services Plan	07/01/2021 07/31/2021		\$0.00	\$0.00



Covers children up to age 19 and pregnant women

Was expanded to provide coverage for parent and caretaker relatives and extension adults

This is a limited benefit to allow for full determination of eligibility for medical assistance



➤ Hospitals and Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs) are eligible to participate in Ohio's presumptive eligibility initiative

- ➤ To become a Qualified Entity complete the steps described here:
  - https://medicaid.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/medicaid/resources-forproviders/billing/presumptive-eligibility-training/presumptiveeligibility-training



# Individuals will receive a Presumptive Eligibility letter if a state qualified entity determines the eligibility

#### Presumptive Eligibility

MISSISSIPPI RIVERS 21 S FRONT ST COLUMBUS, OH 43215

The following individuals have temporary Medicaid coverage under Presumptive Eligibility (PE). The Qualified Entity (QE) has enrolled these persons based on the unverified self-declaration of the patient's household income, U.S. citizenship or qualified alien status, Ohio residency, and pregnancy (if applicable).

Coverage will stop unless the individuals' Medicaid applications are processed.

Any individuals not given temporary coverage may still file applications for full Medicaid coverage.

#### APPROVED:

Name (First, M.I., Last Name)	Date of Birth	PE Type	Date Coverage Begins	Medicaid ID
MISSISSIPPI RIVERS	01/01/1987	PE PREGNANT	05/09/2021	910001331813



#### Other members will receive this Presumptive Eligibility letter:

#### **CDJFS Presumptive Eligibility**

John Doe 123 Main St. Anytown, OH 43210

The following individuals have temporary Medicaid coverage under Presumptive Eligibility (PE). The County Department of Job and Family Services (CDJFS) enrolled these persons based on the unverified self-declaration of the patient's household income, U.S. citizenship or qualified alien status, Ohio residency, and pregnancy (if applicable).

Presumptive eligibility will stop when a decision is made on your full Medicaid application.

Any individuals not given temporary coverage may still file applications for full Medicaid coverage.

#### APPROVED:

Name (First, M.I., Last Name)	Date of Birth	PE Type	Date Coverage Begins	Medicaid ID
John Doe	11/19/1959	PE Adult	06/25/2021	910194194194



#### The benefit/assignment plan will look like this:

ledicaid Billing Number	SSN
Last Name	County of Residence
First Name	County of Eligibility
Gender	County Office http://jfs.ohio.gov/county/cntydir.stm
Date of Birth	Number Bed Hold Days Used Paid CY
Date of Death	

Benefit / Assignment Plan					
Benefit / Assignment Plan	Effective Date	End Date	Provider Name	Dental Co-Pay Amount	Vision Co-Pay Amount
PRESUMPTIVE:MRDD Targeted Case Mgmt	02/14/2019	09/30/2021		\$0.00	\$0.00
PRESUMPTIVE: Alcohol and Drug Addiction Services	02/14/2019	09/30/2021		\$0.00	\$0.00
PRESUMPTIVE: Medicald	02/14/2019	09/30/2021		\$0.00	\$0.00
PRESUMPTIVE: Ohio Mental health	02/14/2019	09/30/2021		\$0.00	\$0.00

Qualified
Medicare
Beneficiary
(QMB)

Issued to qualified consumers who receive Medicare

Reimbursement policy is set under 5160-1 and can result in a payment of zero dollars

Medicaid only
covers their monthly
Medicare premium,
co-insurance and/or
deductible after
Medicare has paid



#### Can I Bill Them?

MLN Matters® Number: MM11230 Revised Release Date of Revised Article: July 3, 2019

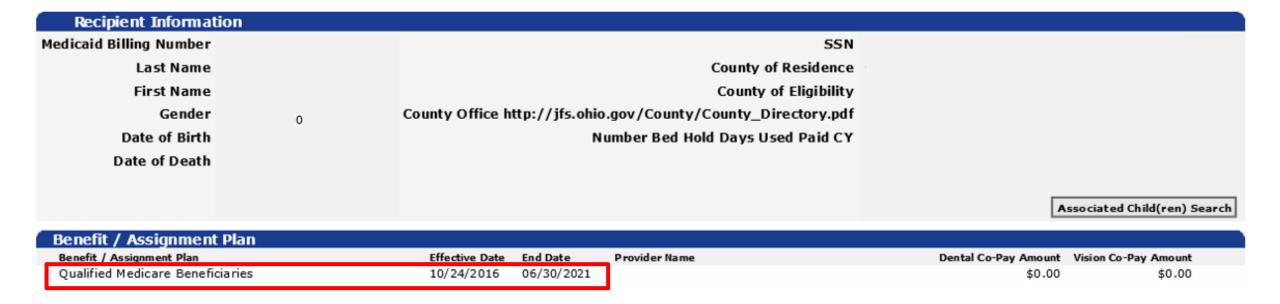
# Billing individuals enrolled in the QMB program is prohibited by federal law

Federal law bars Medicare providers and suppliers from billing an individual enrolled in the QMB program for Medicare Part A and Part B cost sharing for covered items and services (see Sections 1902(n)(3)(B), 1902(n)(3)(C), 1905(p)(3), 1866(a)(1)(A), and 1848(g)(3)(A) of the Social Security Act [the Act]). The QMB system updates are part of CMS' ongoing efforts to help providers comply with QMB billing prohibitions.



#### **QMB**

# Qualified Medicare Beneficiary will show up in the benefit/assignment plan panel



Income
Medicare
Beneficiary
(SLMB) &
Qualifying
Individual (QI-1)

There is NO cost-sharing eligibility

We ONLY
pay their
Part B
premium to
Medicare

This is NOT Medicaid eligibility



#### SLMB and QI 1 / QI 2

This is what will appear in the benefit/assignment plan panel if the individual has SLMB:

Benefit / Assignment Plan					
Benefit / Assignment Plan	Effective Date	End Date	Provider Name	Dental Co-Pay Amount	Vision Co-Pay Amount
SLMB	05/01/2017	07/31/2021		\$0.00	\$0.00

This is what will appear if the individual has QI 1/QI 2:

Benefit / Assignment Plan					
Benefit / Assignment Plan	Effective Date	End Date	Provider Name	Dental Co-Pay Amount	Vision Co-Pay Amount
QI 1/QI 2	04/26/2017	07/31/2021		\$0.00	\$0.00

## Managed Care & MyCare Ohio

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## **Oversight of Managed Care Plans**

- Managed Care Plans sign a Provider Agreement
- OAC 5160-26: Traditional Managed Care
- OAC 5160-58: MyCare Ohio
- Each MCP has a Contract Administrator at the Ohio Department of Medicaid



#### 3 Population Groups Eligible for Traditional Managed Care

Medicaid Managed Care MAGI (CFC)

Medicaid Managed Care Non-MAGI (ABD)

Medicaid Managed Care Adult MAGI (expansion population)

Population added for mandatory enrollment in 2017

 Adoption children, Breast and Cervical Cancer Patients (BCCP), Foster children, and Bureau of Children with Medical Handicaps (BCMH)



#### **Managed Care Benefit Package**

Managed Care Plans (MCPs) must cover all medically necessary Medicaid covered services



Online searchable provider directory





Toll-free 24/7 hotline for medical advice



Expanded benefits including additional transportation options plus other incentives



Care management to help members coordinate care



#### **Adult Extension and HCBS Waiver**

- ✓ Adults eligible via the extension will be able to access a home and community based waiver (HCBS) if a level of care requirement is met (MCPs are responsible for state plan health care services)
- ✓ HCBS waivers include: Passport, Ohio Home Care, and Assisted Living
  (Fee-For-Service Medicaid is still responsible for waiver services)
- ✓ Current HCBS waiver case management agencies will continue to coordinate waiver services

#### **MITS Managed Care Eligibility**

If an individual is enrolled in a Managed Care Plan, the plan information will be shown in the Managed Care panel along with the effective and end dates.

Benefit / Assignment Plan						
Benefit / Assignment Plan	Effective Date	End Date	Provider Name		Dental Co-Pay Amount	Vision Co-Pay Amount
MRDD Targeted Case Mgmt	01/01/2019	10/31/2021			\$0.00	\$0.00
Alcohol and Drug Addiction Services	01/01/2019	10/31/2021			\$0.00	\$0.00
Ohio Mental health	01/01/2019	10/31/2021			\$0.00	\$0.00
Medicaid	01/01/2019	10/31/2021			\$0.00	\$0.00
MRDD Targeted Case Mgmt	10/24/2018	12/31/2018			\$0.00	\$0.00
Alcohol and Drug Addiction Services	10/24/2018	12/31/2018			\$0.00	\$0.00
Ohio Mental health	10/24/2018	12/31/2018			\$0.00	\$0.00
Medicaid	10/24/2018	12/31/2018			\$0.00	\$0.00
Case/Cat/Seq Spenddown						
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TPL						
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Managed Care						
Plan Name	Plan De	escription		Effective Date	End Date M	lanaged Care Benefits
CARESOURCE	HMO, (	CFC		10/24/2018	10/31/2021	



#### **Traditional Managed Care Contracting**

Providers who are interested in delivering services to a Managed Care member must be fully enrolled with Medicaid and have a contract or agreement with the plan

Things to know:



Each plan has a list of services that require prior authorization



Each plan will have their own billing requirements; therefore, contact the plan for the specific requirements



ABD/CFC Managed Care plan contracts may be separate from MyCare Ohio plan contracts



### **Traditional Managed Care Plans**

buckeye health plan	866-296-8731	https://www.buckeyehealthplan.com
CareSource®	800-488-0134	https://www.CareSource.com/
PARAMOUNT HEALTH CARE	855-522-9076	https://www.paramounthealthcare.com/
MOLINA® HEALTHCARE	855-322-4079	https://www.molinahealthcare.com
UnitedHealthcare*	800-600-9007	https://www.uhccommunityplan.com

# MyCare Ohio

MyCare Ohio is a demonstration project that integrates Medicare and Medicaid services into one program, operated by a Managed Care Plan

MyCare Ohio operates in seven geographic regions covering 29 counties and includes more than 100,000 beneficiaries

The project is currently slated to end on December 31, 2022

**EXTENDED** 



## MyCare Ohio Eligibility

In order to be eligible for MyCare Ohio an individual must be:

Eligible for all parts of Medicare (Parts A, B, and D) and be fully eligible for Medicaid

Over the age of 18

Residing in one of the demonstration project regions



# Groups that are *NOT* eligible for enrollment in MyCare Ohio:

Individuals with an ICF-IID level-of-care served in an ICF-IID waiver

Individuals enrolled in the PACE program

Individuals who have third-party insurance, including retirement benefits



# MITS Eligibility MyCare Opt-In

If an individual's Medicaid **and** Medicare benefits are covered by the Managed Care Plan, you will see **dual benefits**.

Managed Ca	ire					
Plan Name			Plan Description	Effective Date	End Date	Managed Care Benefits
BUCKEYE COMMUNITY HEALTH PLAN		N	HMO, MyCare Ohio	10/24/2018	09/30/2021	Dual Benefits
Lock-In						
17417			*** No rows found ***			
Medicare						
Coverage	Effective Date	End Date	Plan Name	Plan ID	Medicare ID	
PART A	10/24/2018	10/31/2019			2YU3Q39WU99	
PART B	10/24/2018	10/31/2019			2YU3Q39WU9	9
PART C	10/24/2018	09/30/2021	BUCKEYE HEALTH PLAN - MYCARE OHIO	H0022	2YU3Q39WU99	
PART D	10/24/2018	10/31/2019	*H0022/001	001	2YU3Q39WU99	



# **MITS Eligibility MyCare Opt-Out**

If the Managed Care Plan covers **only** the individual's Medicaid benefits, you will see **Medicaid Only**.

Managed Ca	are					
Plan Name			Plan Description	Effective Date	End Date	Managed Care Benefits
MOLINA HEALTHCARE OF OHIO INC		IC .	HMO, MyCare Ohio	07/01/2018	09/30/2021	Medicaid Only
Lock-In						
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Medicare						
Coverage	Effective Date	End Date	Plan Name	Plan ID	Medicare ID	
PART A	10/30/2016	10/31/2019			9RG7AP3AF00	
PART B	10/30/2016	10/31/2019			9RG7AP3AF	00
PART C	08/01/2017	09/30/2021	AARP MEDICARERX PREFERRED (PDP)	013	9RG7AP3AF00	
PART D	06/01/2018	09/30/2021	CVS CAREMARK VALUE (PDP)	028	9RG7AP3AF	600

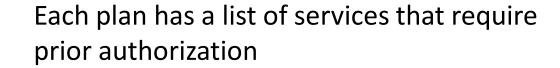


# **MyCare Managed Care Contracting**

Providers who are interested in delivering services to a MyCare Ohio member must be fully enrolled with Medicaid and have a contract or agreement with the plan

Things to know:







Each plan will have their own billing requirements; therefore, contact the plan for the specific requirements



MyCare Ohio Managed Care plan contracts may be separate from ABD/CFC plan contracts



# **MyCare Ohio Managed Care Plans**



866-296-8731 https://www.buckeyehealthplan.com/



800-488-0134 <a href="https://www.CareSource.com/MyCare">https://www.CareSource.com/MyCare</a>



855-364-0974 <a href="https://www.aetnabetterhealth.com/ohio">https://www.aetnabetterhealth.com/ohio</a>



855-322-4079 <a href="https://www.molinahealthcare.com/duals">https://www.molinahealthcare.com/duals</a>



800-600-9007 <a href="https://www.uhccommunityplan.com/">https://www.uhccommunityplan.com/</a>



# PROVIDER COMPLAINTS

## Provider licensure issues

Send to Ohio Department of Insurance (ODI)



# Certification issues

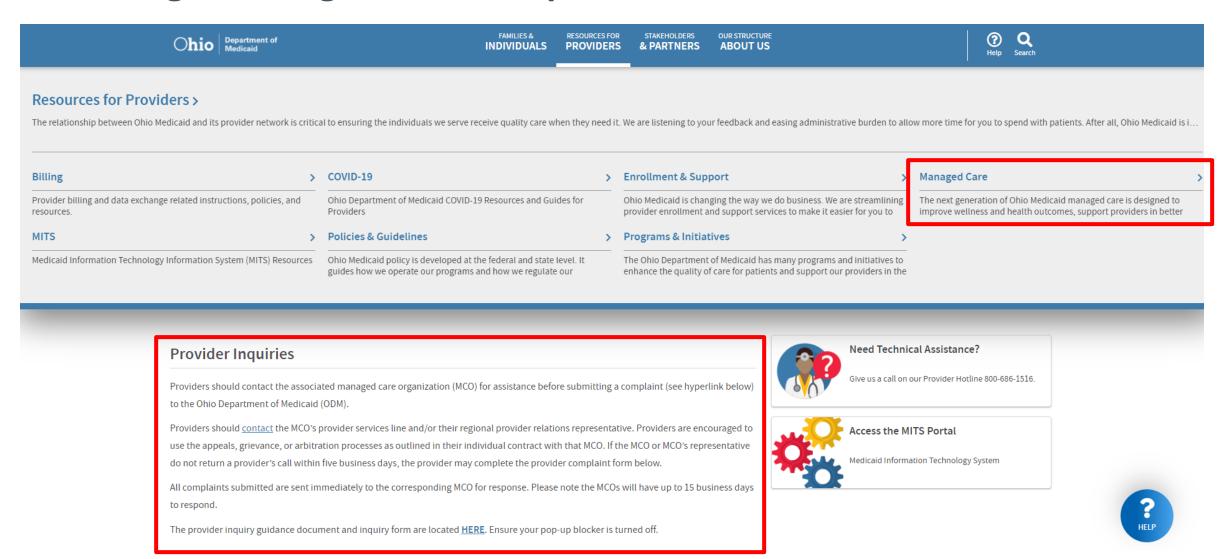
Work with the Area Agency on Aging (AAA) or ODM for MyCare Ohio waiver providers



# Work directly with the Plan first

If not resolved, submit a complaint to Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM)

Medicaid.ohio.gov > Resources for Providers > Managed Care





#### Provider Complaint Form Guidance

The Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) maintains a managed care organization (MCO) complaint form. This can be used by any provider who has first attempted to work directly with the plan but has been unsuccessful in getting an appropriate response. Before submitting a complaint, providers should check the plan's Claims Payment Systemic Errors (CPSE) report for the issue in question.

MCO's receive these complaints directly, in real time, and have 15 business days to respond to the provider with a resolution. Providers are encouraged to utilize the appeals, grievance, or arbitration processes as outlined in their individual contract with the plan. ODM staff review complaints to verify whether the plan has contacted the provider and given an answer to their question(s). ODM staff cannot arbitrate between the plan and providers.

**Please note**: ODM does not follow-up with all providers on complaints submitted. ODM reviews all complaints and tracks trends.

#### **Submission Tips:**

Providers may add supporting documentation directly onto the provider complaint form.

If multiple individuals are affected by a single issue with a plan, the provider is to submit only one complaint for all individuals, however, up to 5 attachments may be uploaded on a single complaint.

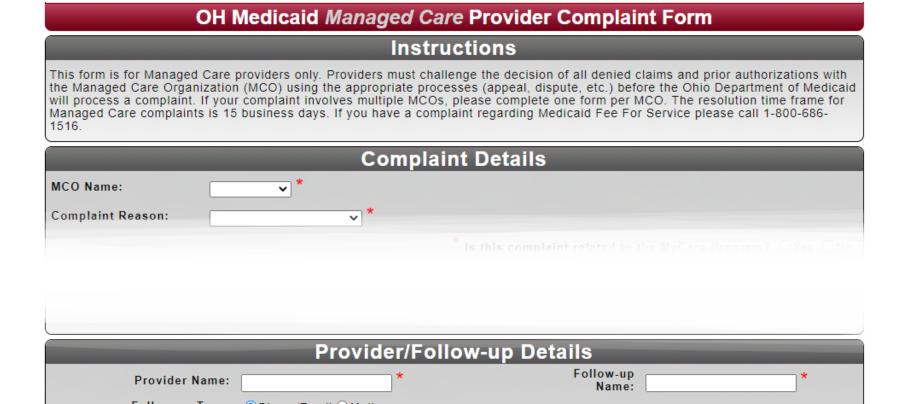
\*NEW\* If the provider submits multiple complaints for the same issue (different individuals, dates of service, practitioners, or files affected), ODM will cancel all duplicate complaints, contact the provider, and request that a single new complaint be submitted for all files affected.

\*NEW\* If a group provider is submitting a complaint, the "Filing Party Name" on the complaint should list the group's name and not the individual practitioner.

\*NEW\* Proper contact information for the person listed in the "Follow-up Name" field must be entered. The plans may attempt to contact the provider via telephone conversation, voicemail left, or email sent. If the plan is continuously unable to reach the listed contact, ODM may close the complaint without direct provider contact.



Fill out the complaint form completely. You will receive a confirmation email once submitted with a confirmation number (C######).



# **Provider Responsibilities**



#### **Provider Enrollment and Revalidation**

Providers are required to submit an application to become a Medicaid provider



There is also a federally required 5 year revalidation



Providers may enroll as an ORP-only provider or as a Medicaid billing provider



Online applications can be found on our website

# **Provider Agreement: OAC 5160-1-17.2**

Not seek reimbursement for service(s) from the patient, any member of the family, or any other person

The provider agreement is a legal contract between the state and the provider, you agree that you will:

Abide by the regulations and policies of the state

Recoup any third party resources available

Render medically necessary services in required

the amount

Maintain

records

for 6

years

Inform ODM of

any changes to

your provider

profile within

30 days

# **Updating Demographic Information in MITS**

Per OAC 5160-1-17.2(F), providers must inform ODM of any changes within 30 days

# Super User Providers Cost Report CPC Performance Account Claims Episode Claims Eligibility Prior Authorization Reports Portal Admin Publications demographic maintenance 1099 information provider faq mits days report correspondence self attestation ordering/referring/ prescribing search group affiliation group members cpc group cpc group members cpc accreditations cpc attestations Service Location > Location Name Address > Service Language > 1099 Mailing Address

Provider Information

Medicaid Provider ID 0404040 MCD Address Type PRACTICE LOCATION

National Provider ID 1578515763 NPI Address 1111 COLONY RD

Practice Type OTHER

Provider Type 86 - NURSING FACILITY City WESTERVILLE

Ownership NO County FRANKLIN

Medicaid Effective Date 08/03/1979 State/Zip OH 43081-3624

Medicaid End Date 05/19/2021 Phone 614-505-5055



#### Provider Reimbursement: OAC 5160-1-02 & OAC 5160-1-60

- ➤ The department's payment constitutes payment-in-full for any of our covered services
- ➤ Providers are expected to bill the department their Usual and Customary Charges (UCC)
- The department will reimburse the provider the lesser of the Medicaid maximum allowable rate (established fee schedule) or the UCC

#### Coordination of Benefits: OAC 5160-1-08

- The Ohio Administrative Code requires that a Medicaid consumer provide notice to the department prior to initiating any action against a liable third party
- ➤ The department will take steps to protect its subrogation rights if that notice is not provided
- For questions, contact the Coordination of Benefits Section at 614-752-5768



# Medicaid Recipient Liability: OAC 5160-1-13.1

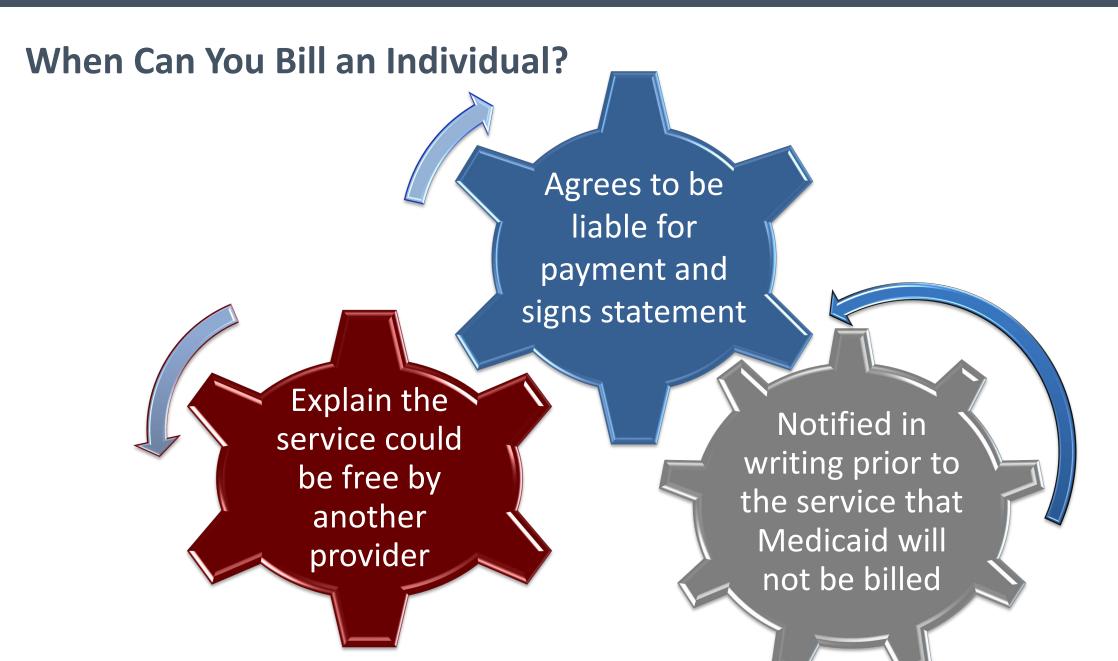
A provider may NOT collect and/or bill for any difference between the Medicaid payment and the provider's charge, as well as for the following:

# Missed appointment fee

Unacceptable or untimely claim submission

Failure to request a prior authorization

Retroactive Peer Review stating lack of medical necessity





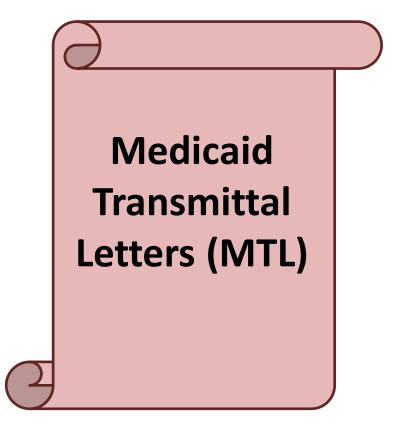
#### When Can You Bill an Individual?

- The statement must be signed before the service is rendered. If the service requires multiple visits, this must be done prior to each visit.
- This cannot be done if the service is a prescription for a controlled substance

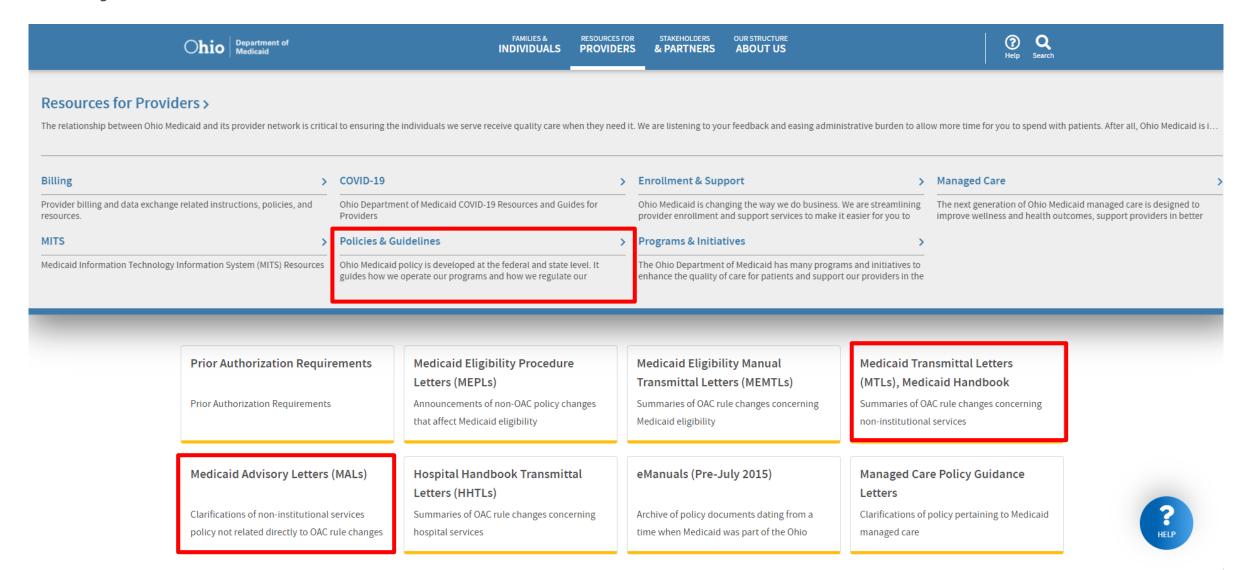
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Date of service:	
Type of service:	
Name & account nu	ımber:
Billing number:	
(C) A provid	der may bill a Medicaid recipient for a Medicaid covered service in lieu of submitting a
claim to the	e Ohio department of Medicaid (ODM) only if all of the following conditions are met:
(1)	The provider explains to the Medicaid recipient that the service is a covered
	Medicaid service and other Medicaid providers may render the service at no cost to the individual;
(2)	Prior to each date of service for the specific service rendered, the provider
	notifies the Medicaid recipient in writing that the provider will not submit a claim to ODM for the service;
(3)	The Medicaid recipient agrees to be liable for payment of the service and signs a written statement to that effect before service is rendered; and
(4)	The Medicaid covered service is not a prescription for a controlled substance as defined in section 3719.01 of the Revised Code.
	s that are not covered by the Medicaid program, including services requiring prior on that have been denied by ODM, may be billed to a Medicaid recipient when the
	paragraphs (C)(2) through (C)(4) of this rule are met.
(E) Any indi	vidual not covered by Medicaid on the date of service is financially responsible for
	ces unless the individual qualifies for the hospital care assurance program (HCAP) in
those service	with section 5168.14 of the Ohio Revised Code.

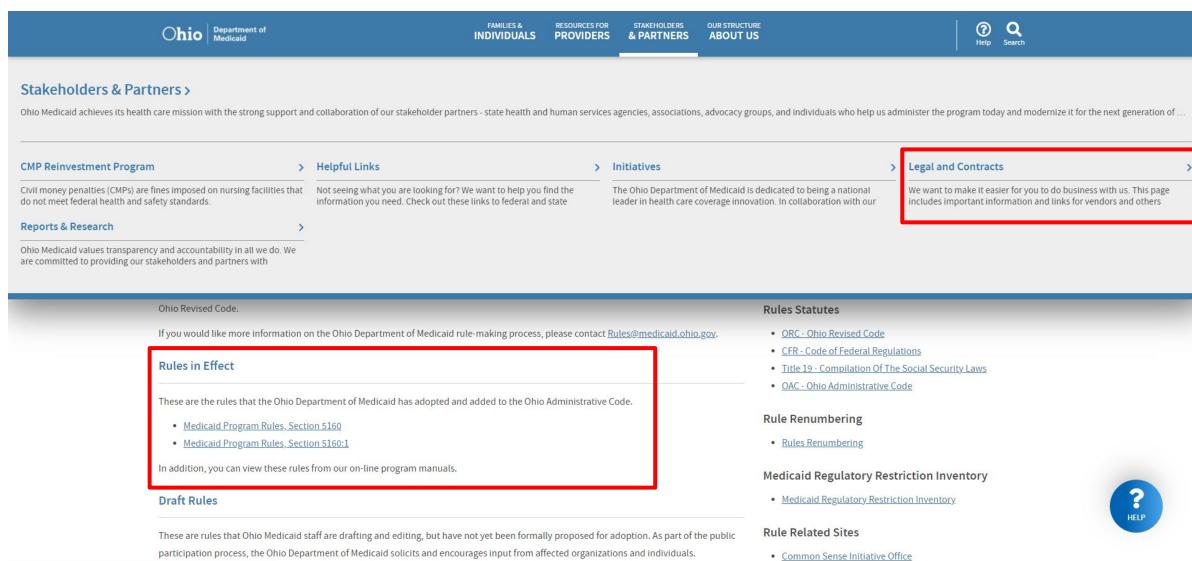


# Policy updates from Ohio Medicaid announce the changes to the Ohio Administrative Code that may affect providers

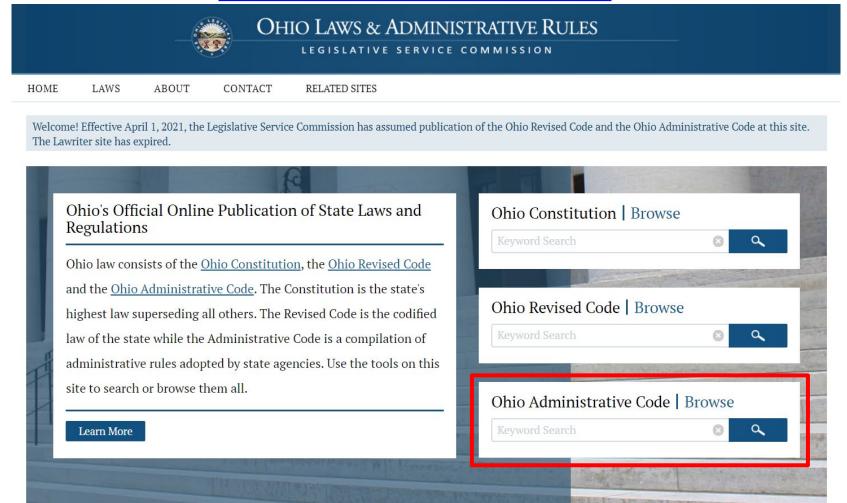








# https://codes.ohio.gov





# **Hospice Services Reporting Requirements: 5160-56-03.3**

## ➤ Hospice Enrollment

- Must be completed and processed on the MITS Provider Portal
- Only for Individuals in fee-for-service Medicaid, not those enrolled into a managed care plan
- All Individuals in which hospice is seeking reimbursement after all other payers
- Must provide all required information in order for the hospice enrollment to process or billed claims will not pay



# **Hospice Services Reporting Requirements: 5160-56-03.3**

## ➤ Hospice Enrollment

- All individuals with routine home care, T2042, for DOS on or after 1/1/16
- Any individual, for any hospice service, where an original claim needs to be submitted
- Any individual, for any hospice service, where a claim needs to be adjusted



- > Service Intensity Add-On (SIA) Codes
  - Payment for routine home care by an RN or licensed social worker within the last 7 days of life, when the discharge from hospice is due to death
  - Billed using code G0299, for direct care by in-person visit from an RN
  - Billed using code G0155, for direct care by in-person visit from a social worker
    - Should not be billed until after the individual has passed away
    - May be billed individually as long as T2042 was already billed and paid
    - Can be billed on the same claim as T2042 for those days



- ➤ Hospice procedure codes based on level of care:
  - Code T2042 used for one unit per day to bill routine home care for an individual not receiving continuous home care
    - Reimbursement is paid using a two-tiered system based on the Episode of Care:
    - 1. During the first episode, the per diem is paid at a higher rate; the lower rate is paid for days 61 and after
    - 2. A gap in hospice services of more than 60 days is required to reset the counter that determines which per diem to apply
    - 3. A subsequent episode begins after a break in services of 60 days or more; the higher rate will again be paid for the first 60 days of the new episode



- ➤ Hospice procedure codes based on level of care:
  - Code T2043 used for one unit per hour, with a minimum of eight hours per day, for continuous home care
  - Code T2044 used for one unit per day for inpatient respite care
  - Code T2045 used for one unit per day for general inpatient care
  - GT modifier used when any component of service is delivered via telehealth, in addition to the appropriate procedure code
  - T2044 and T2045 are not eligible to be provided via telehealth



- ➤ Hospice may receive R&B payments for individuals who are residents, overnight, of nursing facilities or ICF-IID facilities
  - Bill for R&B using procedure code T2046
  - Reimbursed at 95% of the rate established for the Long-Term Care Facility (LTCF)
- Only for days the individual receives routine home care or continuous care
- > Bill even if the days are compensated via patient liability

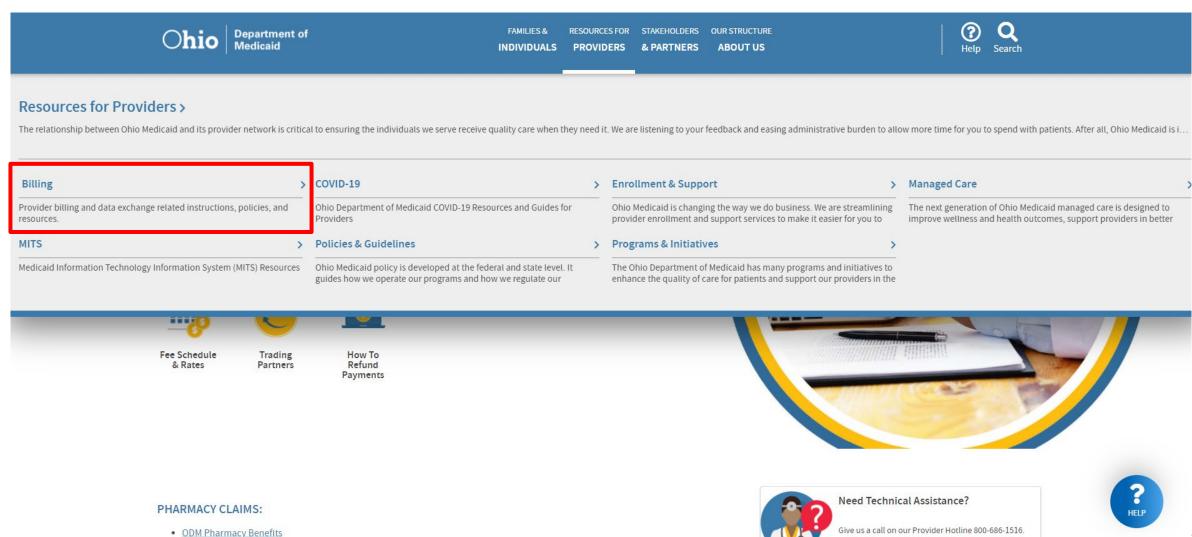


# **Hospice Services Reimbursement**

- ➤ When a hospice member is residing in a nursing facility (NF) and discharges from hospice, the date of discharge is billable by the hospice provider
- ➤ If a hospice member is residing in a NF and passes away, room and board on the date of death is not billable by the hospice provider
  - Routine home care services are billable for the date of death

# MITS

# **Billing Resources**





# Medicaid Information Technology System (MITS)

MITS is a web-based application that is accessible via any modern browser

MITS is available to all Ohio Medicaid providers who have been registered and have created an account

MITS is able to process transactions in "real time"



# **Technical Requirements**

Internet Access (high speed works best)

Internet Explorer version 10 or higher and current versions of Firefox or Chrome

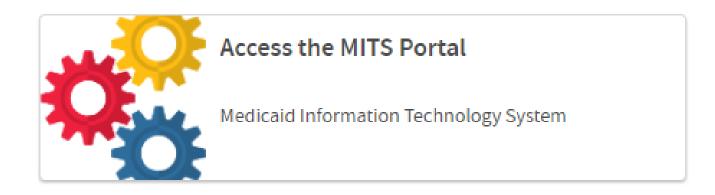
Mac users use current version of Safari, Firefox, or Chrome

Turn OFF pop up blocker functionality



#### **How to Access the MITS Portal**

- ➤ Go to <a href="https://Medicaid.ohio.gov">https://Medicaid.ohio.gov</a>
- > Select the "Resources for Providers" tab at the top
- Click on "MITS"
- > Scroll down and click "Access the MITS Portal" on the right

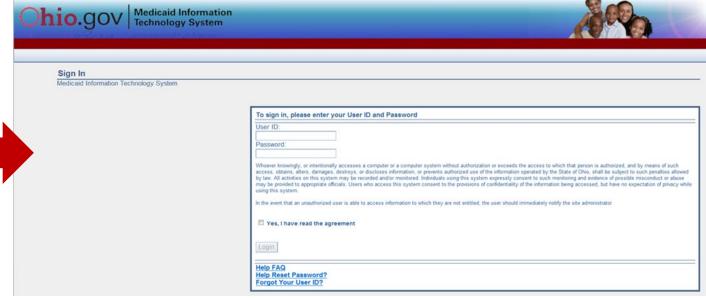






Once directed to this page, click the link to "Login"

You will be directed to another page where you will need to enter your user ID and password





#### **MITS Navigation**

"COPY", "PASTE", and "PRINT" features all work in the MITS Portal

Do NOT use the previous page function (back arrow) in your browser

Do NOT use the "enter" key on the keyboard, use the "tab" key or mouse to move between fields

MITS access will time-out after 15 minutes of system inactivity

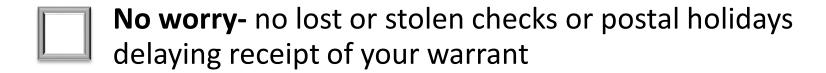


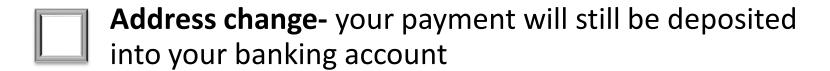
#### **Electronic Funds Transfer**

ODM will start requiring Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) for payment instead of paper warrants

## Benefits of direct deposit include:

Quicker funds- transferred directly to your account
on the day paper warrants are normally mailed





Electronic Data Interchange (EDI)

Fees for claims submitted

Claims must be received by Wednesday at Noon for the next payment cycle

MITS Portal

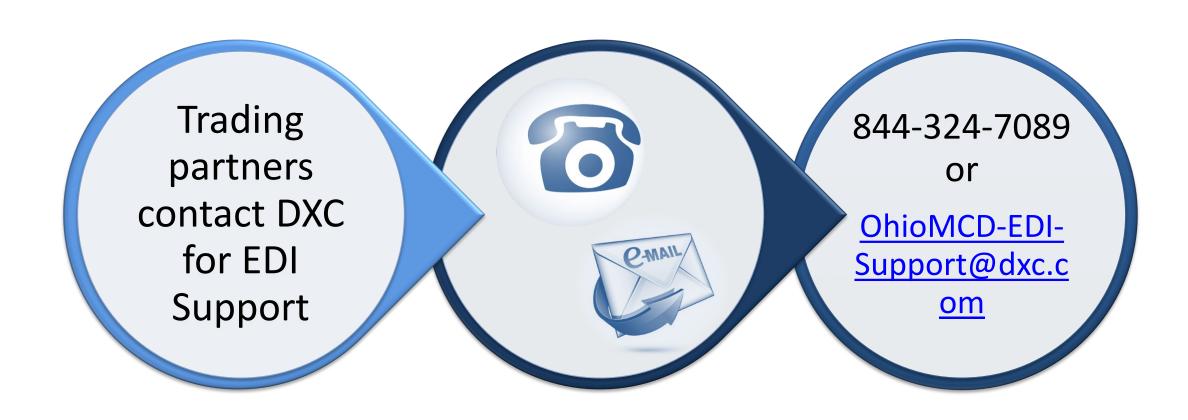
**Free submission** 

Claims must be received by Friday at 5:00 P.M. for the next payment cycle

We can help with your claim issues



#### **Technical Questions / EDI Support Unit**





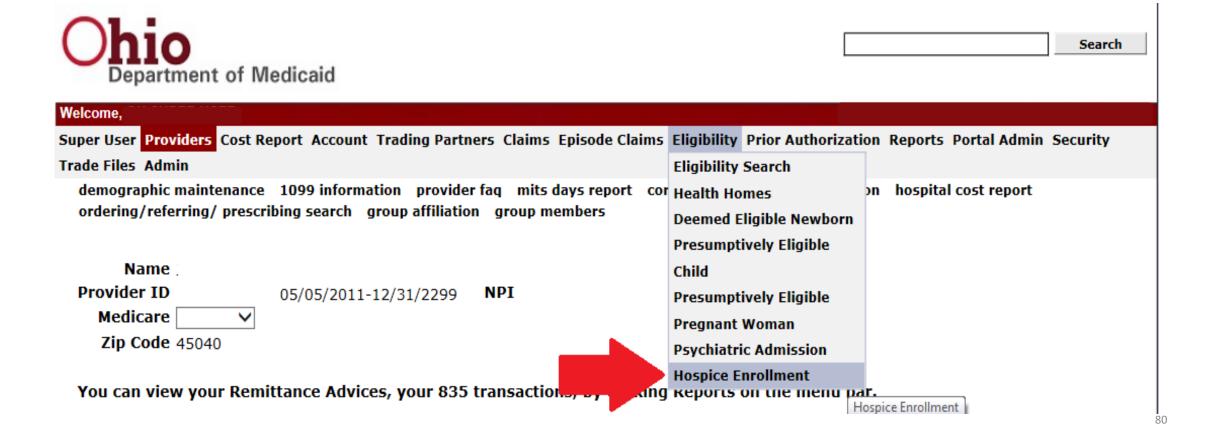
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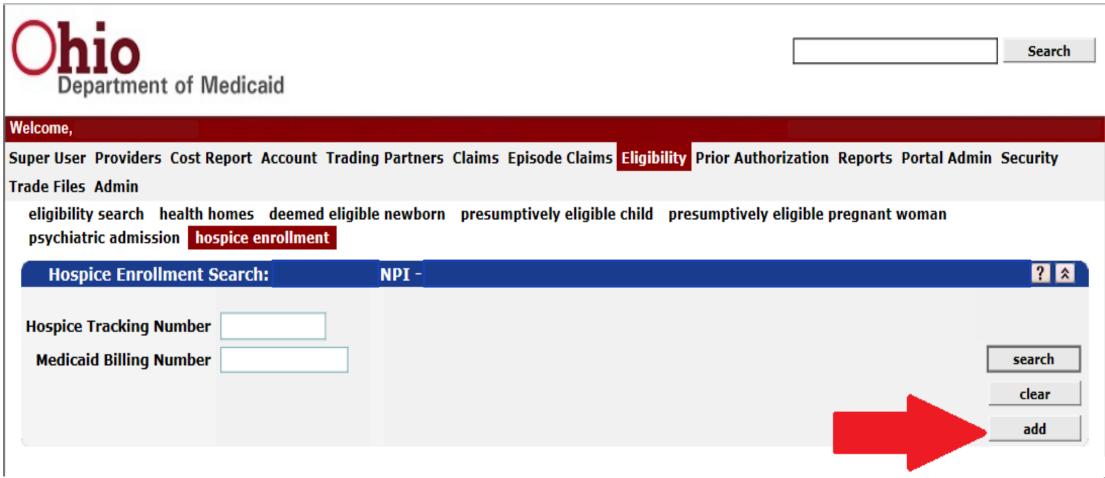
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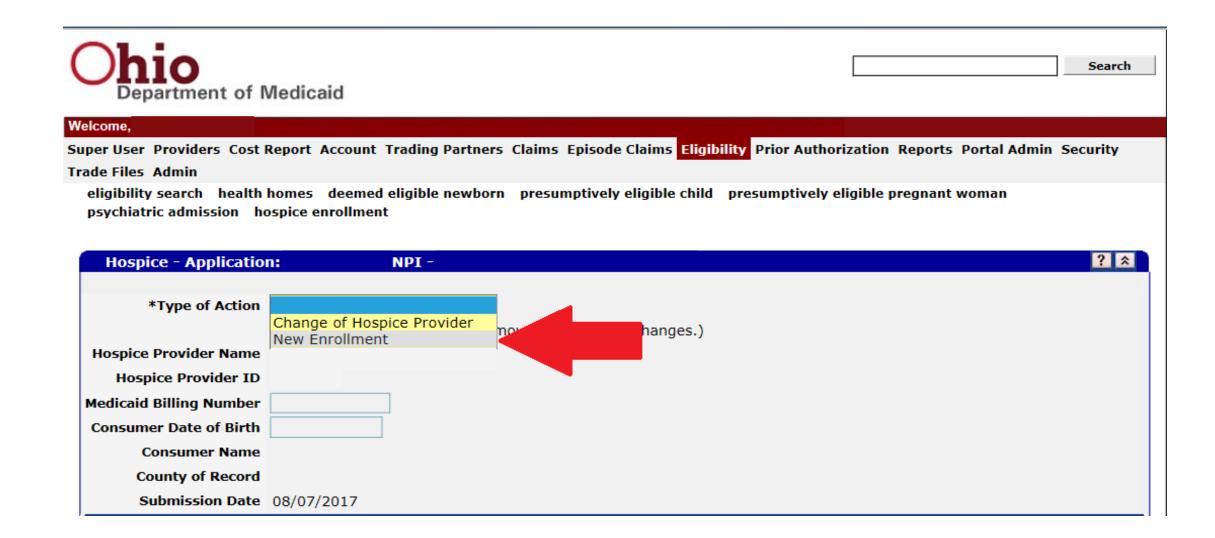
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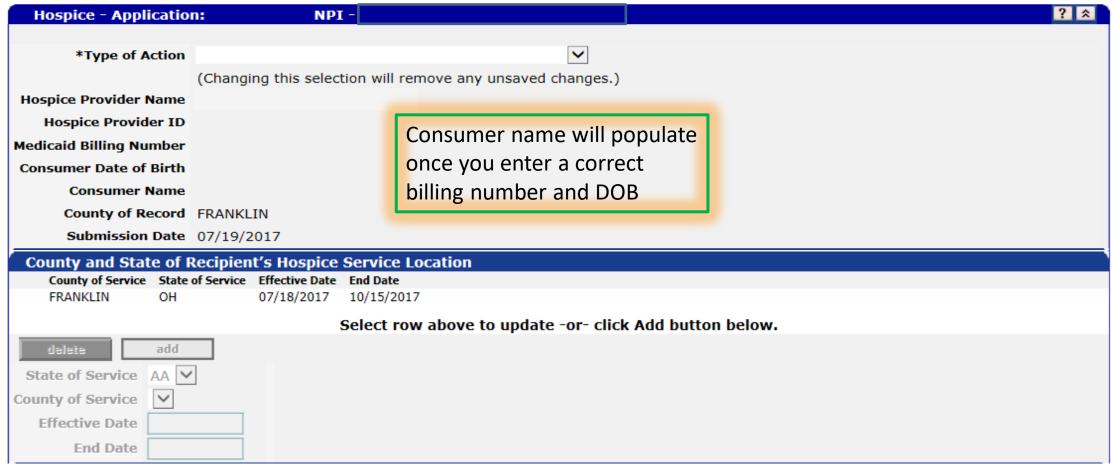




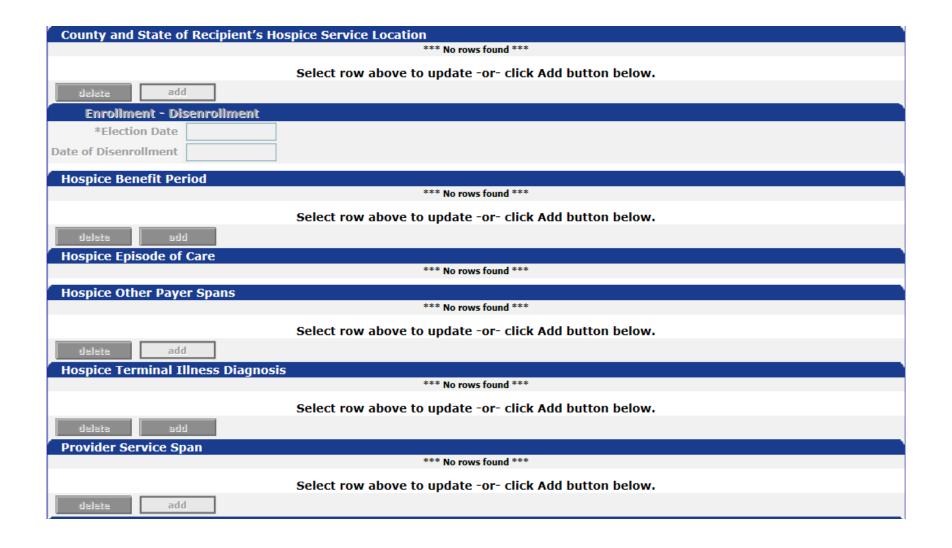






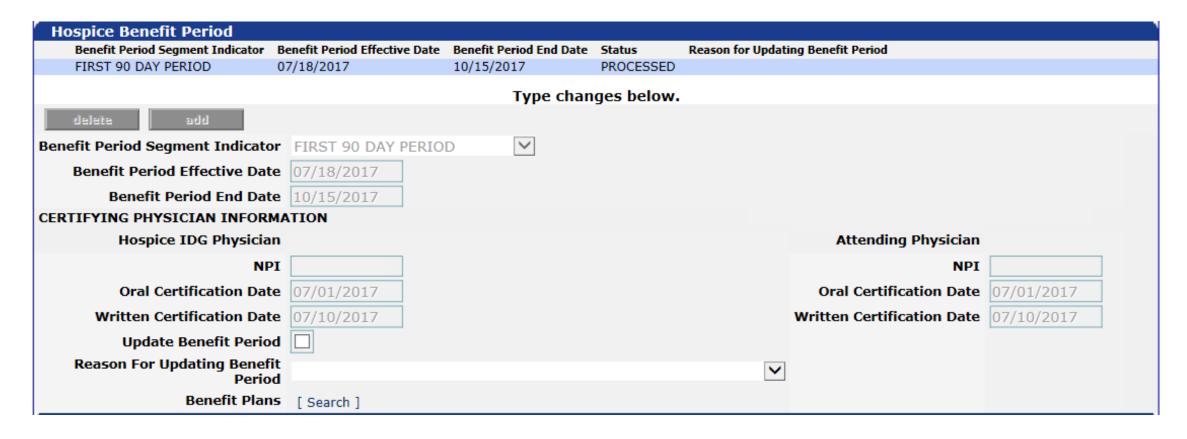






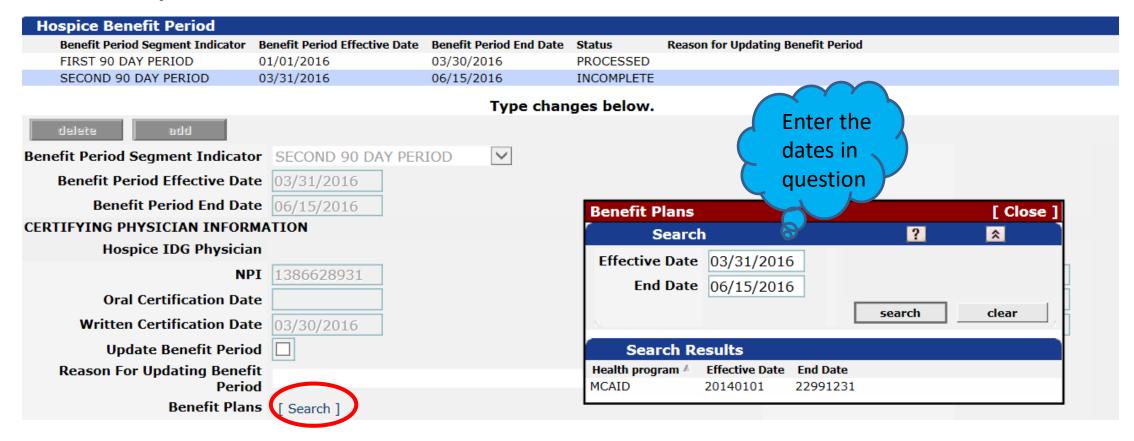


➤ Must enter benefit periods in chronological order, start at the beginning with the 1<sup>st</sup> 90 day period

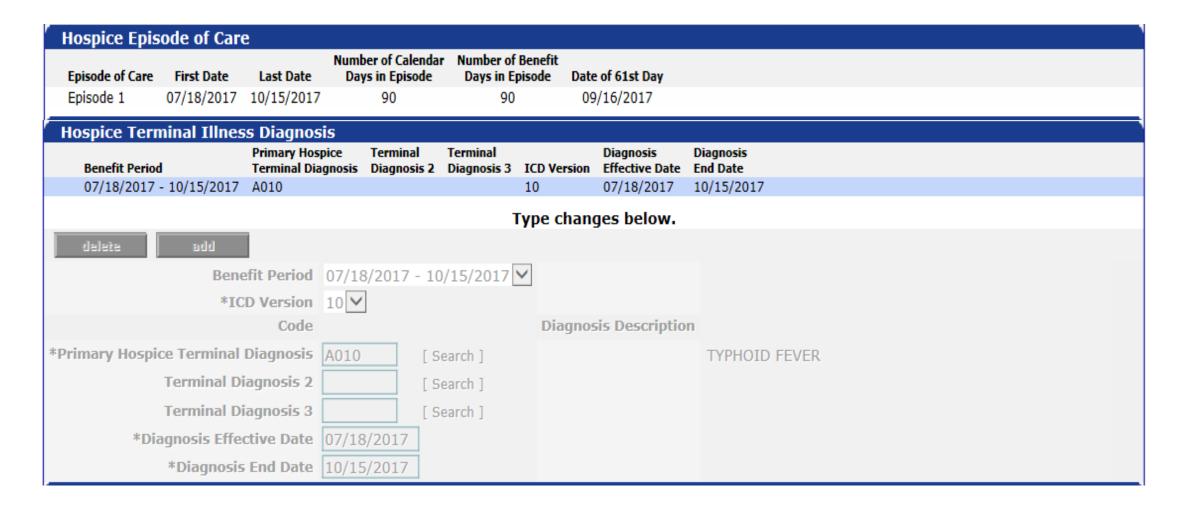




Provider has the ability to search eligibility while completing the hospice enrollment











- > After completing all fields, click 'submit' at the bottom
- > Once processed, additional benefit periods may be entered

#### Confirmation

Your Hospice application has been updated on 07/18/2017
Your Hospice Tracking Number is

\*IMPORTANT - This Hospice Tracking Number (HTN) is necessary for accessing the status of submitted enrollments. Please write this number down or print this page and keep it for your records PRIOR TO EXITING. Applications submitted after 4 PM will not be processed until the next business day.

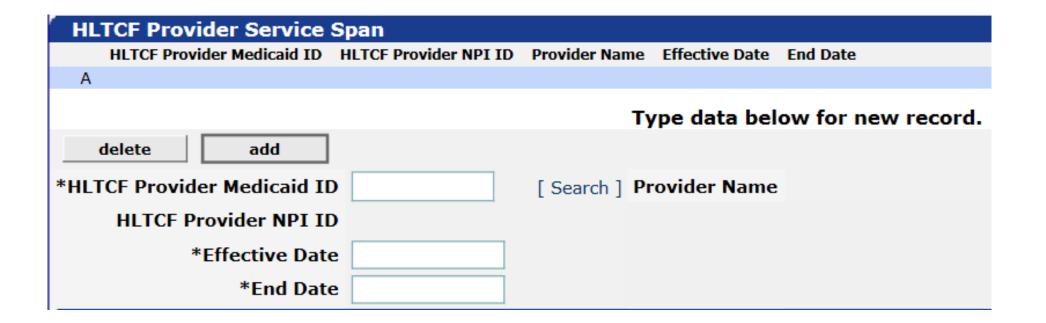
Please remember to submit the following required documents:

#### WHAT'S NEXT?

To upload required document (or to obtain a cover page), select: Upload required documents

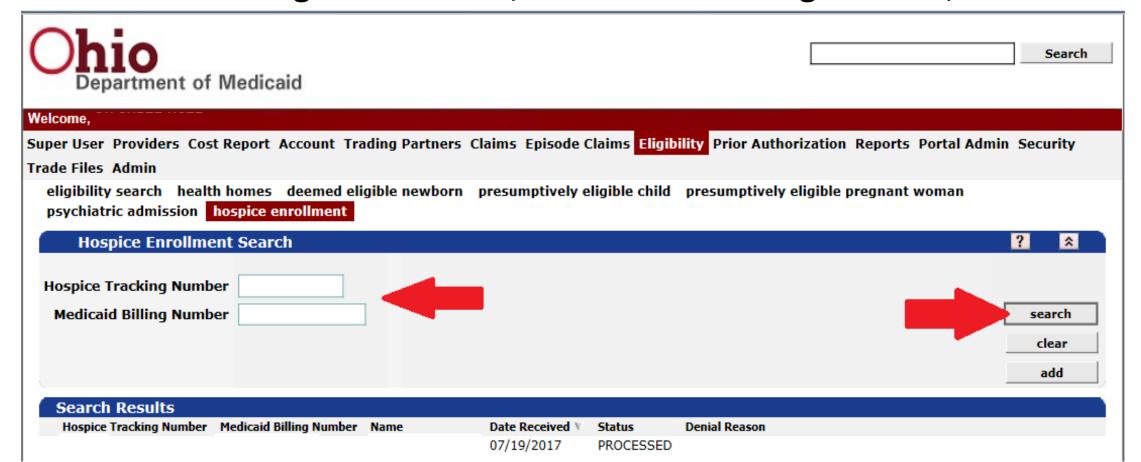


- HLTCF Provider Search Span panel
  - Hospice provider must enter the LTC provider and dates in the hospice enrollment so claims pay correctly
  - The claim will deny if this field is left blank





- Steps on adding an additional benefit period
  - Enter the tracking number and/or Medicaid billing number, click search



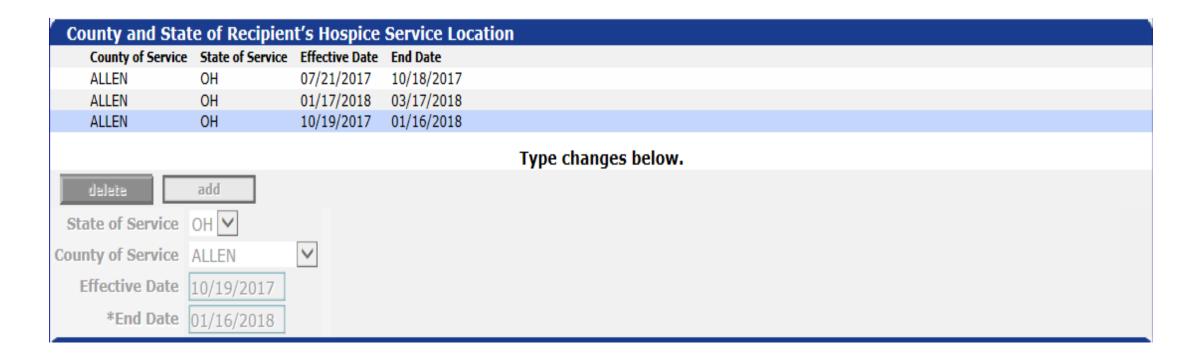


> Chose 'Maintain Hospice Record'



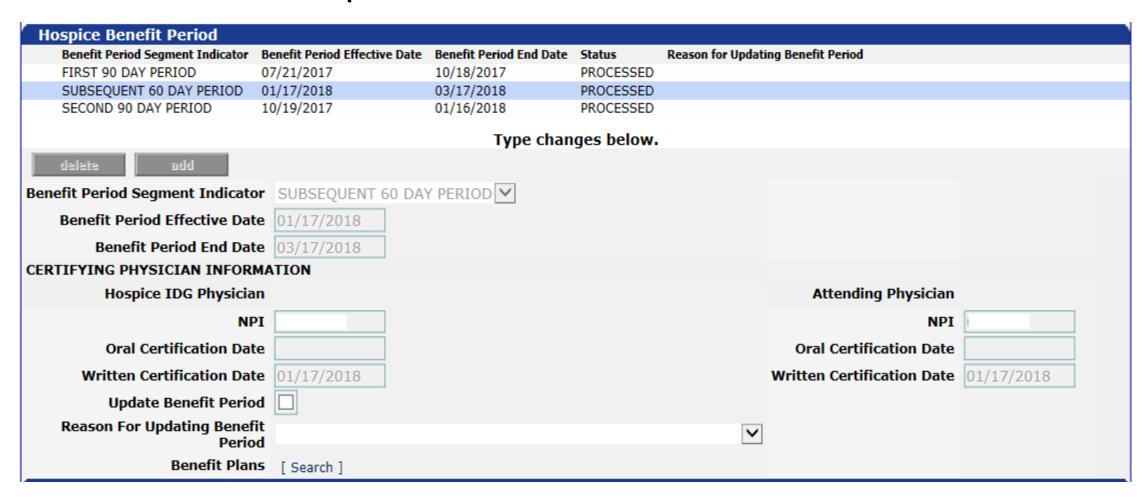


> Proceed to add a matching span in each appropriate panel



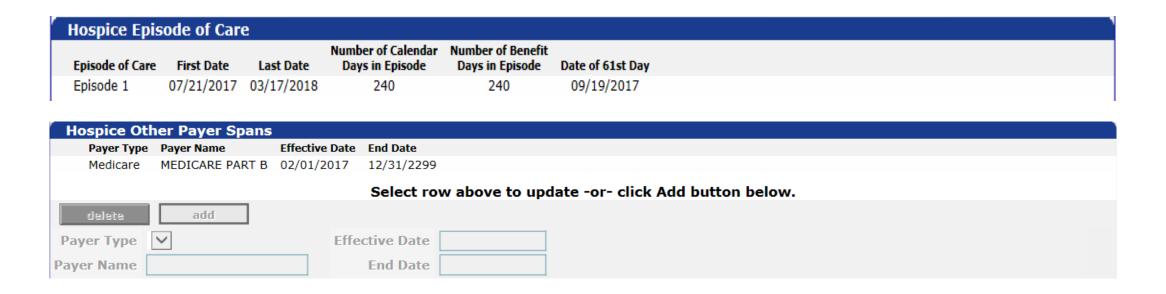


> Previous benefit period must have a 'PROCESSED' status first



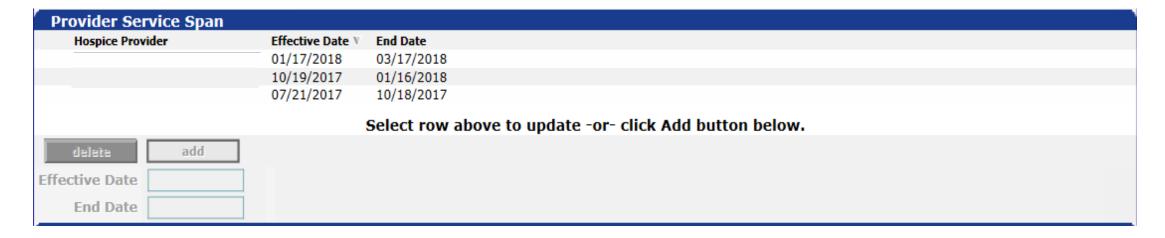


> Episode of Care will calculate and populate automatically

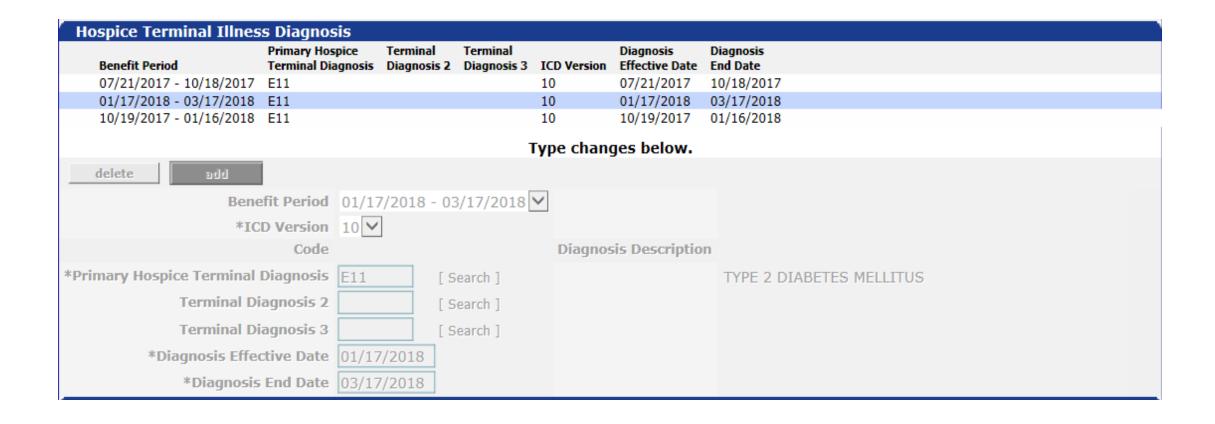




➤ Both dates must match the dates entered in the benefit period panel

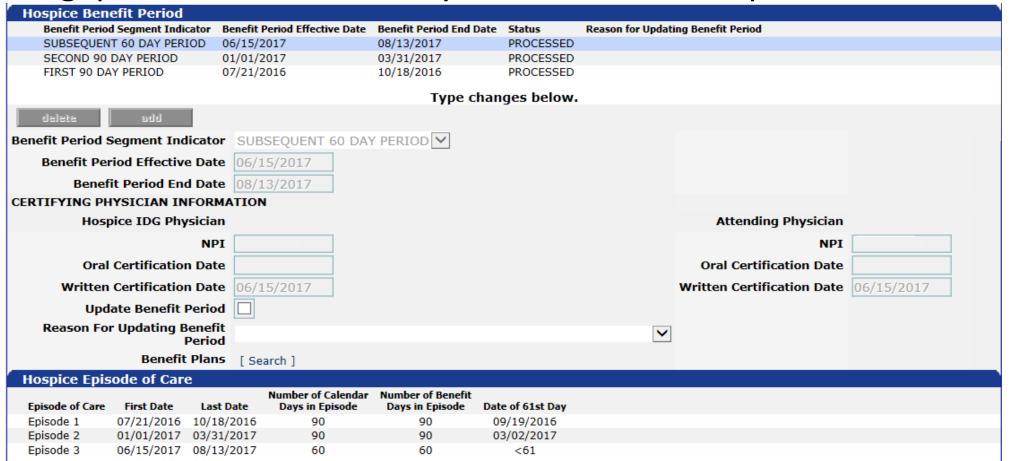






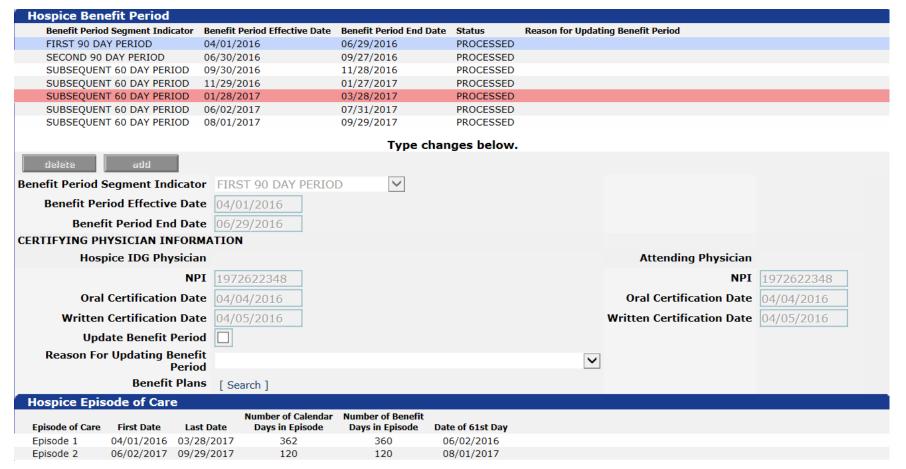


- > Example of numerous episodes of care
  - Two gaps of more than 60 days between benefit periods





➤ Gap of 60 days or less and more than 60 days between benefit periods



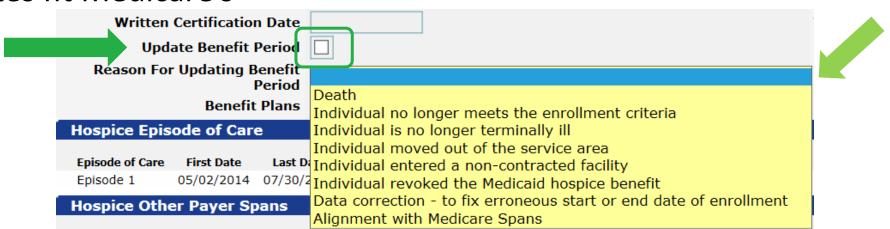


- Updating a Hospice Enrollment
  - Use the 'Update Benefit Period' box when adding a new benefit period under the action of "New Enrollment" or "Maintain Hospice Record"
    - When it is known that the benefit period end date is less than what the system assigned
  - Open the enrollment record and check the 'Update Benefit Period' box



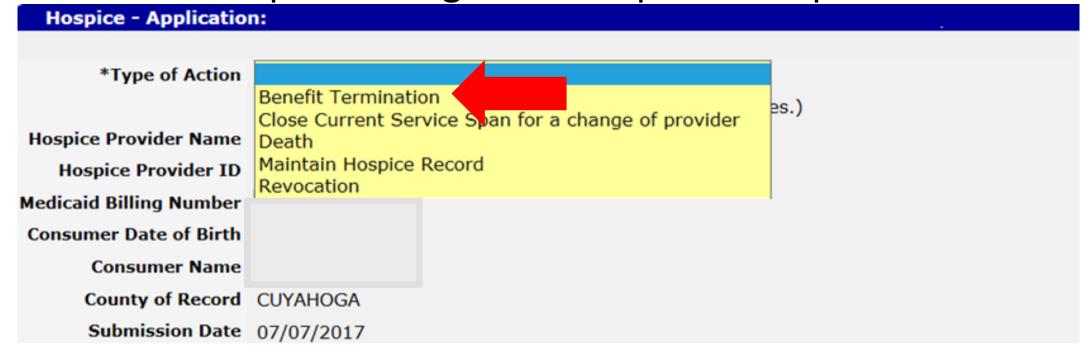


- Updating a Hospice Enrollment
  - Must provide a reason for why benefit period dates are being changed:
    - First 5 options would be used if criteria was met for termination
    - Data correction should not be used at this time, for future use
    - Medicare alignment May be used to have the Medicaid benefit period dates fit Medicare's



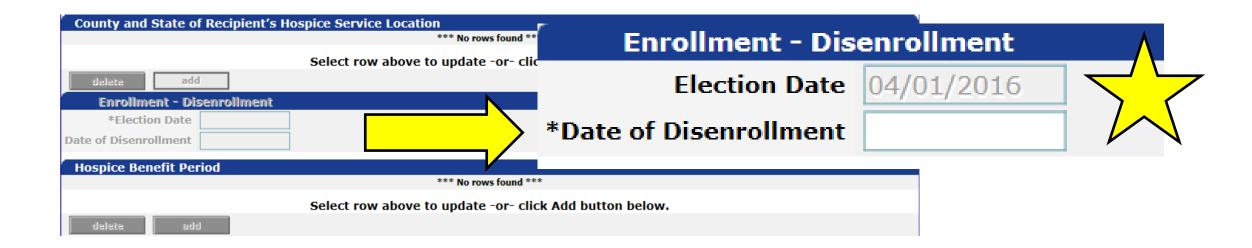


- > Ending a Hospice Enrollment
  - Choose the appropriate 'Type of Action'
- > Use when someone dies, revokes hospice, or a provider terminates hospice during a benefit period in 'processed' status



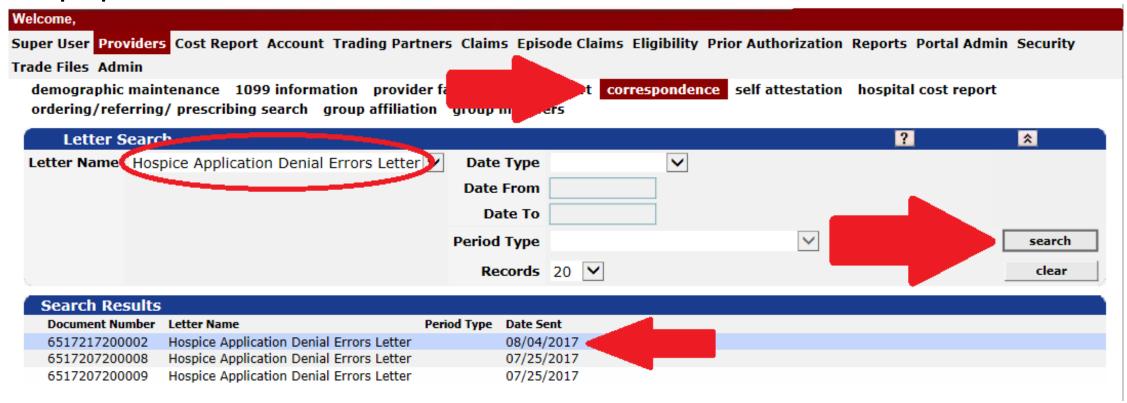


- Ending a Hospice Enrollment
  - You are now able to complete the 'Enrollment Disenrollment' date of disenrollment and click 'submit'





- ➤ Hospice Enrollment Denial Letters
  - You may leave all the search fields blank and then click 'search' to populate all denial letters





## ➤ Hospice Enrollment Denial Letter Codes

Error Code	Error Description
2049	GeoStan Validate Address Error - contact SysArchitect
2067	LTC Vendor Pay end date must be on or before the Elig end date
2069	Invalid Lockin end date
2121	Source Code is not on file
2167	Invalid Other Recipient ID
2355	Begin Date must be a valid date
2356	End Date must be a valid date
2453	Recipient not a part of a valid Case/Cat/Seq
2999	System error encountered during PS/2 process, contact EDS

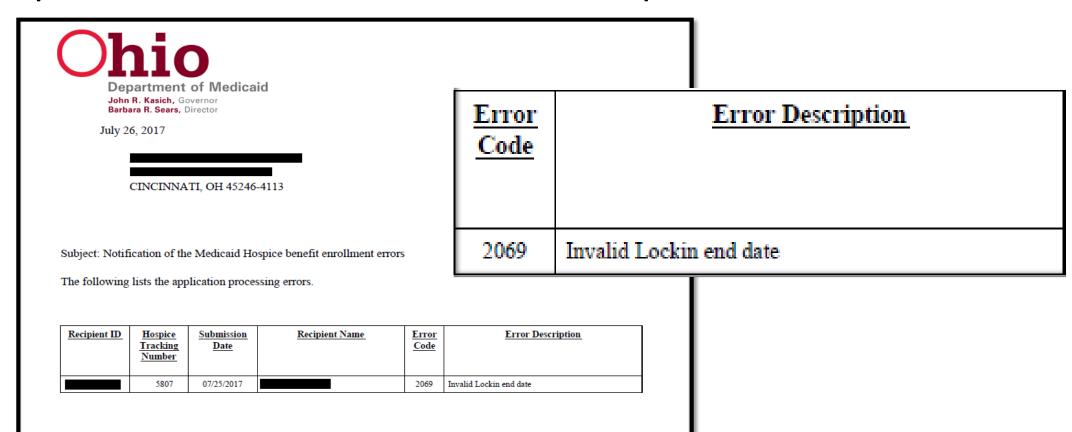
### ➤ Hospice Enrollment Denial Letter Codes

Error Code	Error Description
4068	Effective Date Received Begins Before The Plan is Active
4390	Medicaid Coverage Missing
4400	No medicaid coverage found
4901	Hospice not allowed with PACE
4902	Hospice Coverage already exists
4903	Hospice Not allowed with RSS AID Category
4904	Recipient enrolled in Managed Care
5015	Invalid HOSPC EligCase data
5016	Invalid HOSPC Lockin data



➤ Hospice Enrollment Denial Letter Example

Please make the corrections needed to correct the application.



# **Claim Submission**



#### **MITS Web Portal Claim Submission**

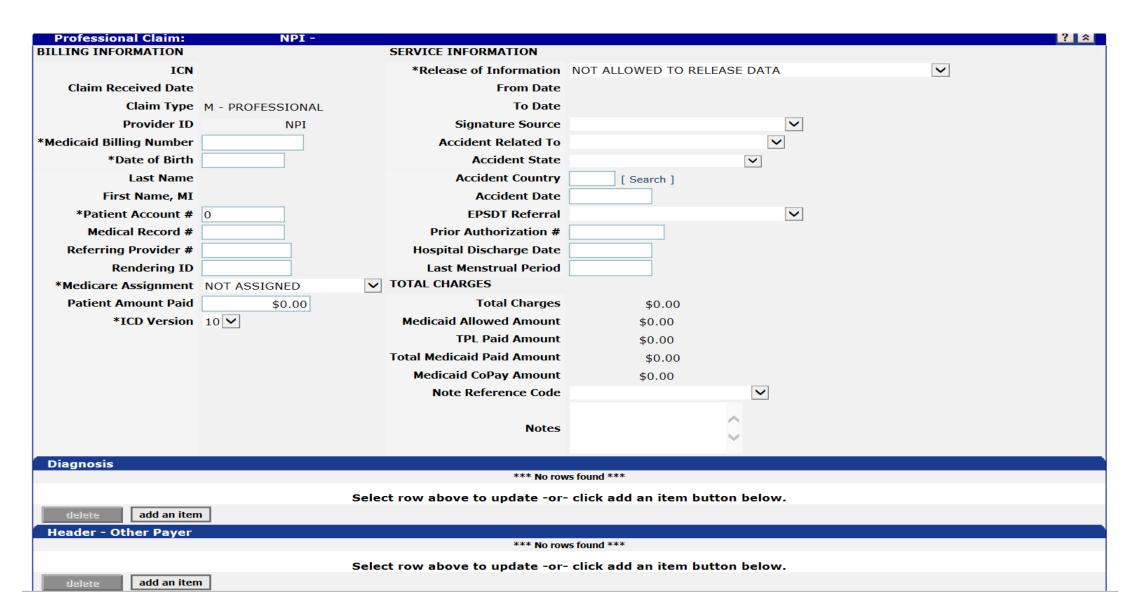
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#### **Submission of a Professional Claim**





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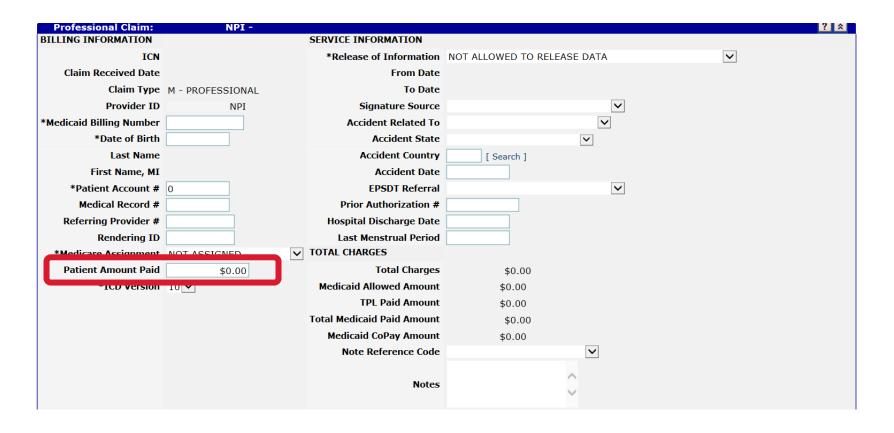
You can view your Remittance Advices by clicking Reports on the menu bar.

Search



#### **Claim Submission**

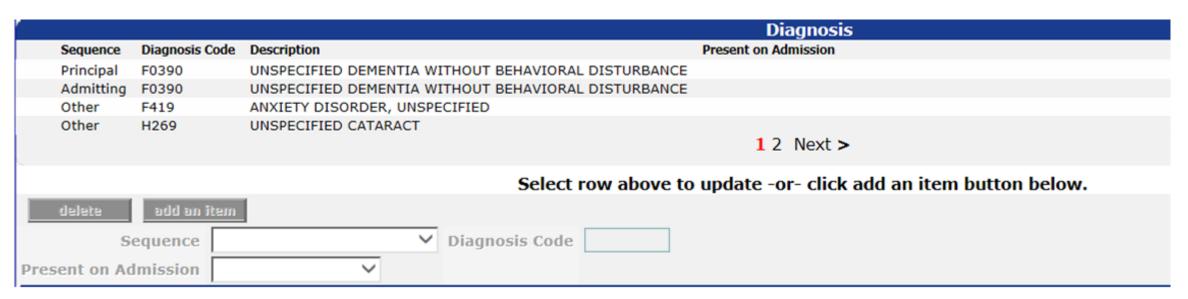
# The 'Patient Amount Paid' field is used to report a consumer's monthly patient liability amount





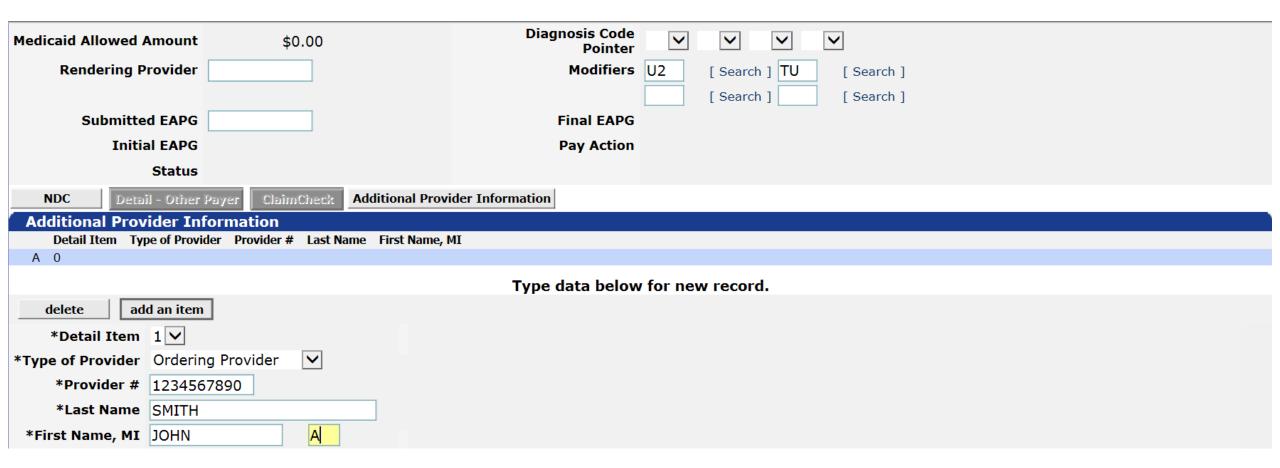
#### **Diagnosis Codes**

- > Are required on hospice claims
  - Must include the number of characters specified by ICD
  - MITS does not accept decimal points, only enter numbers & letters
  - System edits and audits will be applied to those codes





## **Entering Ordering Provider Information**



> Click the "submit" button at the bottom right



➤ You may "cancel" the claim at anytime, but the information will not be saved in MITS





#### **Claim Portal Errors**

MITS will not accept a claim without all required fields being populated

Portal errors return the claim with a "fix" needed

Portal errors will show up at the top of the page

Claim shows a 'NOT SUBMITTED YET' status still

# The following messages were generated: From DOS is required. Procedure is required. A valid Place Of Service is required A valid Procedure Code is required Units must be greater than 0. Charges must be greater than \$0.00. A valid Medicaid Billing Number is required A valid Medicaid Billing Number and Date of Birth combination is required.

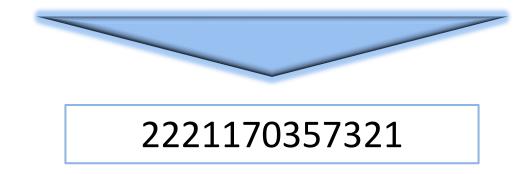
#### **Claim Suspense**

- ➤ Non room and board services (T2042-T2045) are paid the hospice rate that is applicable for the county that is listed on the enrollment panel effective 01/01/2016
- ➤ If the needed state/county code is not loaded into MITS claims will suspend for no rate
- Providers will need to contact ODM to have this information updated



#### **Claim Submission**

# All claim submissions are assigned an ICN



Region Code	Calendar Year	Julian Day	Claim Type/ Batch Number	Claim Number in Batch
22	21	170	357	321



# Providers have 365 days to submit Fee For Service claims

During that 365 days they can attempt to submit the claim for payment (if receiving a denial) or adjust it as many times as they need to

An additional 180 days from the resubmit date is given for attempts to correctly submit a denied claim prior to the end of the 365 days

**Timely Filing** 

Claims over 2 years old will be denied

There are exceptions to the 365 day rule



# Submitting a Claim Over 365 Days Old

- Use this panel on the claim for billing claims over 365 days, when timely filing criteria has been met
- ➤ Enter the previously denied ICN and select "DELAYED SUBMISSION/RESUBMISSION" in the Reason drop down menu
- > When done correctly, MITS will bypass timely filing edits

Supporting Data for Delayed Submission / Resubmission					
DISCLAIMER: Documentation to justify the use of this panel and data entered must be retained for future audit purposes.					
Previously Denied ICN or TCN	Reason				



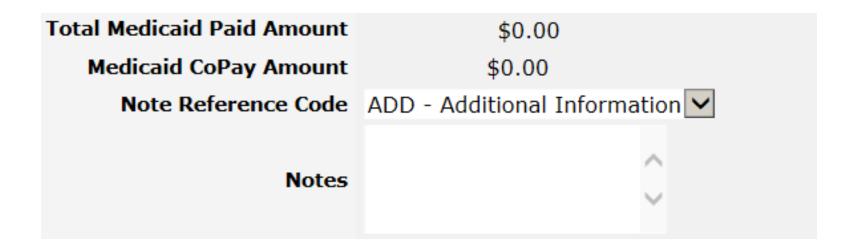
## **Timely Filing Exceptions: OAC 5160-3-39.1**

- ➤ If you are submitting a claim that is more than 365 days after the date of service due to a hearing decision or delay in the individual's eligibility determination
- The claim must be submitted within 180 days of the hearing decision or eligibility determination date



## **How to Bill After a Delay**

- In the Notes box you will need to enter the hearing decision or eligibility determination information
- ➤ In the Note Reference Code dropdown menu select "ADD"





## **How to Bill After a Delay**

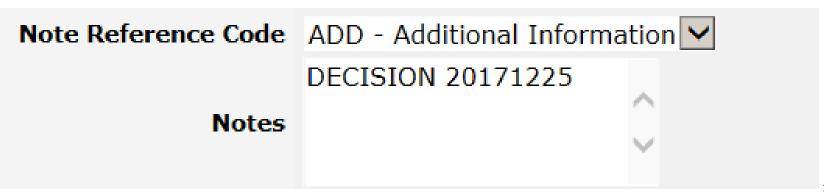
# Hearing Decision: APPEALS ####### CCYYMMDD

 ####### is the hearing number and CCYYMMDD is the date on the hearing decision

# Eligibility Determination: DECISION CCYYMMDD

 CCYYMMDD is the date on the eligibility determination notice from the CDJFS







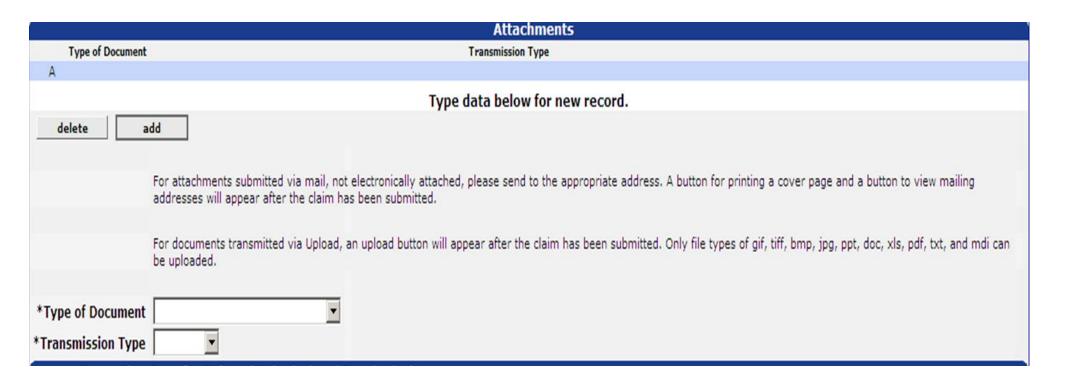
#### **Medicare Denials**

- ➤ If Medicare issues a denial and indicates that the patient is responsible for the payment, submit the claim to ODM by following these steps:
  - Enter a claim in MITS
  - Do not enter any Medicare information on the claim
  - Complete and upload a ODM 06653 and a copy of the Medicare EOB



#### **Uploading an Attachment**

# This panel allows you to electronically upload an attachment to your claim in MITS





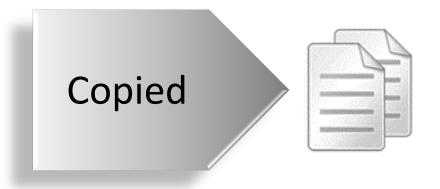
# **Uploading an Attachment**

- ➤ Electronic attachments are accepted for Claims, Prior Authorization, and Enrollment Processing
- Acceptable file formats:
  - BMP, DOC, DOCX, GIF, JPG, PDF, PPT, PPTX, TIFF, TXT, XLS, and XLSX
- > Each attachment must be less than 50 MB in size
- > Each file must pass an anti-virus scan in MITS
- > A maximum of 10 attachments may be uploaded



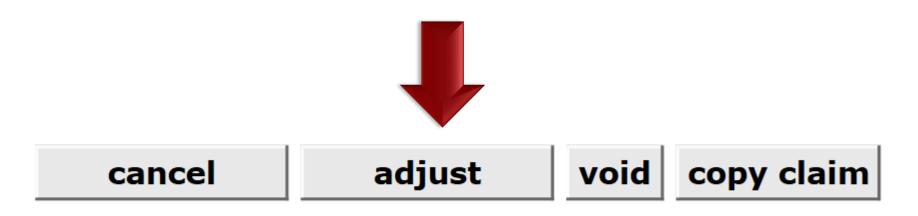
# **Paid Claims Can Be:**







# **Adjusting a Paid Claim**



- Open the claim requiring an adjustment
- Change and save the necessary information
- Click the "adjust" button



#### **Adjusting a Paid Claim: Example**



22211802340015821185127250

Originally paid \$45.00 Now paid \$50.00 Additional payment of \$5.00



20211722340015021173127250

Originally paid \$50.00 Now paid \$45.00 Account receivable (\$5.00)



# **Voiding a Paid Claim**



cancel

adjust

copy claim

- Open the claim you wish to void
- Click the "void" button at the bottom of the claim
- > The status is flagged as "non-adjustable" in MITS
- > An adjustment is automatically created and given a status of "denied"



#### **Voiding a Paid Claim: Example**



22211802340015821185127250

Originally paid \$45.00 Account receivable (\$45.00)

\* Make sure to wait until *after* the adjudication cycle to submit a new, corrected claim if one is needed



# **Copying a Paid Claim**



#### cancel

#### adjust

void

copy claim

- Open the claim you wish to copy
- Click the "copy claim" button at the bottom of the claim
- A new duplicate claim will be created, make and save all necessary changes
- > The "submit" and "cancel" buttons will display at the bottom
- Click the "submit" button
- > The claim will be assigned a new ICN



#### **ClaimChek Edits**

- > Clinically oriented software tool that automatically identifies inappropriate code combinations and discrepancies in claims
- ➤ Will look at the coding accuracy of procedures, not medical necessity, and will prevent inappropriate payment for certain services which include:
  - Duplicate services (same person, same provider, same date)
  - Individual services that should be grouped or bundled
  - Mutually exclusive services
  - Services rendered incidental to other services
  - Services covered by a pre or post-operative period
  - Visits in conjunction with other services



# The National Correct Coding Initiative (NCCI)

- Developed by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
  - To control inappropriate payment of claims from improper reporting of CPT and HCPCS codes
  - NCCI serves as a common model and standard for handling claims for procedures and services that are performed by one provider for one individual on a single date of service





# The National Correct Coding Initiative (NCCI)

- Procedure to procedure (PTP) "Incidental" edit which determines whether a pair of procedure codes should not be reported together because one procedure is incidental to (performed as a natural consequence or adjunct to) the other
- ➤ Medically unlikely edit (MUE) determines whether the units of service exceed maximum units that a provider would be likely to report under most circumstances





Other payer information can be reported at the claim level (header) or at the line level (detail), depending on the other payer's claim adjudication



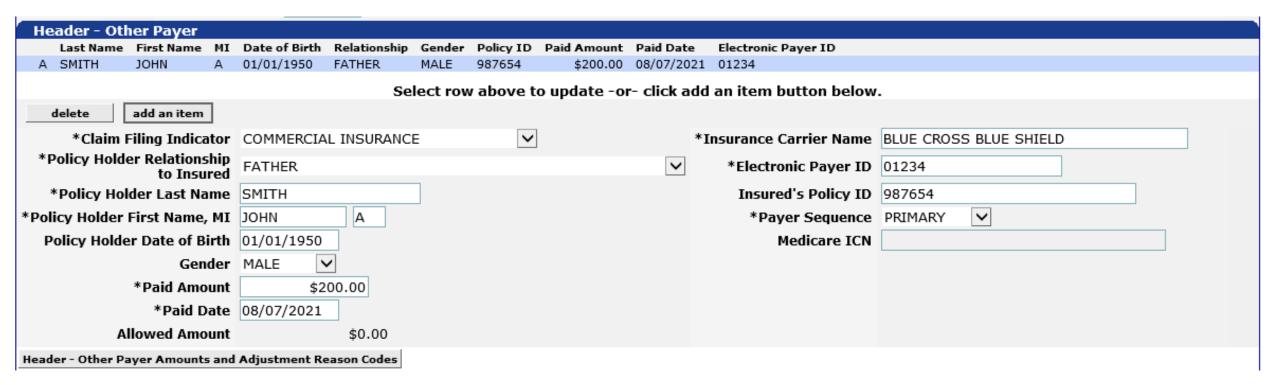
HIPAA compliant adjustment reason codes and amounts are required to be on the claim



MITS will automatically calculate the allowed amount

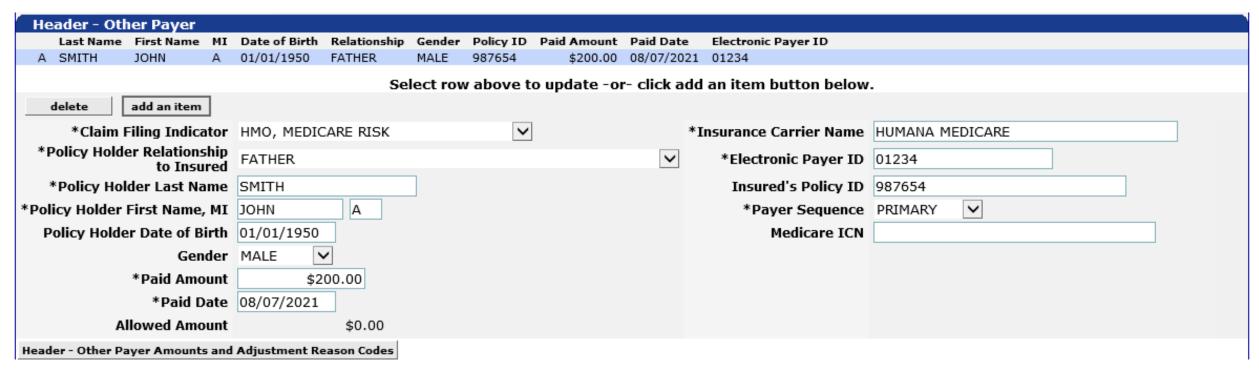


Other payer information is entered in the Header – Other Payer panel





# If the TPL is a Medicare HMO, select "HMO, Medicare Risk" in the Claim Filing Indicator drop down menu





#### Header vs. Detail

Header level

 A COB claim is considered to be adjudicated at the header/claim level if only one set of figures is reported for the entire claim

**Detail level** 

 A COB claim is considered to be adjudicated at the line/detail level if figures are reported for individual line items

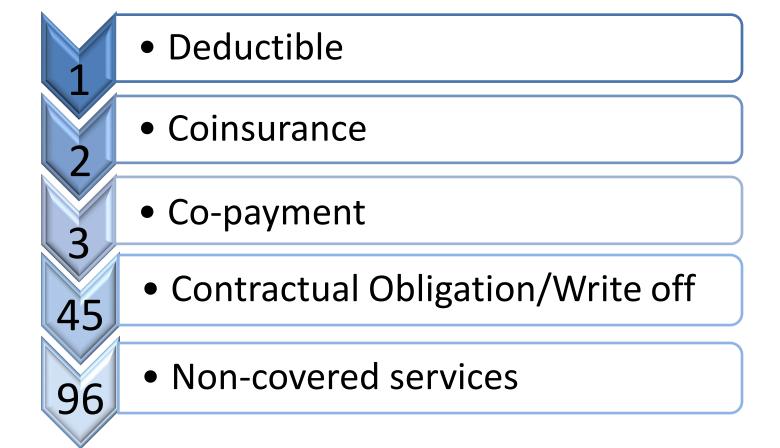


## **Adjustment Reason Codes (ARCs)**

The X12 website provides adjustment reason codes (ARCs)

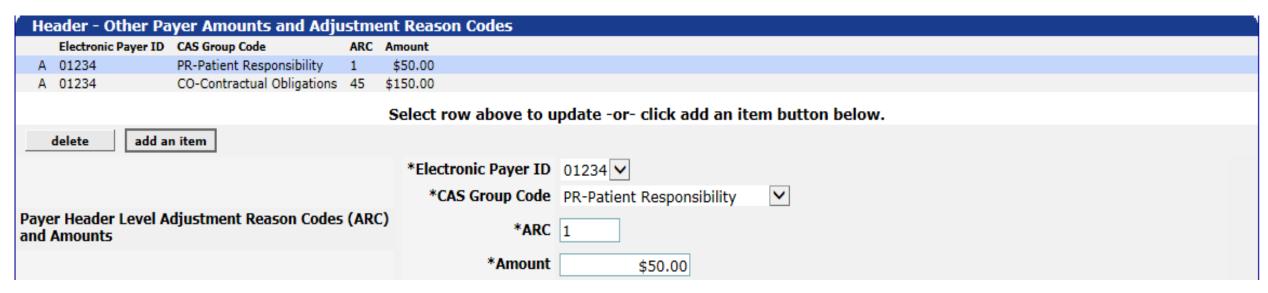
# COMMON ARCs:





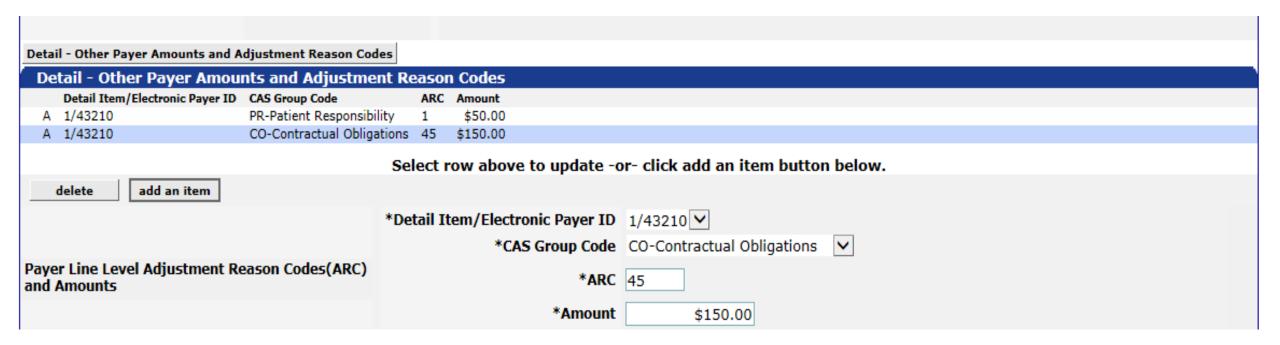


Adjustment reason codes (ARCs) for a header pay TPL are entered in the Header – Other Payer Amounts and Adjustment Reason Codes panel



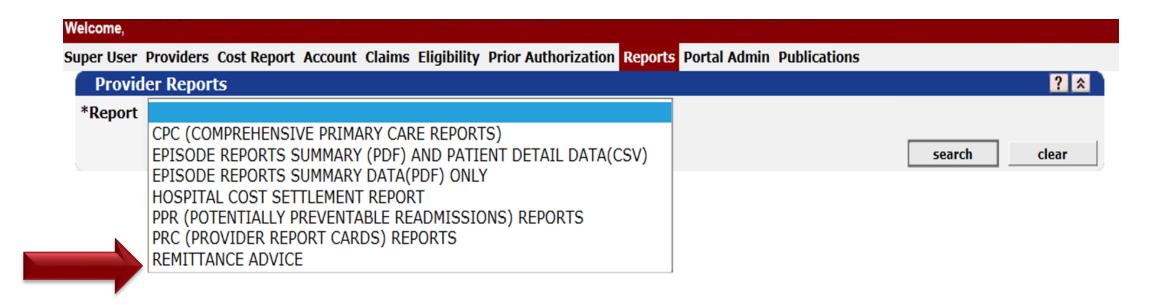


# ARCs for a detail pay TPL are entered in the Detail – Other Payer Amounts and Adjustment Reason Codes panel



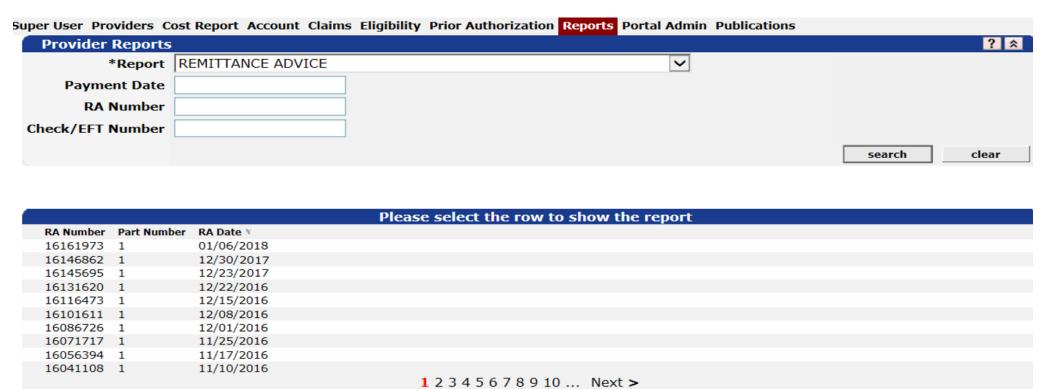


- All claims processed are available on the MITS Portal
- Weekly reports become available on Wednesdays





- > Select "Remittance Advice" and click "search"
- > To see all remits to date, do not enter any data and click search twice







## Paid, denied, and adjusted claims



#### **Financial transactions**

Expenditures - Non-claim payments

Accounts receivable - Balance of claim and non-claim amounts due to Medicaid



#### **Summary**

Current, month, and year to date information





#### **Information pages**

Banner messages to the provider community



#### **EOB** code explanations

Provides a comparison of codes to the description



#### **TPL claim denial information**

Provides other insurance information for any TPL claim denials

# Websites, Forms



#### **Websites**

Ohio Department of Medicaid home page

http://Medicaid.ohio.gov

Ohio Department of Medicaid provider page

https://medicaid.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/medicaid/resources-for-providers

> MALs & MTLs

https://medicaid.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/medicaid/resources-forproviders/policies-guidelines

➤ Ohio Administrative Codes

http://codes.ohio.gov/oac/5160



#### Websites

#### > Provider Enrollment

https://medicaid.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/medicaid/resources-forproviders/enrollment-and-support/enrollment-and-support

➤ MITS home page

https://www.ohmits.com/prosecure/authtam/handler?TAM OP=login&URL=% 2FPortal%2FDesktopModules%2FiC Authenticate%2FSignIn.aspx%3FReturnUrl %3D%252fPortal%252f

➤ Electronic Funds Transfer

https://obm.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/obm/areas-of-interest/ohiosuppliers/supplier-forms/

#### Websites

#### ➤ Companion Guides (EDI)

<u>https://medicaid.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/medicaid/resources-for-providers/billing/trading-partners/companion-guides/companion-guides</u>

Electronic Visit Verification (EVV)

https://medicaid.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/medicaid/resources-for-providers/special-programs-and-initiatives/electronic-visit-verification/electronic-visit-verification

**≻**Healthchek

https://medicaid.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/medicaid/families-andindividuals/srvcs/healthchek

> X12 Website (ARC Codes)

https://x12.org/codes/claim-adjustment-reason-codes

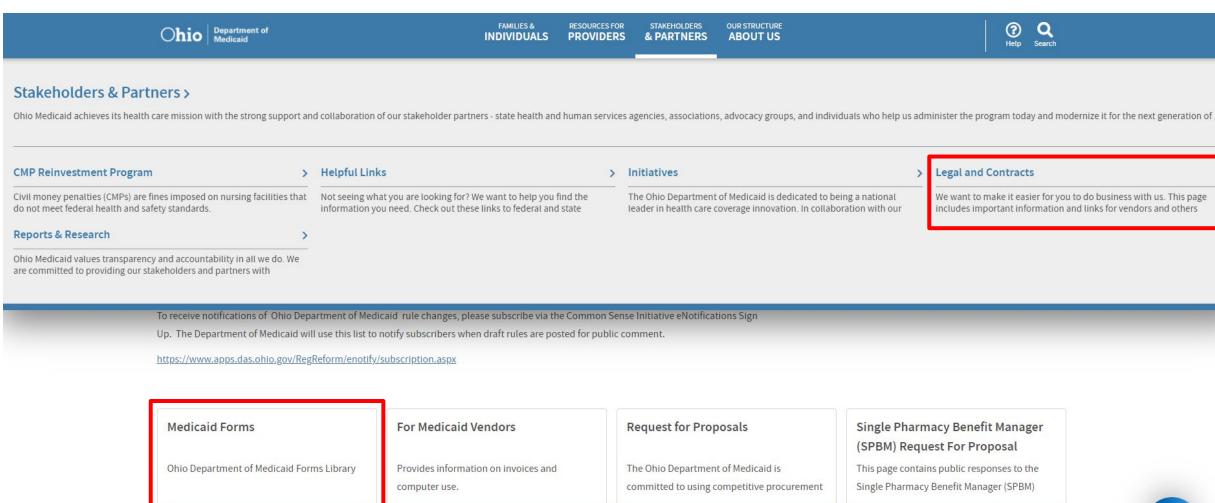


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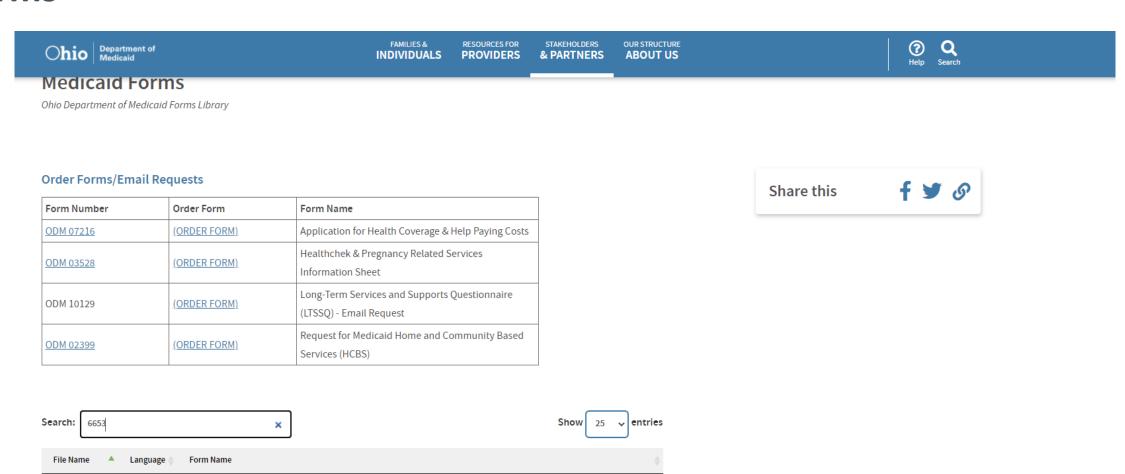
ODM 06614 – Health Insurance Fact Request

ODM 06653 – Medical Claim Review Request

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