



Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Claims Processing Update to Fiscal Year End (FYE) Edits

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Provider Types Affected

This MLN Matters Article is for SNFs billing Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs) for services they provide to Medicare patients.

Provider Action Needed

In this MLN Matters Article, you will learn about:

- A correction CMS is making to SNF claims editing
- The details of the corrected Fiscal Year Ending (FYE) edit
- How the revised edit affects you

Make sure your billing staff knows about this change.

Background

CR 12457 implements changes to correct SNF claims processing edits. These changes:

- Relate to the Fiscal Intermediary Shared System (FISS) editing of SNF claims
- Make sure that SNF claims processing follows current policy.

The FISS system will edit for your claims where:

- The Type of Bill (TOB) is 21X or 18X PPS (excluding CAH)
- The thru date equals 10/1 and patient status equals 30 (still a patient)

OR

- The From date is prior to 10/1

AND

- The Thru date is later than 10/1 with any patient status effective for Date of Service October 1, 2016.

MACs will Return to the Provider (RTP) any claim matching these FYE edits.

More Information

We issued [CR 12457](#) to your MAC as the official instruction for this change.

For more information, [find your MAC's website](#).

Document History

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