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Do You Have Your National Provider Identifier (NPI)?

National Provider Identifiers will be required on claims submitted by most health care providers on or after May 23rd, 2007. Don't risk disruption to your cash flow.

NPIs are free and providers may apply for theirs online at <https://nppes.cms.hhs.gov> (click on "National Provider Identifier (NPI)" and follow the instructions). A paper application may be obtained by calling (800) 465-3203 or TTY 1-800-692-2326.

For questions concerning the NPI application, call the above number or send an e-mail to customerservice@npienumerator.com

For further explanation of the NPI program, see the Winter 2006 and Spring 2006 newsletters posted under "Announcements/Newsletters" on this website (<http://nevada.fhsc.com>) or visit the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services' (CMS) website at <http://www.cms.hhs.gov>