Modernization: Attention Electronic Billing Trading Partners: Preparations Continue for the Medicaid Management Information System Modernization Project – Trading Partner Enrollment and Certification (Testing)

The Division of Health Care Financing and Policy (DHCFP) will implement a new, modernized Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) by early 2019. Nevada Medicaid existing and new Trading Partners (TPs) should begin the enrollment and certification process. A step-by-step description of the enrollment process can be found in the Trading Partner User Guide at https://www.medicaid.nv.gov/providers/edi.aspx. In addition to assisting with the enrollment process, the User Guide will provide information on viewing TP application status, registering as a TP, connectivity, testing and submission of test files with Nevada Medicaid.

Existing Trading Partners (formerly known as Service Centers) must re-enroll to receive a new 8-digit TP ID. The new 8-digit TP ID will be used (1) during the certification process for the new modernized system and (2) after go-live in February 2019. The current 4-digit TP ID, or Service Center number, will continue to be used for Production files in the current MMIS.

The Trading Partner enrollment process can be completed at the following location: https://portaluat.medicaid.nv.gov/hcp/provider/Home.

Notes:

- Existing associations between providers and TPs, also known as Service Center Authorizations, will be migrated to the new, modernized system for all TPs that have enrolled by the end of 2018. The current 4-digit Service Center ID in the association will be replaced with the new 8-digit TP ID. Associations will not be migrated for Trading Partners that do not enroll by the end of 2018. For these Trading Partners, providers will have to manually enter the associations through the Provider Web Portal (PWP) after go-live in February 2019.
- Inbound and Outbound transactions will be validated through Strategic National Implementation Process (SNIP) Level 4 as part of TP certification. The new TP and Receiver IDs must be used in the submission of test files, but should not be used for Production files until go-live in February 2019.
- New Inbound and Outbound Companion Guides have been created for Modernization Fee-for-Service and Encounter claims. TPs will need to make changes to their interface files per instructions in the new EDI Companion Guides. The new Companion Guides have been posted to the Nevada Medicaid website at https://www.medicaid.nv.gov/providers/edi.aspx under “Inbound” or “Outbound” EDI Companion Guides.
- If a TP exchanges only 835s (electronic remits), no certification of this transaction type is needed, but enrollment is still required.
- Nevada Medicaid has provided a sample SNIP 4 compliant 835 electronic remit, located at https://www.medicaid.nv.gov/providers/edi.aspx, for TPs to download and use for testing. Refer to the Trading Partner Enrollment and Certification (Testing) Documents section.

It is highly encouraged that existing TPs begin the enrollment and certification process as soon as possible to work through any issues that may occur. Nevada Medicaid (DXC Technology) will be reaching out to TPs who have not yet enrolled and/or certified for the new, modernized system.

If you have any questions regarding Trading Partner Enrollment and Certification, please send an email to: nvmed.edittestingsupport@dxc.com.