Notice to CMS-1500 Billers

This notice to Nevada Medicaid and Nevada Check Up providers is being published to notify providers of the latest errors discovered during a review of some of the batches of claims received at First Health Services Corporation. This type of notice will be published periodically to minimize future occurrences of identified errors and prevent delays in the processing of Medicaid claims.

1) When submitting a CMS-1500 claim form, column 24K is used only to enter the rendering/servicing Provider Medicaid ID Number. This column is always to be used to report the servicing Provider Medicaid ID Number. This will be the same number as the number submitted in Field 33 (GRP#) when the servicing provider does not have a Group Medicaid ID Number. If no number is printed in column 24K, the claim will be denied as the actual Provider Medicaid ID Number of the servicing provider is not documented on the claim. In the example below, column 24K is marked with the number one (1) arrow.

2) Your Provider Medicaid ID Number should be entered in Field 33 in the area marked GRP#. In the example above, this is marked by the number two (2) arrow. Do not enter your Provider Medicaid ID Number in the area marked PIN#. This area of Field 33 is to be used for your MEDICARE provider identification number when billing Medicare only. In addition, you should be sure that zip codes and phone numbers are not printed in this area.