

PROVIDER BULLETIN

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May 1, 2019

Reminder: Change to TPA Business and Submitting Claims for TPA Plan Members

As previously communicated (Provider Bulletins P14-19, P35-18, P41-18 and P76-18), Independence Health Group subsidiary AmeriHealth Administrators, Inc. (AHA) completed an asset purchase May 1, 2018 that included self-insured customer contracts from Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota's (Blue Cross) third-party administrator (TPA).

As of January 1, 2019, all these members were transferred to AHA systems. Between October 1, 2018, and January 1, 2019, the plan members received ID cards with the BlueLink TPA* name and logo; they access the BlueCard® program of network providers.

Submitting claims with dates of service in 2018 or prior for your patients who carry a BlueLink TPA ID card:

For patients carrying an ID card with the following groups numbers – electronic claims submission will be turned off by June 15, 2019.

Client/ Group Name	Old Group Number
Action Floor Systems	5MN04690
Activar	5MN03730
AG Partners	5MN04910
Aicota Health Care	5MN05980
Albert Lea Select Foods	5MN03810
Appleton Hospital	5MN05970
Arrow Tank	5MN06080
Arrowhead Promotion & Fulfillment	5MN04920
Artisans Inc	5MN04890
Austin Public Schools	5MN04940
BendTec Inc	5MN04540
Bois Forte Reservation Tribal Council	5MN04610
Brenny Transportation Inc	5MN05830
Capstan Corporation	5MN05530
Carl Bolander	5MN04300
Catholic Charities Bureau	5MN04500
Cedar Corporation	5MN04780

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Client/ Group Name	Old Group Number
City of Austin	5MN05760
Community Memorial Hospital	5MN02000
Davasee Enterprises	5MN03090
Design Electric, Inc.	5MN05570
Diocese of Superior	5MN04490
Direct Fulfillment	5MN05630
Douglas Corporation	5MN01370
Ely Bloomensen	5MN05990
Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribe	5BL05900
Fond du Lac CHS	5MN03960
Fortune Bay Casino Resort	5MN02810
Genesis Publishing	5MN05740
Grand Forks Public Schools	5MN05610
Grand Portage	5MN03610
Grandmas Inc	5MN04750
Hank's Specialties	5MN06040
Hiawatha Rubber Company	5MN05470
Human Development Center	5MN06010
Jackpot Junction Casino Hotel	5MN05700
Javens Mechanical Contracting Co	5MN06070
Jeff Foster Trucking	5MN04820
Lower Sioux Indian Community	5MN05690
Marine Credit Union	5MN05440
Minnco Credit Union	5MN05560
Modernistic	5MN03370
National Bank of Commerce	5MN05880
North Shore Bank of Commerce	5MN03740
Northeast Regional Corrections Center	5MN03050
Northwood Children's Services	5MN03910
NRI Electronics	5MN06010
Nystrom & Associates, Ltd.	5MN05720
OB-GYN & Assoc	5MN05430
OSI Environmental	5MN03940
PACA (Apex International)	5MN03130
Prairie Island	5BL05910
Quality Pork Processors, Inc	5MN04140
Randy's Sanitation	5MN04370
Red Lake Nation	5MN03300
Red Wing Publishing	5MN03870
Republic Bank, Inc.	5MN04640
Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community	5BL05820
Southern Minnesota Regional Legal Services, Inc.	5MN05850
Specialty Manufacturing	5MN03410

Client/ Group Name	Old Group Number
Spectro Alloys	5MN04100
St. Croix Chippewa Indians of WI	5MN05930
St. Louis County Jail	5MN02590
St. Paul Stamp	5MN06050
Sterling State Bank	5MN03820
Torgerson Properties, Inc	5MN03460
Transit Team	5MN06060
Treasure Island Resort & Casino	5BL05920
Tuohy Furniture Corporation	5MN02050
Upper Lakes Foods, Inc	5MN03380
Upper Sioux Community	5MN05940
Wells Concrete	5MN04860
White Earth Band of Chippewa Indians/National Tribal Claims Center	5MN05950
Woodland Centers	5MN03510

For adjustments or claims for services you performed prior to December 31, 2018

Providers have until the end of day of June 14, 2019 to electronically submit claims through the Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota provider portal (Availity). Electronic submissions will no longer be available after this date.

Providers will need to submit paper claims to:

BlueLink TPA
c/o Processing Center
P.O. 21974
Eagan, MN 55121

Claims will be processed following the applicable terms for timely submission. Electronic submission will no longer be available for such claims only because of the decommissioning of the Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota Legacy claims system which requires that an alternative solution be implemented for the very few claims that are impacted due to this claims system change.

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