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Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota and Blue Plus

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Change to RAP claim submission

Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota and Blue Plus updated their claim processing software in November to correspond with Medicare RAP (Request for Anticipated Payment) claim billing requirements.

Claim submission

Effective immediately home health providers submitting RAP claims should submit zero charges (\$0.00) with the HIPPS code on the 0023 revenue code line. Claims submitted with charge amounts other than \$0.00 on the 0023 revenue code line will be denied and returned to the provider without processing. Previously providers were instructed to submit the corresponding PPS rate as charges on the 0023 revenue code line.

Products affected

This change applies to home health RAP claims submitted for the following Medicare enrollees:

Product name	Member ID alpha prefix
CareBlue (SNP)	XZS
MedicareBlue SM PPO	IAZ, MMY, NDA, SDZ, WYA, XZW, YEA
SecureBlue	XZS

Questions?

If you have questions, please contact provider service at (651) 662-5200 or toll free at 1-800-262-0820.

Please route this bulletin to other interested staff.



