

PACE/CRDP/SPBP PROVIDER BULLETIN

January 7, 2016

UPDATES:

PRESCRIBER EDIT ENHANCEMENT

The prescriber edit enhancement scheduled for Monday January 4, 2016 has been postponed until Monday, February 1, 2016.

As stated in the December bulletin, claims failing this edit will deny with NCPDP Error 71, "Prescriber Is Not Covered." Denied NPI's will include those identifying:

- Organizations such as hospitals or physician practices.
- Pennsylvania prescribers whose license has expired.
- Prescribers who may be practicing in a bordering state, but whose address on file lists a state other than those allowed by PACE.
 - Providers experiencing denials from prescribers in these bordering states are encouraged to contact Provider Services. Upon confirmation of the adjacent state information and the prescriber's license, the NPI will be added to the file.
- Prescribers whose NPI identify them as not being permitted to prescribe. Example: NPI submitted is NPI 1231231231 for Jane Doe, LPN, instead of NPI 1456789789 for Jane Doe, MD.
- Prescribers with multiple licenses, i.e. OA, MA, SP etc., whose NPI identifies a license the prescriber chose not to renew.
- Prescribers who are precluded or excluded by Medicaid.

PART D PLANS

The partner plan WellCare has changed their RxBIN from 603286 to 004336 and RxPCN from MEDD to MEDDADV. When updating the cardholder's profile, be sure to also update the Other Payer ID (the BIN) in the Coordination of Benefits (COB) segment. Since January 1, approximately 2,000 claims, of which 1,600 had WellCare as the primary payor, have been received with incorrect BIN in the COB segment.

As in previous years, PACE has enacted a transition period during January. During this time PACE accepts claims that may contain a different payer's BIN number in the COB segment (Other Payer ID field 340-7C) than what is listed on the cardholder's profile. On Monday, **February 1, 2016, claims containing a different BIN in the COB segment than contained on file will deny with NCPDP Error 41, "Submit Bill to Other Processor or Primary Payer.**

Questions may be directed to Provider Services at 1-800-835-4080.