

Monthly Diabetes Report File

Description:

This file will contain a list of all diabetic members who are enrolled in the HMO in the current month, along with the last date in the current year or previous year that the member received an LDL screen, HbA1c test or eye exam (if any). HMOs can use this data to reach out to members who may be in need of a service. Criteria to determine if a member is diabetic is based on the diagnosis codes, procedure codes, revenue codes and drug codes as specified in the HEDIS Technical Specifications. Criteria to determine the last date of service is also based on HEDIS Technical Specifications. The HEDIS optional exclusions were applied so members with gestational diabetes, steroid-induced diabetes or polycystic ovaries and no other face-to-face visits with a diagnosis of diabetes are excluded from the report.

Data Source:

Data from the interChange fee-for-service claims data as well as HMO Encounter data is used to identify diabetics and services.

File Name:

The file name will be XXXDiabetesYYYYMM.txt where XXX is the three character abbreviation for the HMO, and YYYYMM is the year and month that the file was produced.

Delivery Method:

The file will be delivered to HMOs via their secure file transfer accounts. A file for SSI members will be delivered to the HMO's SSI account and a file for BadgerCare Plus members will be delivered to the HMO's BCP account.

Frequency:

Monthly on the fourth Tuesday of the month.

Format:

Fixed-width ASCII text file. Character fields are left-justified, number fields are right-justified.

Field	Data Type	Length	Description
Member ID	Character	12	The member's ForwardHealth identification number.
Member First Name	Character	15	The member's first name.
Member Middle Initial	Character	1	The member's middle initial, if available
Member Last Name	Character	20	The member's last name.
Member Date of Birth	Character	8	The member's date of birth, in the format YYYYMMDD.
Member Age	Number	4	The age of the member, calculated as of the last day of the current month.
Last Eye Exam	Character	8	The latest date of service for an eye exam for the member, in the format YYYYMMDD.
Last HbA1c	Character	8	The latest date of service for an HbA1c test for the member, in the format YYYYMMDD.
Last LDL	Character	8	The latest date of service for an LDL screen for the member, in the format YYYYMMDD.