

EDI Claim File Indicators

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An EDI Claim file indicator is a code transmitted on an EDI/837 Claim file that tells the payer whether the primary insurance is Medicare or another commercial payer.

It is included on all electronic **837P** (professional claims) and **837I** (institutional claims) claim files in Loop 2000B, segment SBR09. They are not required or included on paper claims.

Here is a list of common file indicators:

CODE	DEFINITION
11	Other Non-Federal Programs
12	Preferred Provider Organization (PPO)
13	Point of Service (POS)
14	Exclusive Provider Organization (EPO)
15	Indemnity Insurance
16	Health Maintenance Organization (HMO) Medicare Risk
17	Dental Maintenance Organization
AM	Automobile Medical
BL	Blue Cross/Blue Shield
CH	Champus
CI	Commercial Insurance Co.
DS	Disability
FI	Federal Employees Program
HM	Health Maintenance Organization
LM	Liability Medical
MA	Medicare Part A
MB	Medicare Part B
MC	Medicaid
OF	Other Federal Program
	Use code OF when submitting Medicare Part D claims.
TV	Title V
VA	Veterans Affairs Plan
WC	Workers' Compensation Health Claim
ZZ	Mutually Defined
	Use Code ZZ when Type of Insurance is not known.



