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# eClaims May Webinar

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# eClaims EDI R3.0 News



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# eClaims EDI R3.0 News

- [eClaims Change Log](#): The “Edit Matrix-Population Restriction Table” has been updated. The updates are summarized on the eClaims change log under items #398-400 announcing the following changes:
  - Per IAIABC notification on March 20, 2020, the Workers Compensation Insurance Organizations (WCIO) has added a new **Cause Code of 83 for Pandemic** and a new **Nature Code of 83 for COVID-19**. The new Injury Description Tables may be found on the WCIO website at [wcio.org](http://wcio.org). New York has added these codes to their Claims EDI tables for FROI reporting effective March 25, 2020, for DN0035 (Nature of Injury) Code and DN0037 (Cause of Injury) Code. Note: It is expected that FROI-02s are filed if FROIs have already been filed with incorrect Cause or Nature codes since the NY Element Requirement Table lists both data elements severity rankings as "Y".

# eClaims EDI R3.0 News

- [eClaims Change Log](#): The “Edit Matrix-Population Restriction Table” has been updated. The updates are summarized on the eClaims change log under items #398-400 announcing the following changes:
  - Effective October 1, 2020, new **Population Restriction for DN0031 (Date of Injury)** will be applied with Error 064 Invalid Data Relationship – Population Restriction E) Date of Injury (DN0031) year must be on or after 2019 if Nature of Injury (DN0035) is COVID-19 (83) or Cause of Injury (DN0037) is Pandemic.
  - Effective October 1, 2020, new **Population Restriction for DN0290 (Type of Loss)** will be applied with Error 064 Invalid Data Relationship – Population Restriction – Type of Loss (DN0290) must be Occupational Disease (02) if Nature of Injury (DN0035) is COVID-19 (83) or Cause of Injury (DN0037) is Pandemic (83).

# eClaims EDI R3.0 News

- [eClaims Change Log](#): The “Edit Matrix-Population Restriction Table” has been updated. The update is summarized on the eClaims R3.0 change log under item #401 announcing the following change:
  - **Type of Loss (DN0290) Error 064 Invalid Data Relationship** – must be Occupational Disease (02) if Nature of Injury (DN0035) is COVID-19 (83) or Cause of Injury (DN0037) is Pandemic (83) as previously announced under ID #400 on March 26, 2020, will not be implemented on October 1, 2020.

# eClaims EDI R3.0 News

## ■ FAQ #19 edited:

- How do I reference a document on a SROI-CB or SROI-CA in compliance with 12 NYCRR 300.23(a) since these transactions do not allow a narrative field in IAIABC Claims EDI R3.0?

The Board has determined that a letter/correspondence must be filed within 3 days of the SROI-CB or SROI-CA indicating therein the document ID number(s) and the date(s) of the supporting documentation (such as an IME-4) along with a summary of the specific findings within that/those document(s) that purportedly supports the reduction in the payment rate. If CA/CB is rejected, then the letter/correspondence should be submitted within 5 days. The letter/correspondence referenced can be either mailed or e-mailed to [wcbclaimsfilings@wcb.ny.gov](mailto:wcbclaimsfilings@wcb.ny.gov).

# eClaims EDI R3.0 News

## ■ FROI-AQ/AU requirements

**NYS Claims Release 3  
First Report of Injury Event Table**

Release	Report Type	Maintenance		Event Rule			Report Trigger		When is the Report Due?		
		Code	Description	Criteria	From	Thru	Criteria	Trigger Value	Value	Due Type	From
3.0	FROI	AQ	Acquired Claim	3= Jurisdiction Defined	4/23/2014		M = MTC Defined. When the Claim Administrator acquires a claim.	NA	10	C	J = After Report Trigger Effective Date of Acquisition
3.0	FROI	AU	Acquired/ Unallocated	3= Jurisdiction Defined	4/23/2014		M = MTC Defined. When an AQ receives a TR because there is no match, the Claim Administrator is required to submit an AU.	NA	30	C	J = Report Trigger, after TR
3.0	FROI	AU	Acquired/ Unallocated	3= Jurisdiction Defined	4/23/2014		M = MTC Defined. When the Claim Administrator acquires a claim that has not yet been reported to the jurisdiction (Claim Administrator may file an AU instead of the AQ when acquiring a claim).	NA	10	C	J = After Report Trigger Effective Date of Acquisition



# eClaims EDI R3.1 News



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# eClaims EDI R3.1 News

- May 11, 2020
  - The eClaims Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) are now available at [eClaims FAQs](#)
- April 23, 2020
  - The April webinar slide deck and video recording are now available on the [eClaims Presentation page](#). The webinars and recordings will be posted on the Presentations page each month.

# eClaims EDI R3.1 Topics of the Month



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# Part of Body – NY Business Uses

- eCase
  - FROI/SROI – Latest Values Tab to be expanded to allow for multiple body parts, Left/Right/Bilateral, and Finger/Toes location
- Medical Portal
  - Displayed in case search results for providers

# Part of Body – ERT

- DN0036 Part of Body Code

- FROI

- Expands to a variable segment with DN0420 (Number of Part of Body Injured)
- Allows up to ten occurrences for multiple WCIO Body Part Codes published at [https://www.wcio.org/Active%20PNC/WCIO\\_Part\\_Table.pdf](https://www.wcio.org/Active%20PNC/WCIO_Part_Table.pdf)

# Part of Body Injured Codes

- DN0036 Part of Body Injured Codes that require a Left/Right/Bilateral DN0432 Part of Body Injured Location Code:

- 13-Ear(s)
- 14-Eye(s)
- 30-Multiple Upper Extremities
- 31-Upper Arm
- 32-Elbow
- 33-Lower Arm
- 34-Wrist
- 35-Hand
- 36-Finger(s) other than thumb
- 37-Thumb
- 38-Shoulder(s)
- 39-Wrist(s) and Hand(s)
- 50-Multiple Lower Extremities
- 51-Hip
- 52-Upper Leg
- 53-Knee
- 54-Lower Leg
- 55-Ankle
- 56-Foot
- 57-Toes
- 58-Great Toe
- 60-Lungs
- 62-Buttocks

# Part of Body – Fingers/Toes

- DN0036 Part of Body Injured Codes that require a 1 - Index Finger or 1st Toe, 2 - Middle Finger or 2nd Toe, 3 - Ring Finger or 3rd Toe, or 4 - Little Finger or (little) Toe  
DN0422 Part of Body Injured Fingers/Toes Location Code:
  - 36 (Finger[s] other than Thumb)
  - 57 (Toes)

# Part of Body – ERT

- DN0421 Part of Body Injured Location Code
  - FROI
    - MC on 00/04/AU
      - Condition: Equal to one of the codes on the previous slide
- DN0422 Part of Body Injured Fingers/Toes Location Code
  - FROI
    - MC on 00/04/AU
      - Condition: Required if the associated DN0036 Part of Body Injured Code = 36 (Finger[s] other than Thumb) and/or 57 (Toes)
    - AR on AQ



# Part of Body – Population Restrictions

- New Edit: 0420-045 Number of Part of Body Injured – Error: Value is < required by jurisdiction
  - If DN0002 (Maintenance Type Code) = 00, 04, AU, UR or DN0002 (Maintenance Type Code) = 02 where a FROI-AQ was accepted in the past with DN0420 (Number of Part of Body Injured) > 0, then DN0420 (Number of Part of Body Injured) must not be 0
  - Element Error Text: Must be greater than 0 on FROI

# Severity Rankings

**M**

Mandatory

- Rejected if not sent

**MC**

Mandatory with Conditions

- Rejected if not sent when conditions are met

**AR**

If Available

- Sent if data is available
- Edits will be applied

**AA**

If Available

- Sent if data is available
- No edits will be applied

**NA**

Not Applicable

- Ignored if sent

# Reduced Earnings changes in eClaims EDI R3.1

- Removed all references to SROI-RE due to retirement of MTC
- Reduced Earnings variable segments available in R3.1 on AP, CA, CB, IP, RB, SX, SU
- Reduced Earnings variable segments sent when weekly rate varies for BTC 070

# Reduced Earnings – Start/End Dates

- DN0242 Reduced Earnings Week Number
  - Changed from MC to NA since new data elements are available in eClaims EDI R3.1 to provide better reporting for start/end dates
- DN0414 Reduced Earnings Week Start Date
- DN0415 Reduced Earnings Week End Date
  - Both data elements are MC on AP, CA, CB, IP, RB, SX, SU with Condition: Required if DN0285 (Number of Reduced Earnings) >0

# Reduced Earnings – Weekly Amount Paid

- DN0435 Reduced Earnings Net Weekly Amount Due by Claim Administrator
- DN0124 Actual Reduced Earnings – Weekly wage being paid by the employer
- Both data elements are MC on AP, CA, CB, IP, RB, SX, SU with Condition:  
Required if DN0285 (Number of Reduced Earnings) >0

# Reduced Earnings – Edits to Enforce Rules

- 0435-064 Reduced Earnings Net Weekly Amount Due by Claim Administrator – Must be 0 unless 070 Benefit Type Code is sent
- 0415-122 Reduced Earnings Week End date must be > Reduced Earnings Week Start Date

# Reduced Earnings Rules

- See IAIABC Section 4 Variable Segment Population Rules for Reduced Earnings regarding cannot exceed 52 weeks, unique start/end dates, once accepted it will never be reported again on further MTCs, TP benefits should be reported in consecutive date order
- Section 4 Variable Segment Reduced Earnings Population Rules in the Benefit Segment states:
  - Whenever the MTC is required in the Benefits segment for an 070 Benefit Type Code (“Event” Benefits Segment) and multiple weeks of Temporary Partial benefits are being reported, the Gross Weekly Amount (DN0174), Gross Weekly Amount Effective Date (DN0175), Net Weekly Amount (DN0087), and Net Weekly Amount Effective Date (DN0211) in the Benefits segment will represent the **most current Temporary Partial rate and date reported for which benefits were paid.**

# eClaims Website Changes

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# Q&A



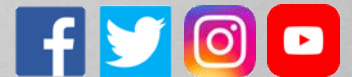
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