eClaims May Webinar
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March 29, 2021

The March webinar slide deck is now available on the eClaims Presentations page. The agenda for March's webinar included:

- Claims EDI R3.1 Update
- eClaims Recent News
- eClaims Topics:
  - WCIO Nature of Injury
  - Filing Suspensions Reminder
  - Claims EDI R3.1 Updated Documentation

April 27, 2021

The EDI R3.1 eClaims Implementation Guide has been revised and posted on the Implementation Guide page. The updated Guide includes additional information in preparation for the Claims EDI R3.1 upgrade and been reformatted for Trading Partners' ease of use.
eClaims Topics
Claims EDI R3.0 Reminder

- As shared during the February eClaims Trading Partner webinar, the Claims EDI R3.0 FROI-UR event is effective July 6, 2021.
  - This event was published in the Claims EDI R3.0 Change Log (NYS eClaims Change Log) on January 6, 2021, as item #402 and is for medical only cases.
  - A 00 is acceptable in lieu of this UR, and this event will carry over to the NYS R3.1 Event Table.
Updated Claims EDI R3.1 Documents
EDI R3.1 eClaims Implementation Guide

- As posted in Revised Subject Number 046-1319, the implementation date for the Claims EDI R3.1 upgrade has been changed to January 24, 2022.
- The EDI R3.1 eClaims Implementation Guide was updated on April 23, 2021.
Data Preparation and Testing

- The Board will conduct Claims EDI R3.1 testing with trading partners from October 12, 2021, to January 14, 2022.
- It is recommended that trading partners become familiar with the IAIABC Claims EDI R3.1 standard.
- It is also highly recommended that trading partners attend at least one training held by the IAIABC. Information about these trainings can be found on the IAIABC EDI training site.
Section 3.7 of the Implementation Guide includes updated test plan information for flat filers.

Required tests include:

- **Test A**: Single Data File (FROIs only)
- **Test B**: Two Data Files (FROIs and SROIs)
- **Test C**: Single Data File (SROIs only)
- **Test D**: One or Two Data Files (FROIs and/or SROIs as needed)

During the testing period, the submitter uploads the test data file as specified to the Board’s sFTP server.

Once the file is uploaded to the sFTP server, the submitter must notify the Board Testing Coordinator (eClaims-Support@wcb.ny.gov) that the file has been uploaded.
Test Plan for Flat Filers

- In response to the submitter’s email notification, the Board will process the test file and generate an acknowledgement file on the sFTP server for the submitter to download.

- An acknowledgement to a test file contains a “T” in the Test/Production Indicator in the Header Record. After the Board returns the results of each test, the submitter should submit their next test file within three business days.
Moving to Production

- The length of the testing period depends on the submitter's transaction acceptance rate and data quality.

- Key Claims EDI R3.0 to R3.1 Cutover Dates:
  - Claims EDI R3.0 flat file submissions can be submitted until 6 p.m. ET on Thursday, January 20, 2022.
  - Web Data Entry will be available until 5 p.m. ET on Friday, January 21, 2022.
  - eCase will be available until 5 p.m. ET on Friday, January 21, 2022.
  - Further information will be shared as available if any other online systems are affected.
Migration to Claims EDI R3.1

- During the test period, claim administrators will be transmitting their Claims EDI R3.1 FROI/SROI test data files to the Board, while at the same time, still submitting R3.0 transactions.

- When the Board migrates to R3.1, the “Flip the Switch” strategy will be used to complete the process.

- As New York develops the final migration plans, the Board will communicate any transition window to trading partners before the Board cuts over to Claims EDI R3.1 submissions.
Web Data Entry Testing

- **Existing Claims EDI R3.0 Web Data Entry Trading Partners:**
  - Organizations that have already been approved to submit through the eClaims Web Data Entry application in Claims EDI R3.0 will be provided the opportunity to access a separate Claims EDI R3.1 test environment.
  - This will allow users to gain experience and note any changes to the Web Data Entry application for Claims EDI R3.1.

- **New Trading Partners:**
  - New trading partners must participate in a formal testing process.
  - The formal testing process includes a test plan made up of entering data into the Web Data Entry application.
  - All submitters must complete all mandatory tests described in this section to be approved to submit production data files.
Questions?
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