

and distributed by HHS, for the following procedures or other actions taken for diseases, injuries, and impairments on hospital inpatients reported by hospitals:

- (i) Prevention.
- (ii) Diagnosis.
- (iii) Treatment.
- (iv) Management.

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EFFECTIVE DATE NOTE: At 77 FR 54720, Sept. 5, 2012, §162.1002 was amended by revising paragraph (b) introductory text and paragraph (c) introductory text, effective Nov. 5, 2012. For the convenience of the user, the revised text is set forth as follows:

**§ 162.1002 Medical data code sets.**

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(b) For the period on and after October 16, 2003 through September 30, 2014:

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(c) For the period on and after October 1, 2014:

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**§ 162.1011 Valid code sets.**

Each code set is valid within the dates specified by the organization responsible for maintaining that code set.

**Subpart K—Health Care Claims or Equivalent Encounter Information**

**§ 162.1101 Health care claims or equivalent encounter information transaction.**

The health care claims or equivalent encounter information transaction is the transmission of either of the following:

- (a) A request to obtain payment, and the necessary accompanying information from a health care provider to a health plan, for health care.
- (b) If there is no direct claim, because the reimbursement contract is based on a mechanism other than charges or reimbursement rates for specific services, the transaction is the transmission of encounter information

for the purpose of reporting health care.

**§ 162.1102 Standards for health care claims or equivalent encounter information transaction.**

The Secretary adopts the following standards for the health care claims or equivalent encounter information transaction:

(a) For the period from October 16, 2003 through March 16, 2009:

(1) *Retail pharmacy drugs claims.* The National Council for Prescription Drug Programs (NCPDP) Telecommunication Standards Implementation Guide, Version 5, Release 1, September 1999, and equivalent NCPDP Batch Standards Batch Implementation Guide, Version 1, Release 1, (Version 1.1), January 2000, supporting Telecommunication Version 5.1 for the NCPDP Data Record in the Detail Data Record. (Incorporated by reference in § 162.920).

(2) *Dental, health care claims.* The ASC X12N 837—Health Care Claim: Dental, Version 4010, May 2000, Washington Publishing Company, 004010X097, and Addenda to Health Care Claim: Dental, Version 4010, October 2002, Washington Publishing Company, 004010X097A1. (Incorporated by reference in § 162.920).

(3) *Professional health care claims.* The ASC X12N 837—Health Care Claims: Professional, Volumes 1 and 2, Version 4010, May 2000, Washington Publishing Company, 004010X098 and Addenda to Health Care Claims: Professional, Volumes 1 and 2, Version 4010, October 2002, Washington Publishing Company, 004010x098A1. (Incorporated by reference in § 162.920).

(4) *Institutional health care claims.* The ASC X12N 837—Health Care Claim: Institutional, Volumes 1 and 2, Version 4010, May 2000, Washington Publishing Company, 004010X096 and Addenda to Health Care Claim: Institutional, Volumes 1 and 2, Version 4010, October 2002, Washington Publishing Company, 004010X096A1. (Incorporated by reference in § 162.920).

(b) For the period from March 17, 2009 through December 31, 2011, both:

- (1)(i) The standards identified in paragraph (a) of this section; and