# BILLING & DENIAL RESOLUTION TUTORING LAB

APRIL 3, 2025



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# ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

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- Reminder to Rebill CO 96 N54 Recoupments
  - A DHCS configuration issue generated erroneous CO 96 N54 denials which mainly impacted service codes G2212, H0034,H2017, H2014, and T2021.
  - DHCS sent the list of impacted services to SAPC and it was shared with providers via SFTP on Friday February 28th.
  - If providers need the list again, please email SAPC-Finance@ph.lacounty.gov

# **FY DEADLINE PREPARATIONS**

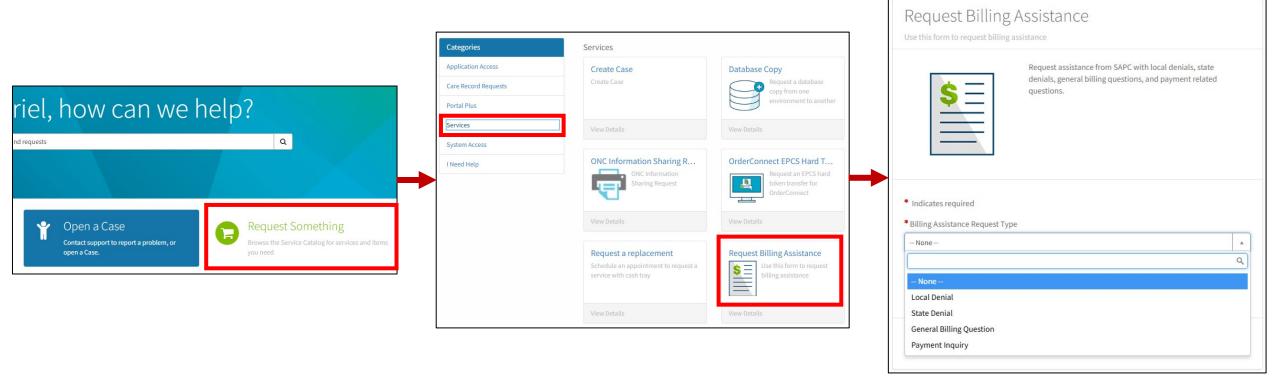
### BILLING DEADLINES FOR ORIGINAL & REPLACEMENT CLAIMS

- FY22-23
  - Deadline: June 30, 2025
- FY23-24
  - Deadline: June 30, 2025
- FY24-25
  - Replacement Claim: Starting 7/1/2025, Claims can be replaced up to 365 from date of service
    - Primary Providers should use the Replacement Claim Assignment (CMS-1500) form to replace claims and services for FY24-25.

# **REQUEST BILLING ASSISTANCE FORM**

- Please submit Sage Help Desk tickets NOW for any concerns or assistance, please don't wait until June.
  - Don't forget to use the new <u>Request Billing Assistance forms</u>!
  - We strongly recommend using these forms and **NOT** calling in to the Help Desk for billing questions/assistance as the Help Desk reps may not ask for all of the necessary information to speed up the resolution of your request. The forms capture all the necessary basic information to start our investigations.

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# **RATES MATRIX DEMONSTRATION**

# **RATES MATRIX DEMONSTRATION OVERVIEW**

- Tier 1, 2, 3
- How to filter data in the rates matrix
  - Level of Care
  - Procedure Codes
- Billing Rules
- CPT Add On Codes
- Place of Service
- Modifiers

# PRIMARY PROVIDER REPLACEMENT CLAIM TRAINING FOLLOW-UP

# 3/24/2025 TRAINING RECAP

- Effective Monday, March 31, 2025, Primary Sage Users/Providers will be able to submit replacement claims in PCNX using the **Replacement Claim Assignment (CMS-1500)** form
- When appropriate, submitting replacement claims is the recommended claim resubmission method over voiding/rebilling
- Replacement claims cannot be submitted past the submission deadlines set for each fiscal year

# 3/24/2025 TRAINING RECAP

 To help identify replaced claims, the Provider EOB Remittance Advice Report has been updated to include an (R) on the replaced service line between the Status and CPT Code columns

Client Name (ID): TE	ST,CARLA MRS (148387)						DOI	3: 01/01/2001	1	Gender: F	
Date Claim Received: 0 Batch.SvcRef# Auth # 378762SVC.000 P10094	Contract # Contract Type	<u>Date of</u> <u>Service</u> 03/04/2025	<u>Status</u> A (R)	<u>CPT Code</u> T1017:U1		Claimed Units 5.0	Claimed Amount \$513.75	Allowed Amount \$513.75	<u>Denied/</u> Adjusted \$0.00	Member Co-pay \$0.00	Amount Paid \$513.75
					-	5.0	\$513.75	\$513.75	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$513.75

## **TRAINING SLIDES, RECORDING & JOB AID**

#### http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/sapc/providers/sage/finance.htm

#### Sage Finance

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Billing		-
Subject	Description	Date
Primary Provider Replacement Claim Assignment (CMS-1500) Job Aid (New - March 2025)	This document provides guidance for primary providers on how to bill replacement claims using the Replacement Claim Assignment (CMS-1500) form in PCNX.	23/26/25
Primary Provider Replacement Claim Assignment (CMS-1500) Training Slides (New - March 2025)	These slides are from the 03/24/2025 Primary Provider Replacement Claim Assignment (CMS-1500) Training.	2 03/26/25
Primary Provider Replacement Claim Assignment (CMS-1500) Training Recording (New - March 2025)	This video is a recording of the 03/24/2025 Primary Provider Replacement Claim Assignment (CMS-1500) Training.	03/26/25

# **ROLL-UP RECOUPMENTS**

# **CO 97 M86 STATE DENIALS**

- All state denials for CO 97 M86 (roll ups) that have been withheld, will be recouped the week of 04/07/25 04/011/25
- Starting 04/07/25 all new CO 97 M86 denials will be recouped automatically
- Services that have the same procedure code, provided on the same day, rendered by the same provider, to the same beneficiary are required to be rolled up into one service line
- If the place of service differs, but the procedure code is the same, it is still required to roll up the services. If there are two services, providers can choose either place of service. However, if there are 3 or more services then choose the most frequent place of service.
- Exceptions
  - Group services (HQ modifier)
  - 90785, 96170, 96171, T1013, T2021, T2024, and H2011 (with place of service 15)

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