

# MACSIS – Enhancements– Sept. 12, 2011

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## **Background:**

ODADAS and ODMH have received several requests for enhancements to the Claims EDI Module, the PREDI Edit/Post reports and the upcoming ODADAS/ODMH Provider Web Portal.

1. Allow providers to designate the billing diagnosis code when multiple diagnosis codes (primary, secondary, tertiary, etc.) are submitted for a client, without manual intervention.

The Claims EDI Module uses the first diagnosis code in the 2300 Loop to adjudicate a claim and does not use the diagnosis pointer in the 2400 Loop.

**Note:** The above issue became apparent with changes to diagnosis codes that were implemented on July 1, 2011. The change requires all claims for Medicaid reimbursable services with a date of service of July 1, 2011 to have a Mental Health billing diagnosis code for a Mental Health service and an Alcohol and Drug billing diagnosis code for an Alcohol and Drug service.

2. Add the date of service to the PREDI Edit - Critical Error Report. Claims with a critical error never make it into MACSIS and do not get a claim number. Providers need the date of service to determine which claims need to be resubmitted.
3. Expand the length of the “patient control number” field on the PREDI Edit – Critical Error Report. It is currently being truncated.
4. Once the ODADAS/ODMH Provider Web Portal is “live”, allow providers to do a look-up on other than the client’s UCI number.

## **Solutions:**

ODADAS and ODMH have submitted requests to their vendor (EMS) to make the following changes:

1. Update the Claims EDI Module to:
  - a. Check for a diagnosis pointer in Loop 2400, segment SV107, and if one is present, use the diagnosis code indicated by the pointer as the billing diagnosis code for claims adjudication.

- b. If no diagnosis pointer is present, the claim will be adjudicated using the first diagnosis code in Loop 2300, segment HI, as it does now.
2. Add the date of service to every claim line on the PREDI - Critical Error Report.
3. Expand the length of the “patient control number” field from 15 characters to 38 characters on all of the PREDI Edit/Post reports.
4. Update the BUI screen on the ODADAS/ODMH Provider Web Portal to include a primary and secondary search.
  - a. The primary search criteria will be either the client’s UCI number (unique client identifier) or their Medicaid number.
  - b. If the client’s UCI number or Medicaid number is not known, the provider can perform a secondary search by entering the client’s social security number, date of birth and either their first name, last name, or both.

**Action Required:**

No action required by boards or providers. Additional communications will be sent as the above enhancements have been completed, tested and moved to production.

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