

3508. WORKSHEET S-2 - SKILLED NURSING FACILITY AND SKILLED NURSING FACILITY HEALTH CARE COMPLEX IDENTIFICATION DATA

The information required on this worksheet is needed to properly identify the provider.

Lines 1 and 2.--Enter the address of the skilled nursing facility.

Line 3.--Indicate the county in column 1. Sub-script column 2. Enter in column 2 the MSA Code of this SNF. Enter in column 2.01, the Core Based Statistical Area (CBSA) code. Enter in column 3, a "U" or "R" designating urban or rural.

Line 3.1.--Enter the Facility Specific Rate, supplied by your intermediary. Enter the transition period of 1 = 25/75, (25 percent Federal Case Mix - 75 percent Facility Specific Rate), 2 = 50/50, 3 = 75/25, (75 percent Federal Case Mix - 25 percent Facility Specific Rate), or 100 for 100 percent Federal Case Mix Rate.

Line 3.2.-- Enter in column 1 the wage adjustment factor in effect before October 1, and in column 2 the adjustment in effect on or after October 1.

This information is needed to properly determine which RUG rates are applicable.

Lines 4 through 12.--On the appropriate lines and columns indicated, enter the names, provider identification numbers, and certification dates of the skilled nursing facility (SNF) and its various components, if any. *(Subscript column 2 for each line. Enter in column 2 the Provider Number, and enter in column 2.01 the NPI (National Provider Identifier) number for each provider)* For each health care program, indicate the payment system applicable to the SNF and its various components by entering "p" (prospective payment system), "o" (indicating cost reimbursement), or "n" (for not applicable) respectively.

Line 4.--This is an institution which meets the requirements of §1819 of the Social Security Act. Skilled Nursing Facility cost reporting periods beginning on and after 07/01/98 and reimbursed under title XVIII will be using the Prospective Payment System.

Line 6.--This is a portion of a SNF which has been issued a separate identification number and which meets the requirements of §1919 of the Act.

Line 6.1.--This is a portion of a SNF which has been issued a separate identification number and which meets the requirements of §1905(d) of the Act.

Line 7.--This is a distinct part and separately certified component of a SNF which meets the requirements of §1886(d)(1)(B) of the Act.

Line 8.--This is a distinct part HHA that has been issued an identification number and which meets the requirements of §§1861(o) and 1891 of the Act. If you have more than one SNF based HHA, subscript this line and report the required information for each HHA.

Line 9.--Do not enter any data on line 9.

Line 10.--This is a SNF-based outpatient rehabilitation facility that has been issued a separate identification number. Indicate the type of facility through subscripted line numbers, as follows. Use line 10.00 for a CORF, line 10.10 for a CMHC, line 10.20 for an OPT, line 10.30 for an OOT, and line 10.40 for an OSP.

Line 11.--This is a distinct part and separately certified component of an SNF which meets the requirements of §1861 (aa) of the Act.

Line 12.--This is a distinct part and separately certified component of an SNF which meets the requirements of §1861 (dd) of the Act.

Line 13.--Enter the inclusive dates covered by this cost report. In accordance with 42 CFR 413.24(f), you are required to submit periodic reports of operations which generally cover a consecutive 12-month period of operations. (See §§102.1 - 102.3 for situations when you may file a short period cost report.)

Cost reports are due on or before the last day of the fifth month following the close of the period covered by the report. The ONLY provision for an extension of the cost report due date is identified in 42 CFR 413.24(f)(2)(ii).

When you voluntarily or involuntarily cease to participate in the health insurance program or experience a change of ownership, a cost report is due no later than 150 days following the effective date or termination of your agreement or change of ownership.

Line 14.--Enter a number from the list below which indicates the type of ownership or auspices under which the SNF is conducted.

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| 1 = Voluntary Nonprofit, Church | 8 = Governmental, City-County |
| 2 = Voluntary Nonprofit, Other * | 9 = Governmental, County |
| 3 = Proprietary, Individual | 10 = Governmental, State |
| 4 = Proprietary, Corporation | 11 = Governmental, Hospital District |
| 5 = Proprietary, Partnership | 12 = Governmental, City |
| 6 = Proprietary, Other * | 13 = Governmental, Other * |
| 7 = Governmental, Federal | |

* Where an "other" item is selected, please specify on line 19.

Lines 15 through 18.--These lines provide for furnishing certain information concerning the provider. All applicable items must be completed.

Subscript line 15 in the following:

Lines 15.01 through 15.20--A notice published in the August 4, 2003, **Federal Register**, Vol. 68, No. 149 provided for an increase in RUG payments to Skilled Nursing Facilities (SNF) for payments on or after October 1, 2003, however, this data is required for cost reporting periods beginning on or after October 1, 2003. Congress expected this increase to be used for direct patient care and related expenses. Subscript line 15 into the following lines: 15.01 - Staffing, 15.02 - Recruitment, 15.03 - Retention of Employees, 15.04 - Training, and 15.05-15.20 - Other. Enter in column 1 the percentage, of total expenses for each category to total SNF revenue from Worksheet G-2, Part I, line 1, column 3. For each line, indicate in column 2 whether the increased RUG payments received for cost reporting periods beginning on or after 10/01/2003 reflects increases associated with direct patient care and related expenses by responding "Y" for yes. Indicate "N" for no if there was no increase in spending in any of these areas. If the increased spending is in an area not previously identified in areas one through four, identify on the "Other (Specify)" line(s), the cost center(s) description and the corresponding information as indicated above.

Line 21.--Enter ONLY A, D, or E for the all-inclusive method, or leave it BLANK. Do not enter an "N". (See CMS Pub 15-I, §2208.2.)

Lines 23 through 30.--These lines provide for furnishing certain information concerning depreciation. All applicable items must be completed. (See CMS Pub. 15-I, chapter 1, regarding depreciation.)

Lines 23, 24, and 25.--Indicate, on the appropriate lines, the amount of depreciation claimed under each method of depreciation used by the SNF during the cost reporting period.

Line 26.--The total depreciation shown on this line may not equal the amount shown on lines 1 and/or 2 on the Trial Balance of Expenses Worksheet, but represents the amount of depreciation included in costs on Worksheet A, column 7.

Lines 29 through 32.--Indicate a "Yes" or "No" answer to each question on these lines.

Lines 33 through 44.--Indicate a "Yes" or "No" answer, where applicable, to each component and type of service that qualifies for the exception.

If you are a provider (public or non public) that qualifies for an exemption from the application of the lower of cost or charges (as explained in 42 CFR 413.13(f)), indicate the component and the appropriate services that qualify for this exemption. Subscript lines 35 through 40 as required for additional component(s).

Line 43.--Indicate whether the provider is licensed in a State that certifies the provider as an SNF as described on line 4 above, regardless of the level of care given for Titles V and XIX patients.

Line 44.--This line is not used for cost reporting periods beginning on and after July 1, 1998. Indicate whether the provider participated in the NHCMQ demonstration during the cost reporting period. All NHCMQ demonstration participants must file Form CMS 2540-96, including facilities reporting less than 1,500 program days which would otherwise be allowed to utilize the Form CMS 2540S-97. Only facilities in Kansas, Maine, Mississippi, New York, South Dakota, and Texas are eligible to participate in the NHCMQ demonstration. This demonstration will not be applicable for cost reporting periods beginning on and after July 1, 1998. At that time all SNFs will be reimbursed under PPS.

Section 222 (a)(1) of P.L. 92-603 (42 U.S.C. Section 1395b-1, note) authorizes the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services to engage in experiments and demonstrations regarding alternative methods of making payment on a prospective basis to SNFs and other providers. Section 222 (a)(3) authorizes the Secretary to grant waivers of certain Title XVIII requirements insofar as such requirements relate to methods of payment for services provided. Additional forms have been added to the SNF cost report to accommodate the NHCMQ demonstration project. Worksheet D-1 must be completed by a provider participating in the demonstration.

A provider participating in the NHCMQ demonstration, which otherwise is reimbursed by other than the Prospective Payment System and which indicates either an "O" or "N" on line 4, must complete Worksheet E, Part V in place of Worksheet E, Part I or Worksheet E, Part II.

Line 45.--List the total amount of malpractice premiums paid, (column 1) the total amount of paid losses, (column 2), and the total amount of self insurance, (column 3) allocated in this fiscal year.

Line 46.--Indicate if malpractice premiums and paid losses are reported in other than the Administrative and General cost center. If yes, provide a supporting schedule and list the amounts applicable to each cost center.

Line 47.--Are you claiming ambulance costs? Enter in column 1, "Y" for yes or "N" for no. If this is your first year of providing and reporting ambulance services, you are not subject to the payment limit. Enter in column 2, Y if this is your first year of providing ambulance service, or N if it is not.

NOTE: Do not complete lines 48 and 48.01 for cost reporting periods beginning on and after 01/01/2006.

Line 48.— If line 47 column 1 is Y, and column 2 is N, enter on line 48 column 1 the payment limit provided from your fiscal intermediary, and for services on or after 04/01/2002, enter in column 2, the Fee Amount from the PS&R. Use Worksheet S-2, line 48 (and subscripts) columns 1 and 2 for the Limit and Fee amount respectively. If your fiscal year is OTHER than a year beginning on October 1st, enter in Line 48, column 1, the payment limit for the period prior to October 1, and enter in column 2 the Fee Amount. Subscript line 48 for the applicable time periods, and enter in column 1 the Limit; enter in column 2 the Fee Amount. The per-trip rate is updated October 1st of each year. Subscript this line as needed.

Report your ambulance trip limits chronologically, in accordance with your fiscal year. Applicable chronological dates are 01/01/2001, 07/01/2001, 01/01/2002, 04/01/2002 (effective date of the blend), 01/01/2003, 01/01/2004, 01/01/2005, and 01/01/2006.

Line 48.01- 48.03.— Use lines 48.01-48.03 if your fiscal year is OTHER than a year beginning on October 1st Ambulance services will be based on a blend until 100 percent fee schedule is transitioned on 01/01/2006. The blend is effective for services on 04/01/2002 through 12/31/2005

Line 49.--Did you operate an ICF/MR facility for the purposes of title XIX? Enter “Y” for yes and “N” for no.

Line 50.-- Did this facility report less than 1500 Medicare days in its previous year’s cost report? Enter “Y” for yes or “N” for no. If a new provider is filing a first year cost report, and qualifies to file a “simplified” SNF cost report, do not enter “Y” or “N”.

Line 51.--If line 50 is yes, did you file your previous year’s cost report using the “simplified” step-down method of cost finding? (See §3500.) Enter “Y” for yes or “N” for no. If a new provider is filing a first year cost report, and qualifies to file a “simplified” SNF cost report, do not enter “Y” or “N”.

Line 52.--Is this cost report being filed under 42 CFR 413.321, (the “simplified” cost report)? Enter “Y” for yes, or “N” for no.

Line 53.—Are there any related organizations or home office costs as defined in CMS Pub 15-1, chapter 10 in this cost report? Enter “Y” for yes, or “N” for no in column 1. If yes, and there are related organization or home office costs, enter the related organization or home office provider number in column 2. Also, if this facility is part of a chain organization, enter the name and address of the home office on lines 54, 55 and 56.

Line 54, columns 1, 2, and 3.— Enter the name of the home office in column 1, and enter the name of the fiscal intermediary or contractor of the home office in column 2. Enter the fiscal intermediary or contractor number in column 3.

Line 55, columns 1, and 2.—Enter the street address in column 1, or the post office box number in column 2.

Line 56, columns 1, 2 and 3.—Enter the city, State and zip code in columns 1, 2, and 3.