



MAO-002 Encounter Data Processing Status Reports

- The EDPS is currently processing MAO-002 reports for data received on May 17, 2013. If an MAO or other entity has not received MAO-002 reports for files submitted prior this date, please contact CSSC Operations for assistance, after verifying receipt of EDFES Acknowledgement reports.

NDM/Connect:Direct Generated Data Groups (GDGs)

- If a submitter has not established a sufficient number of GDGs to accommodate the number of files returned from the EDFES, not all of the EDFES Acknowledgement reports will be stored in the submitter's system.
- To prevent this situation, NDM/Connect:Direct submitters should establish a limit of 255 GDGs in their systems.

Report Restoration

- 999 and 277CA Acknowledgement Reports will not be restored if the files are older than 20 days.
- MAO Reports will not be restored if the files are older than 60 days.
- Requests for more than 200 files will not be accepted.

Submission Frequency

- CMS will use the February 2013 Health Plan Management System (HPMS) contract enrollment data to determine submission frequency requirements for each MAO or other entity.
- It is recommended that MAOs and other entities adhere to the submission frequency based on the February 2013 HPMS enrollment data.

Number of Medicare Enrollees	Minimum Submission Frequency
Greater than 100,000	Weekly
50,000 – 100,000	Bi-weekly
Less than 50,000	Monthly

Reminders

June 27, 2013 EDS User Group

June 27, 2013 EDS Companion Guides

Questions?

Questions related to EDS reports and edits should be submitted directly to CSSC Operations at csscoperations@palmettogba.com or (877) 534-2772. Questions related to operational guidance for EDS submission should be submitted to eds@ardx.net.