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GENERAL

INTRODUCTION

INTENDED USE

This is a companion guide to the HIPAA American National Standards Institute (ANSI) Accredited Standards Committee (ASC) X12N Technical Report Type 3 (TR3) implementation Guide, 005010X222: Health Care Claim: Professional (837). This companion guide supplements, but does not contradict any requirements in the ASC X12 TR3 document. The ANSI ASC X12 Implementation Guides may be accessed at http://www.wpc-edi.com/.

PURPOSE

This guide is intended to assist agencies in implementing transaction standards which meet the Mississippi Department of Mental Health (DMH) processing methodology. It provides specific requirements for submitting professional claims (837P) to Mississippi DMH, and it contains information about enrollment, testing, and support.

GETTING STARTED

ENROLLMENT

Provider agencies must notify Mississippi DMH that they wish to submit 837P HIPAA transactions for fee for service (FFS) claims. Agencies must have login credentials for MS WITS (production and testing environments).

SUPPORT

Please have the following information available when contacting Mississippi DMH:

- Provider agency name
- Point of contact, including name, title, telephone number, and email address
- 837P file name
- Upload date
- Error message (if applicable)



EDITRANSACTIONS

837P PROFESSIONAL CLAIMS

Instruction Table

Loop	Segment ID	Segment Name	Accepted value(s)	Comments
Interchar	nge Control He	ader		
	ISA01	Authorization Information Qualifier	00	
	ISA02	Authorization Information		10 spaces
	ISA03	Security Information Qualifier	00	-
	ISA04	Security Information		10 spaces
	ISA05	Interchange ID Qualifier	ZZ	Mutually Defined
	ISA06	Interchange Sender ID		WITS Contract EDI Interchange Sender ID
	ISA07	Interchange ID Qualifier	ZZ	Mutually Defined
	ISA08	Interchange Receiver ID	640546351	DMH federal tax ID Backfill with spaces for a total of 15 characters
	ISA09	Interchange Date		YYMMDD
	ISA10	Interchange Time		ННММ
	ISA11	Repetition Separator	٨	Carat
	ISA12	Interchange Control Version Number	00501	
	ISA13	Interchange Control Number		ISA13 must match IEA02
	ISA14	Acknowledgment Requested	0 1	0 = No Acknowledgment Requested 1 = Interchange Acknowledgment Requested
	ISA15	Interchange Usage Indicator	P T	P = Production Data T = Test Data
	ISA16	Component Element Separator	:	
Function	al Group Head	er		
	GS01	Functional Identifier Code	HC	
	GS02	Application Sender's Code		WITS Contract EDI Application Sender's Cod GS02 must match ISA06
	GS03	Application Receiver's Code	640546351	DMH federal tax ID GS03 must match ISA08.
	GS04	Date		CCYYMMDD
	GS05	Time		HHMMSS
	GS06	Group Control Number		Assigned number originated and maintained by the sender. GS06 must match GE02
	GS07	Responsible Agency Code	X	Accredited Standards Committee X12
	GS08	Version Identifier Code	005010X222A1	Standards Approved for Publication by ASC X12 Procedures Review Board through October 2003
Transacti	on Set Header			·
	ST01	Transaction Set Identifier	837	Health Care Claim
	ST02	Transaction Set Control Number		ST02 must match SE02
	ST03	Implementation Convention Reference (Implementation Guide Version Name)	005010X222A1	



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2010AA NM109	Organization Name (Billing Provider Name)		Provider agency name
	Identification Code Qualifier	XX	Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services National Provider Identifier
2010AA N301	Identification Code (Billing Provider Identifier)		Provider agency NPI
	Address Information (Billing Provider Address Line)		
2010AA N401	City Name (Billing Provider City Name)		
2010AA N402	State or Province Code (Billing Provider State Code)		
2010AA N403	Postal Code (Billing Provider ZIP Code)		9-digit ZIP Code
2010AA REF01	Reference Identification Qualifier	EI	Employer's Identification Number
2010AA REF02	Reference Identification		Provider Federal Tax Identification Number/EIN
Loop 2000B Subscriber	(Billing Provider Tax Identification Number)		



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Loop	Segment	Segment Name	Accepted	Comments
2222	ID		value(s)	
2000B	HL01	Hierarchical ID Number		
2000B	HL02	Hierarchical Parent ID Number	22	
2000B	HL03	Hierarchical Level Code	22	Subscriber
2000B	HL04	Hierarchical Child Code	0	No Subordinate HL Segment in this Hierarchical Structure
2000B	SBR01	Payer Responsibility Sequence Number Code	Р	Primary
2000B	SBR02	Individual Relationship Code	18	Self The subscriber is always the patient.
2000B	SBR09	Claim Filing Indicator Code	11	Other Non-Federal Programs
Loop 2010	BA Subscribe			
2010BA	NM101	Entity Identifier Code	IL	Insured or Subscriber
2010BA	NM102	Entity Type Qualifier	1	Person
2010BA	NM103	Name Last	_	Client Last Name
		(Subscriber Last Name)		
2010BA	NM104	Name First (Subscriber First Name)		Client First Name
2010BA	NM105	Name Middle (Subscriber Middle Name)		Client Middle Name or Initial
2010BA	NM108	Identification Code Qualifier	MI	Member Identification Number
2010BA	NM109	Identification Code	Provider Client	This is the local client ID used by the
		(Subscriber Primary Identifier)	ID	provider.
2010BA	N301	Address Information (Subscriber Address Line)		Client Address Line 1
2010BA	N401	City Name (Subscriber City Name)		Client City Name
2010BA	N402	State or Province Code (Subscriber State Code)		Client State Code
2010BA	N403	Postal Code (Subscriber ZIP Code)		Client ZIP Code
2010BA	DMG01	Date Time Period Format Qualifier	D8	Date Expressed in Format CCYYMMDD
2010BA	DMG02	Date Time Period (Subscriber Birth Date)		Client Birth Date CCYYMMDD
2010BA	DMG03	Gender Code	F	Client Gender Code
20105/(Dividos	(Subscriber Gender Code)	M	F = Female
		(Subscriber defluer code)	U	M = Male
				U = Unknown
Loop 2010	BB Payer Nar	me		
2010BB	NM101	Entity Identifier Code	PR	Payer
2010BB	NM102	Entity Type Qualifier	2	Non-Person Entity
2010BB	NM103	Organization Name (Payer Name)	DMH	,
2010BB	NM108	Identification Code Qualifier	PI	PI = Payor Identification
2010BB	NM109	Identification Code	640546351	DMH federal tax ID
1	Claim ! f	(Payer Identifier)		
-	Claim Inform			
2300	CLM01	Claim Submitter's Identifier (Patient Control Number)		Must be unique to each claim/encounter. This number is returned in the 835 to identify the claim.



Loop	Segment ID	Segment Name	Accepted value(s)	Comments
2200	CLM02	Manatany Amount	value(s)	
2300		Monetary Amount (Total Claim Charge Amount)		
2300	CLM05-1	Facility Code Value (Place of Service Code)		
2300	CLM05-2	Facility Code Qualifier	В	Place of Service Codes for Professional Services
2300	CLM05-3	Claim Frequency Type Code (Claim Frequency Code)	1 7	1 = Original claim 7 = Replacement claim
			8	8 = Void/cancel
2300	CLM06	Yes/No Condition or Response Code (Provider or Supplier Signature Indicator)	Y	Y = Yes
2300	CLM07	Provider Accept Assignment Code (Assignment or Plan Participation Code)	А	Assigned
2300	CLM08	Yes/No Condition or Response Code (Benefits Assignment Certification Indicator)	Y	Yes
2300	CLM09	Release of Information Code	Υ	Yes
2300	CN101	Contract Type Code	09	09 = Other
2300	REF01	Reference Identification Qualifier	EA	Medical Record Identification Number Required when the Medical Record Number is reported in REF02.
2300	REF02	Reference Identification (Medical Record Number)		Medical Record Number This segment is optional.
2300	HI01-1	Code List Qualifier Code (Diagnosis Type Code)	ABK	ABK = ICD-10-CM Note: Additional diagnoses may be reported in HI02 through HI12 using ABF
2300	HI01-2	Industry Code (Diagnosis Code)		
Loop 231	0B Rendering	Provider Name	1	
2310B	NM101	Entity Identifier Code	82	Rendering Provider
2310B	NM102	Entity Type Qualifier	1	Person
2310B	NM103	Name Last or Organization Name		Rendering Provider Last Name
2310B	NM104	Name First		Rendering Provider First Name
2310B	NM108	Identification Code Qualifier	XX	XX = Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services National Provider Identifier
2310B	NM109	Identification Code (Rendering Provider Identifier)		Rendering Provider NPI If the rendering provider does not have an NPI, then the facility/agency NPI may be used.
Loop 231	OC Service Fac	ility Location Name		
2310C	NM101	Entity Identifier Code	77	Service Location
2310C	NM102	Entity Type Qualifier	2	Non-Person Entity
2310C	NM103	Organization Name (Facility Name)		Facility Name
2310C	NM108	Identification Code Qualifier	XX	XX = Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services National Provider Identifier Required when the NPI is reported in 2310C NM109.
2310C	NM109	Identification Code		Facility NPI



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Loop	Segment	Segment Name	Accepted	Comments
	ID		value(s)	
		(Facility Primary Identifier)		
2310C	N301	Address Information		Facility Address Line 1
		(Facility Address Line)		
2310C	N401	City Name		Facility City Name
		(Facility City Name)		
2310C	N402	State or Province Code		Facility State Code
22100	N/402	(Facility State Code)		Facility ZID Code
2310C	N403	Postal Code (Facility ZIP Code)		Facility ZIP Code
Loon 2400	O Service Line			
2400	LX01	Assigned Number		
2400	SV101-1	Product/Service ID Qualifier (Product or	НС	Health Care Financing Administration
2400	24101-1	Service ID Qualifier)	пс	Common Procedural Coding System (HCPCS)
		Service is quantery		Codes.
				Because the AMA's CPT codes are also level
				1 HCPCS codes, they are reported under HC.
2400	SV101-2	Product/Service ID		Refer to the list of accepted IBHRS
		(Procedure Code)		procedure codes
2400	SV101-3	Procedure Modifier 1		Refer to the list of accepted IBHRS modifier
				codes
2400	SV101-4	Procedure Modifier 2		Refer to the list of accepted IBHRS modifier
2400	0.4104 5	2 1 24 110 2		codes
2400	SV101-5	Procedure Modifier 3		Refer to the list of accepted IBHRS modifier
2400	SV101-6	Procedure Modifier 4		codes Refer to the list of accepted IBHRS modifier
2400	34101-0	Frocedure Modifier 4		codes
2400	SV102	Monetary Amount		codes
00	01101	(Line Item Charge Amount)		
2400	SV103	Unit or Basis for Measurement Code	UN	Unit
2400	SV104	Quantity		
		(Service Unit Count)		
2400	SV107-1	Diagnosis Code Pointer 1		Primary diagnosis for this service line.
2400	SV107-2	Diagnosis Code Pointer 2		Additional diagnosis for this service line.
2400	SV107-3	Diagnosis Code Pointer 3		Additional diagnosis for this service line.
2400	SV107-4	Diagnosis Code Pointer 4		Additional diagnosis for this service line.
2400	DTP01	Date/Time Qualifier	472	Service
2400	DTP02	Date Time Period Format Qualifier	D8	D8 = Date Expressed in Format
			RD8	CCYYMMDD
				RD8 = Range of Dates Expressed in Format
2422	D.T.D.O.O.			CCYYMMDDCCYYMMDD
2400	DTP03	Date Time Period		Service date or date range
		(Service Date)		
2400	CN101	Contract Type Code	09	09 = Other
2400	CN101	Reference Identification (Contract Code)		Grant #
2400	REF01	Line Item Control Number	6R	6R = Provider Control Number
2400	REF02	Line Item Control Number	OI (Provider's Line Item Control Number
2400	NTE01	Note Reference Code	ADD	Additional information
2.100	ITTEOT	Total Hardranea Code	ADD	



Loop	Segment ID	Segment Name	Accepted value(s)	Comments	
2400	NTE02	Description (Line Note Text)		Service Event Source Record Identifier This value uniquely identifies the clinical service event/encounter represented by the 837P claim line and should match one Service Event Source Record Identifier in the data warehouse.	
Transactio	Transaction Set Trailer				
	SE01	Number of Included Segments		Transaction Segment Count Must match the number of segments within the transaction set, including the ST and SE segments	
	SE02	Transaction Set Control Number		SE02 must match ST02	
Functional	Group Traile	r			
	GE01	Number of Transaction Sets Included	1	Only 1 transaction set is allowed.	
	GE02	Group Control Number		GE02 must match GS06	
Interchang	ge Control Tra	iler			
	IEA01	Number of Included Functional Groups	1	Only 1 functional group is allowed.	
	IEA02	Interchange Control Number		IEA02 must match ISA13	

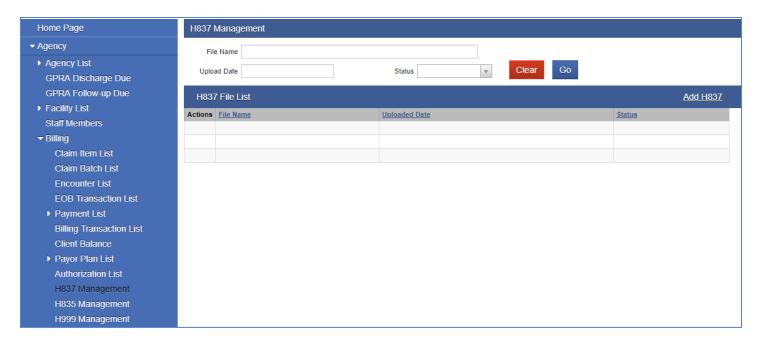
File Naming Convention

- File names may be any combination of letters, numbers and the underscore (_). Additional special characters are not allowed. File name must be unique.
- File name must be Contract#_Grant#_Agency Name_Submitted Date_Claims Date.
- Example: Region10_SA207410_Region10_20200807_202007.txt
- Files must use a .DAT or .TXT extension.

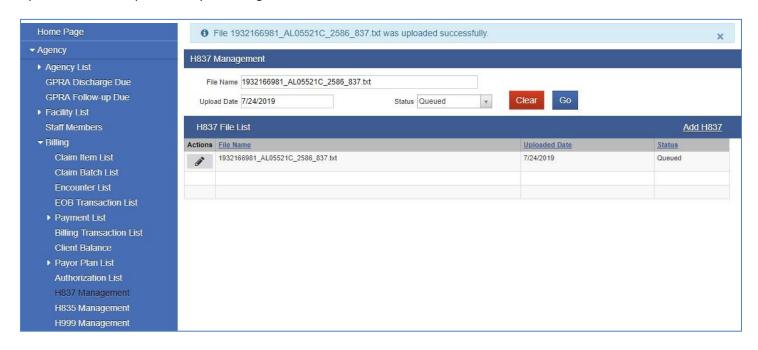


Upload Instructions

837P transactions are uploaded to MS WITS. Navigate to the H837P Management screen under Agency/Billing and select "Add H837" from the list header.



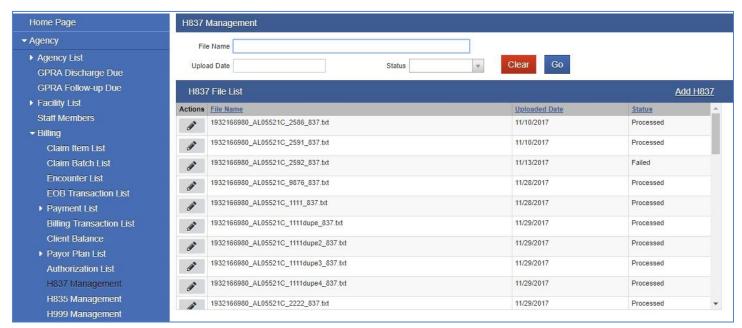
Uploaded files are queued for processing:





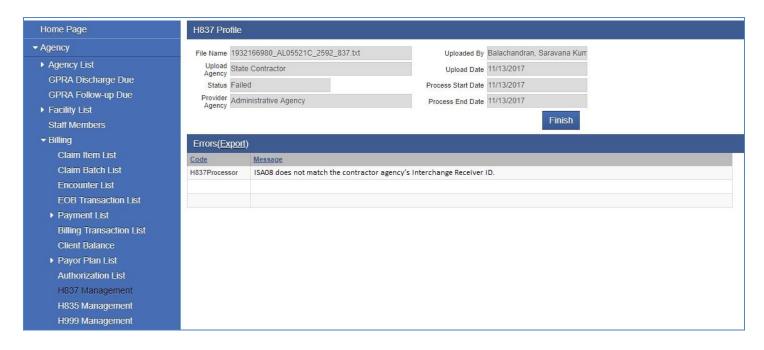
Once processed, the status changes to "Processed" or "Failed." Processed 837P transactions must be adjudicated by Mississippi DMH.

Note that the H837 File List may be filtered based on file name, upload date, and status.



Failed Submissions

If the 837P fails during processing, the error message(s) are displayed on the submission profile. A full list of error messages and resolutions is provided in the <u>appendix</u>. Failed submissions must be corrected and resubmitted. Provider agencies should notify Mississippi DMH if they continue to receive an error after making necessary corrections.

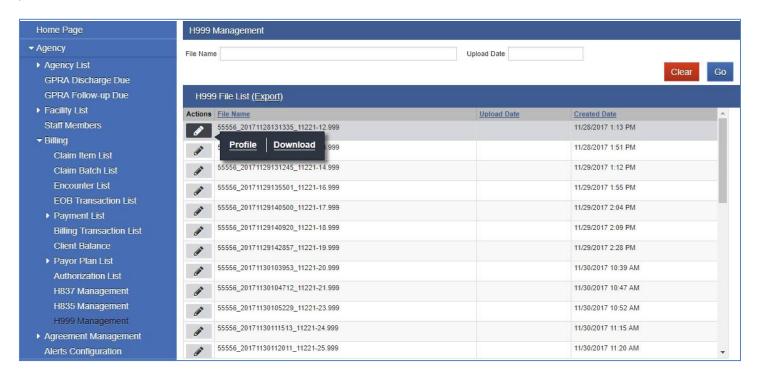




999 ACKNOWLEDGMENT FOR HEALTH CARE INSURANCE

The 999 is returned for all 837P transactions that were successfully processed. Contact DMH if a 999 is not available for download within the expected timeframe.

Navigate to the H999 Management screen under Agency/Billing. The 999 may be downloaded from the list or from the profile.

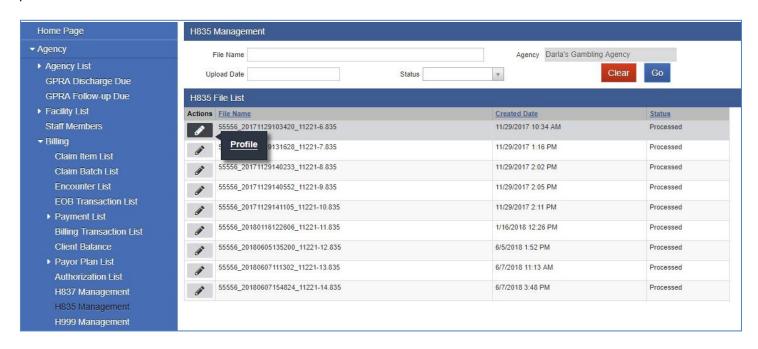




835 HEALTH CARE CLAIM PAYMENT/ADVICE

The 835 is available for download once claims are adjudicated by Mississippi DMH. Contact DMH if an 835 is not available for download within the expected timeframe.

Navigate to the H835 Management screen under Agency/Billing. The 835 may be downloaded from the list or from the profile.





TESTING AND CERTIFICATION

PREREQUISITES

Provider agencies must have the following items in place prior to submitting 837P transactions:

- An established contractual relationship with Mississippi DMH to provide treatment services.
- A Business Associate Agreement (BAA) with Mississippi DMH.
- Login credentials to the MS WITS testing environment.
- The ability to create 837P transactions in accordance with this document.
- Notification to Mississippi DMH that they will submit 837P transactions in lieu of entering encounters in MS WITS. The notification must include:
 - o Point of contact (name, title, telephone number, and email address).
 - Agreement to complete a testing cycle consisting of three test 837P transactions over a four-week period.
 - Expected submission date of the first test 837P transaction.

TEST CYCLES

The following procedure is followed for all cycles:

- The provider uploads an 837P to the testing environment. If there are submission errors, the 837P should be corrected and resubmitted.
- The provider agency downloads the 999 transaction.
- Mississippi DMH adjudicates claim(s).
- The provider agency downloads the 835 transaction.

Cycle 1

The goal of this cycle is to successfully submit a simple 837P that meets syntax and formatting requirements. The 837P should contain a single claim for a single client.

In this cycle, provider agencies should become familiar with uploading the 837P, viewing and correcting submission errors, and downloading the 999 and 835.

Cycle 2

The goal of this cycle is to successfully submit a more complex 837P. The 837P should include at least 5 clients, 25 claims, and 2 rendering providers.

Cycle 3

The goal of this cycle is to successfully submit an 837P with adjustments and duplicate claims. The 837P should include:

- An adjustment to a claim that was adjudicated in a previous test cycle
- A duplicate claim that was adjudicated in a previous test cycle.

CERTIFICATION

Mississippi DMH will certify provider agencies which successfully complete three testing cycles as described above. Once the provider agency is certified, Mississippi DMH will provide login credentials to the MS WITS production environment.



APPENDICES

APPENDIX A: VERSION CONTROL

Date	Version	Brief Description of Change
7/25/2019	1.0	Draft
11/8/2019	1.1	Updated 837P Instruction Table, 2010BA NM109
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5/26/2020	1.4	Added the following to the instruction table: • 2000B SBR09 • 2010AA REF01 • 2010AA REF02 • 2300 CLM06 • 2400 REF01 • 2400 REF02 Added an additional import error to the appendix: • Illegal/unexpected value encountered ('N') in segment 'CLM' at element position '6'. Legal value(s): , 'Y'.
12/10/2020	1.5	 Updated 837P Instruction Table to include all segments. Removed Loop 2320 requirement. Moved Version Control to Appendix A Moved Terms and Definitions to Appendix B Added Appendix C: Example 837P

APPENDIX B: TERMS AND DEFINITIONS

Terms	Description
AMA	American Medical Association
ANSI	American National Standards Institute
ASC	Accredited Standards Committee
BAA	Business Associate Agreement
CPT	Current Procedural Terminology
DMH	Department of Mental Health
EIN	Employer's Identification Number
ETIN	Electronic Transmitter Identification Number
FFS	Fee For Service
HCPCS	Health Care Financing Administration Common Procedural Coding System
HIPAA	Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996
MRN	Medical Record Number
PHI	Protected Health Information
TR3	Technical Report Type 3



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APPENDIX C: EXAMPLE 837P

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APPENDIX D: 837P IMPORT ERROR MESSAGES

WITS Error Message	Explanation	Action
A connection attempt failed because the connected party did not properly respond after a period of time, or established connection failed because connected host has failed to respond.	The 837P transaction could not be uploaded. This is likely due to a network issue.	The provider agency should verify their network connection and retry.
A Contract Auth Period for Contract ID = # effective on MM/DD/YYYY could not be found.	An agreement authorization period does not exist in WITS for MM/DD/YYYY. Note: The error message will contain the Contract ID instead of "#" and the reported date instead of "MM/DD/YYYY".	DMH should verify a contract authorization period exists for the specified date.
ERROR: The Rendering Provider Loop and/or Service Facility Location Loop are missing at both the claim level and service level for claim #.	The Rendering Provider was not reported in Loops 2310B or 2420A OR The Service Facility was not reported in Loops 2310C or 2420C.	The provider agency should include the rendering provider and service facility loops on the 837 and resubmit.
Failed to find segment 'ABC' before end of file.	A required segment "ABC" was not found in the 837P transaction. Note: The error message will contain the expected segment instead of "ABC".	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction to include the specified segment and resubmit.
Illegal value encountered ('#') in segment 'CLM' at element position '5', composite position '3'. Legal value(s): , '1', '7', '8'.	A Claim Frequency Code "#" was reported in Loop 2300 CLM05-3. Accepted values are 1, 7, and 8. Note: The error message will contain the reported value instead of "#".	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.
Illegal/unexpected value encountered ('N') in segment 'CLM' at element position '6'. Legal value(s): , 'Y'.	A Provider Signature Indicator "N" was reported in Loop 2300 CLM06. The accepted value is Y.	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.
Illegal value in segment 'GS' at element position '3'. Only legal value is '§' but encountered '#'.	An Application Receiver's Code "#" was reported in GS03. Only code "§" is accepted. Note: The error message will contain the reported value instead of "#" and the accepted value instead of "§".	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.
Illegal/unexpected value encountered ('#') in segment 'ISA' at element position '7'. Legal value(s): , 'ZZ'. Illegal/unexpected value	An Interchange ID Qualifier "#" was reported in ISA07. Only "ZZ" is accepted. Note: The error message will contain the reported value instead of "#". An Entity Identifier Code "#" was	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit. The provider agency should update
encountered ('#') in segment 'NM1'	reported in Loop 2310B NM101 or Loop	the 837P transaction and resubmit.



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at element position '1'. Legal value(s): , '82'.	2420A NM101. Only "82" is accepted.	
Illegal/unexpected value encountered (' ') in segment 'ISA' at element position '16'. Legal value(s): , ':'.	A Component Element Separator " " was reported in ISA16. Only ":" is accepted. Note: The error message will contain the delimiter reported in ISA16.	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.
Illegal/unexpected value encountered ('1') in segment 'NM1' at element position '2'. Legal value(s): , '2'.	An Entity Type Qualifier "#" was reported in one of the following segments: Loop 2010AA NM102, Loop 2310C NM102, or Loop 2420C NM102. Only "2" is accepted. Note: The error message will contain the reported value instead of "#".	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.
Illegal/unexpected value encountered ('82') in segment 'NM1' at element position '1'. Legal value(s): , '77'.	An Entity Identifier Code "#" was reported in Loop 2310C NM101 or Loop 2420C NM101. Only "77" is accepted.	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.
Illegal/unexpected value encountered ('S') in segment 'SBR' at element position '1'. Legal value(s): , 'P'.	A Payer Responsibility Sequence Number Code "X" was reported in Loop 2000B SBR01. Only "P" is accepted. Note: The error message will contain the reported value instead of "X".	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.
Illegal/unexpected value encountered ("X") in segment 'NM1' at element position '8'. Legal value(s): , 'XX'.	An Identification Code Qualifier "A" was reported in Loop 2010AA NM108, Loop 2310B NM108, Loop 2310C NM108, Loop 2420A NM108, or Loop 2420C NM108. Only "XX" is accepted. Note: The error message will contain the reported value instead of "X".	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.
Illegal/unexpected value encountered ('X') in segment 'SBR' at element position '9'. Legal value(s): , '11'.	A Claim Filing Indicator Code "X" was reported in Loop 2320 SBR09. Only "11" is accepted. Note: The error message will contain the reported value instead of "X".	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.
Index was outside the bounds of the array.	This error message typically occurs when an incorrect element delimiter is used.	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit. If the error persists, the State Contractor agency should notify FEi Production Support.
ISA08 does not match the contractor agency's Interchange Receiver ID.	This error message occurs when there is no match between ISA08 and the Interchange Receiver Number on the	The provider should verify the 837 Interchange Receiver Number matches the number on the Contract EDI screen on the



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	contractor agency profile.	Agency/Contract Management menu.
Invalid zipcode ##### in segment N4 at element position 3.	The indicated zip code has the wrong number of digits. Typically, this happens when 9 digits are expected and only 5 are reported. Check all occurrences of N403.	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.
Neither the Service Start Date nor Service End Date can be greater than the transaction set created date.	The reported service date is after the 837P date.	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.
Object reference not set to an instance of an object.	This message is very rare and could indicate a bug.	DMH agency should contact WITS Production Support. This may require developer investigation.
The 837 HIPAA sender and/or receiver data does not find any valid record in uploaded contractor agency.	The sender and/or receiver data cannot be matched to a WITS contract. Verify the following segments match what is shown on the Agreement EDI screen: ISA06, Interchange Sender ID ISA08, Interchange Receiver ID GS02, Application Sender's Code GS03, Application Receiver's Code Loop 1000A NM109, Submitter ETIN Loop 1000B NM109, Receiver ETIN	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.
The DateTime represented by the string is not supported in calendar System.Globalization.GregorianCal endar.	An invalid date was reported. This should rarely happen, but if it does, verify that valid dates are submitted in all date fields.	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.
The given key was not present in the dictionary.	This message indicates a code table value is missing or expired.	DMH should update code tables as necessary. Once updates are made, the provider agency should resubmit the 837P transaction.
The 'Other Payor' ID code (#) identified in a service line adjudication info does not correspond to any specified 'Other Payor'.	The Other Payer Identification Code reported in Loop 2430 SVD01 does not match the Identification Code in Loop 2330B NM109. Note: The error message will contain the reported value instead of "#".	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.
The Patient Detail loop is Not Supported. Claim Information must fall under the Subscriber.	Loop 2010CA should not be reported.	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.
The Service Start Date cannot be greater than the transaction set created date.	This message should be self-explanatory.	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.
The Total Claim Charge Amount for claim #1, indicated at segment 'CLM' position '2' of \$### does not	The sum of service line charges does not match the claim line monetary amount.	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.



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match the total of all service line charges, \$###.		
This 837 file is not valid. Multiple Provider loops are present but a valid file may contain only one.	Only one Billing Provider Hierarchical Level, Loop 2000A is accepted.	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.
Timeout expired. The timeout period elapsed prior to completion of the operation or the server is not responding.	The 837P transaction could not be uploaded. This is likely due to a network issue.	The provider agency should verify their network connection and retry.
Unexpected segment 'ABC'. Was expecting 'XYZ'.	This type of error message occurs when segments are reported out of order or an unexpected segment is reported. Note: The error message will contain the reported segments instead of "ABC" and the expected segment instead of "XYZ". Example: Unexpected segment 'NM1'. Was expecting 'N3'.	The provider agency should update the 837P transaction and resubmit.
A connection attempt failed because the connected party did not properly respond after a period of time, or established connection failed because connected host has failed to respond	The 837P transaction could not be uploaded. This is likely due to a network issue.	The provider agency should verify their network connection and retry.
A Contract Auth Period for Contract ID=# effective on MM/DD/YYYY could not be found.	An agreement authorization period does not exist in WITS for MM/DD/YYYY. Note: The error message will contain the Contract ID instead of "#" and the reported date instead of "MM/DD/YYYY".	The State Contractor agency should verify a provider agreement and authorization period exists for the specified date.