Anthem Blue Cross

Reminder to include the “Rendering Provider Location” for Radiology Services

Part 1: Non-Facility providers rendering the technical component of radiology services.

Anthem Blue Cross reminds providers who render radiology to report a Service Facility Location NPI when the NPI is different from the Billing Provider NPI. This information must be reported on individual Medicare Advantage claims regardless of whether it is submitted through EDI or on a HCFA form. Individual Medicare Advantage claims that do not include the rendering/service facility provider location for the technical component of radiology services will be rejected until the claim is resubmitted with the required correct information. This information shall be included in Loop 2310C segment N3 & N4 of EDI claims and Box 32 of any HCFA claim. For more information, please reference National Uniform Billing Committee instructions found in 32, 32A, 32B.

If billing globally, the rendering location must also be reported.

Part 2: Facility providers rendering the technical component of radiology services.

Anthem reminds facilities to continue to report a Service Facility Location NPI when the NPI is different from the Billing Provider NPI. This information shall be reported on all EDI claims. Individual Medicare Advantage claims that do not include the rendering/Service Facility provider location for the technical component of radiology services will continue to process. This information is found in Loop 2310E segment N3 & N4 of EDI claims.

Additional information for Non-Facility and Facility claims.

The following procedure codes are in scope for the rendering location requirement for professional providers and facilities effective in 2016.
