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SUBJECT: 5010 Implementation—Changes to Present on Admission (POA) Indicator “1” and the K3 Segment

I. SUMMARY OF CHANGES: Effective with the implementation of 5010, Inpatient Prospective Payment System (IPPS) hospitals shall no longer report the POA indicator of 1. ICD-9-CM diagnosis codes that are exempt from reporting POA, shall be left blank instead of populating a 1.

In addition, the K3 segment which was required for reporting POA in the 4010A1 version of the 837I shall no longer be used to report POA. The POA indicators will instead follow the diagnosis code in the appropriate 2300 HI segment.

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2011

IMPLEMENTATION DATE: January 3, 2011

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II. CHANGES IN MANUAL INSTRUCTIONS: (N/A if manual is not updated)

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R/N/D	CHAPTER / SECTION / SUBSECTION / TITLE
N/A	

III. FUNDING:

For Fiscal Intermediaries (FIs), Regional Home Health Intermediaries (RHHIs) and/or Carriers:

No additional funding will be provided by CMS; contractor activities are to be carried out within their operating budgets.

For Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs):

The Medicare Administrative Contractor is hereby advised that this constitutes technical direction as defined in your contract. CMS does not construe this as a change to the MAC Statement of Work. The contractor is not obligated to incur costs in excess of the amounts allotted in your contract unless and until specifically authorized by the Contracting Officer. If the contractor considers anything provided, as described above, to be outside the current scope of work, the contractor shall withhold performance on the part(s) in question and immediately notify the Contracting Officer, in writing or by e-mail, and request formal directions regarding continued performance requirements.

IV. ATTACHMENT:

One-Time Notification

**Unless otherwise specified, the effective date is the date of service.*