



## Provider Inquiry Assistance

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### *Updated Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) No Pay File for April*

#### Key Words

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#### Provider Types Affected

Providers who bill Fiscal Intermediaries (FIs)

#### Key Points

- The effective date of the instruction is April 1, 2003.
- The implementation date is April 4, 2005.
- CR3534 discontinued use of the SNF No Pay File for SNF claims with dates of service on or after January 1, 2005.
- The editing accomplished through the No Pay File was determined to be duplicative of other efforts.
- The most current No Pay File will be used for editing claims with dates of service prior to January 1, 2005, until the timely filing period expires.
- HCPCS codes 94760, 94761, and Q4078 are payable in a SNF setting and have been removed from the SNF No Pay File retroactive to April, 2003.

#### Important Links

<http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNMattersArticles/downloads/MM3642.pdf>

<http://www.cms.hhs.gov/transmittals/downloads/R431CP.pdf>

<http://www.cms.hhs.gov/transmittals/downloads/R38CP.pdf>