

CMS Manual System	Department of Health & Human Services (DHHS)
Pub 100-04 Medicare Claims Processing	Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)
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	Change Request 10284

SUBJECT: Decommission the MCS Maintained HBCRB081 Report (“Correct Coding Quarterly Savings Report”)

I. SUMMARY OF CHANGES: CMS has developed methodology to calculate savings from the National Correct Coding Initiative (NCCI) edits using shared systems data in the Integrated Data Repository (IDR). CMS is now using this updated savings calculation methodology, instead of savings reports generated by the Multi-Carrier System (MCS).

The goal of this Change Request (CR) is to discontinue the generation of the MCS HBCRB081 Report (“Correct Coding Quarterly Savings Report”), since it no longer serves a business need.

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 1, 2018

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

IMPLEMENTATION DATE: April 2, 2018

Disclaimer for manual changes only: The revision date and transmittal number apply only to red italicized material. Any other material was previously published and remains unchanged. However, if this revision contains a table of contents, you will receive the new/revised information only, and not the entire table of contents.

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

R=REVISED, N=NEW, D=DELETED-Only One Per Row.

R/N/D	CHAPTER / SECTION / SUBSECTION / TITLE
D	23/20/20.9.4/Savings Report
D	23/20/20.9.4.1/Savings Record Format

III. FUNDING:

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. ATTACHMENTS:

**Business Requirements
Manual Instruction**

Number	Requirement	Responsibility										
		A/B MAC			D M E	Shared-System Maintainers				Other		
		A	B	H H H		F I S S	M C S	V M S	C W F			
10284.3	The BDC shall be aware that the HBCRB081 Report ("Correct Coding Quarterly Savings Report") files will no longer be received from the VDC.											BDC
10284.4	Contractors shall be aware of changes to the IOM Pub. 100-04 Chapter 23 (Fee Schedule Administration and Coding Requirements) / Section 20.9.4 (Savings Report).		X									

III. PROVIDER EDUCATION TABLE

Number	Requirement	Responsibility				
		A/B MAC			D M E	C I
		A	B	H H H		
	None					

IV. SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Section A: Recommendations and supporting information associated with listed requirements: N/A

"Should" denotes a recommendation.

X-Ref Requirement Number	Recommendations or other supporting information: N/A
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Section B: All other recommendations and supporting information: N/A

V. CONTACTS

Pre-Implementation Contact(s): Julie Kunrath, 410-786-0394 or julie.kunrath@cms.hhs.gov

Post-Implementation Contact(s): Contact your Contracting Officer's Representative (COR).

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