

**Uniform Data Submission Specifications for the MDS 2.0 (September 2000/July 2002 Forms)**  
**Trailer Record Layout For Submission From the Nursing Home to the State (Version 1.30)**

Item Identifier/Description	Len	Start	End	Specification (* Indicates FATAL Error)
REC_ID RECORD ID	2	1	2	Picture : XX                      Type: CODE Range : Z0 Format Info : Upper case Z followed by 0 (zero). Consistency : *1. Out of range value is a fatal error.
TOT_REC Total Number of Records in Submission File	6	3	8	Picture : X(6)                      Type: COUNT Range : Valid number Format Info : Right Justified and leading zero filled. Consistency : *1. This field should include the total number of records in the submission file, including the header record, all MDS data records, and the trailer record.
FILLER1 BLANK FILLER	1803	9	1811	Picture : X(1803)                      Type: FILLER Range : sp(1803) Format Info : Must be blank. Consistency :
DATA_END End of Data Terminator Code	1	1812	1812	Picture : X                      Type: CODE Range : % Format Info : Must always be %. Consistency : 1. Used to indicate end of data.
CRG_RTN Carriage Return (ASCII 013)	1	1813	1813	Picture : X                      Type: CODE Range : ASCII(013) Format Info : Must always be a carriage return (ASCII 013). Consistency :
LN_FD Line Feed (ASCII 010)	1	1814	1814	Picture : X                      Type: CODE Range : ASCII(010) Format Info : Must always be a line feed (ASCII 010). Consistency :