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## Medica to Enhance 835 Transaction Related to IFB Claims

### Alert

Medica will soon make a maintenance upgrade on 835 transactions generated for Medica individual and family business (IFB) members. These changes will affect electronic provider remittance advices (EPRAs) for claims processed on the "Medica2" platform, using payer ID 12422. Effective with June 1, 2016, payment dates, this upgrade will result in three key enhancements. First, there will be improved reporting accuracy on EPRAs, involving claim adjustment reason codes (CARCs) as well as remittance advice remark codes (RARCs). Also as part of the upgrade, the 835 will return the group-level or Type II national provider identifier (NPI) number that was submitted on claims. And finally, adjusted claims that may have an impact on patient responsibility but do not change provider payment will be reflected within the 835.

### Action

No action is required. Providers will start to see these enhancements as of June 1, 2016.

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