

# **Hospice Care**

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## Hospice Care

Providers must be enrolled as a Health First Colorado provider in order to:

- Treat a Health First Colorado member
- Submit claims for payment to the Health First Colorado

Hospice services are available to Health First Colorado members with a terminal illness (life expectancy of nine (9) months or less). The palliative treatment includes services and interventions that are not curative but provide the greatest degree of relief and comfort for the symptoms of the terminal illness.

Providers should refer to the Code of Colorado Regulations, [Program Rules](#) (10 C.C.R. 2505-10), for specific information when providing hospice care.

## Billing Information

### National Provider Identifier (NPI)

The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) requires that covered entities (i.e., health plans, health care clearinghouses, and those health care providers who transmit any health information electronically in connection with a transaction for which the Secretary of Health and Human Services has adopted a standard) use NPIs in standard transactions. Certain Provider Types are not able to obtain an NPI. Those providers will be assigned a Health First Colorado provider number.

### Paper Claims

Electronic claims format shall be required unless hard copy claims submittals are specifically prior authorized by the Department. Requests may be sent to DXC Technology (DXC), P.O. Box 30, Denver, CO 80201-0030. The following claims can be submitted on paper and processed for payment:

- Claims from providers who consistently submit five (5) claims or fewer per month (requires prior approval)
- Claims that, by policy, require attachments
  - Note: Attachments may be submitted electronically
- Reconsideration claims

Paper claims require an NPI for those provider types that can obtain one. Providers that cannot obtain an NPI are required to use an assigned Health First Colorado provider number on their claims. Electronically mandated claims submitted on paper are processed, denied, and marked with the message "Electronic Filing Required".

### Electronic Claims

Instructions for completing and submitting electronic claims are available through the following:

- X12N Technical Report 3 (TR3) for the 837P, 837I, or 837D ([www.wpc-edi.com/](http://www.wpc-edi.com/))
- Companion Guides for the 837P, 837I, or 837D in the EDI support section of the Department's website ([edi-support](#))
- Online Portal User Guide (via within the Online Portal)

The Health First Colorado collects electronic claim information interactively through the Health First Colorado Secure Online Portal (Online Portal) or via batch submission through a host system. Please refer to the Colorado General Provider Information Manual for additional electronic information.

## Interactive Claim Submission and Processing

Interactive claim submission through the Online Portal is a real-time exchange of information between the provider and the Health First Colorado. Health First Colorado providers may create and transmit HIPAA compliant 837P (Professional), 837I (Institutional), and 837D (Dental) claims electronically one at a time. These claims are transmitted through the Health First Colorado Online Portal (OP).

The Online Portal contains training, user guides and help that describe claim completion requirements, edits that verify the format and validity of the entered information, and edits that assure that required fields are completed.

The Health First Colorado OP reviews the claim information for compliance with Health First Colorado billing policy and passes the claim to the Colorado interChange system for adjudication and reporting on the Health First Colorado Provider Remittance Advice (RA).

The OP immediately returns a response to the provider about that single transaction indicating whether the claim will be rejected, suspended or paid.

- If the claim is rejected, the OP sends a rejection response that identifies the rejection reason. The rejected claim can immediately be resubmitted.
- If the claim is suspended then it needs additional manual review by the Fiscal Agent.
- If the claim is accepted, the provider receives a message indicating that the claim is will be paid.

The Online Portal provides immediate feedback directly to the submitter. All claims are processed to provide a weekly Health Care Claim Payment/Advice (Accredited Standards Committee [ASC] X12N 835) transaction and/or Remittance Advice to providers. The Online Portal also provides access to reports and transactions generated from claims submitted via paper and through electronic data submission methods other than the Online Portal. The reports and transactions include:

- Accept/Reject Report
- Remittance Advice
- Health Care Claim Payment/Advice (ASC X12N 835)
- Managed Care Reports such as Primary Care Physician Rosters
- Eligibility Inquiry (interactive and batch)
- Claim Status Inquiry

Claims may be adjusted, edited and resubmitted, and voided in real time through the Online Portal. Access the Online Portal through Secured Site at [colorado.gov/hcpf](http://colorado.gov/hcpf). For help with claim submission via the Online Portal, please choose the *User Guide* option available for each Online Portal transaction.

For additional electronic billing information, please refer to the appropriate Companion Guide located in the Provider Services [Specifications](#) section of the Department's website.

### Batch Electronic Claims Submission

Batch billing refers to the electronic creation and transmission of several claims in a group. Batch billing systems usually extract information from an automated accounting or patient billing system to create a group of claim transactions. Claims may be transmitted from the provider's office or sent through a billing vendor or clearinghouse.

All batch claim submission software must be tested and approved by the Health First Colorado fiscal agent.

For additional electronic billing information, please refer to the appropriate Companion Guide located in the Provider Services [Specifications](#) section.

## Hospice Benefits

The member may receive Health First Colorado Hospice Benefit (MHB) services in a:

- Private residence
- Residential care facility (Alternative Care)
- Licensed hospice facility
- Intermediate Care Facility for the Mentally Retarded (ICFMR)
- Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF)
- Nursing Facility (NF)

Health First Colorado Hospice Benefit members residing in a nursing facility must meet hospice level of care and financial Health First Colorado eligibility criteria.

Hospice SNF/NF room and board reimbursement is made to the hospice provider for each home care level day (routine or continuous care).

- The member must choose MHB services.
- The member's attending physician must certify that the member is terminal.
- Both the member and the attending physician must agree to the plan of care developed by the hospice provider.
- A participating MHB provider must provide all MHB services.
- Hospice services are co-payment exempt.
- Physician services are not a covered MHB; they are billed by the physician as a regular physician service.
- The SNF/NF provides the hospice with the room and board per diem amount for hospice members residing in an SNF/NF. The hospice bills room and board on behalf of the member to the Health First Colorado which reimburses 95% of the per diem amount, and the hospice passes the room and board payment through to the SNF/NF.

The patient liability amount may apply when a hospice member resides in a NF. This is payment made by the member for NF care, after the personal needs allowance and other approved expenses are deducted from member income. The personal needs allowance and other approved deductions are determined by County Income Maintenance Technicians. The patient liability amount must be applied to the member's care.

When reporting the patient liability amount for the entire month, regardless of the number of days in that month, apply the total patient liability.

### **Example:**

Bill the full \$100.00 (Per Diem Rate) amount

The processing system automatically deducts 5% –  $\$100 \times .95 = \$95.00$

$\$95.00 \times 31 = \$2,945.00$

$\$2,945.00 - \$500.00 = \$2,445.00$  (NF R & B)

$\$2,445.00 + \$3,500.00$  (routine home care amount) =  $\$5,945.00$  Total Reimbursement.

Use the per diem calculation to calculate the correct amount when reporting the patient liability amounts for less than one full month of NF care. The per diem calculation is the number of days in the facility, excluding the date of discharge, times the facility's per diem rate.

### To calculate NF partial patient liability:

1. Calculate the Health First Colorado amount by multiplying the number of days for payment times the per diem amount.
2. If the Health First Colorado amount exceeds the patient liability amount, the partial month's patient liability amount remains the same as the regular patient liability amount.
3. If the patient liability is more than the Health First Colorado amount, the partial month's patient liability is the same as the Health First Colorado amount. The excess of the patient liability over the partial month's patient liability belongs to the resident and, if it has already been paid to the facility, shall be refunded to the resident. It is the SNF's/NF's responsibility to collect patient liability. The hospice does not have to collect patient liability. The hospice may choose to collect this amount and pay the SNF/NF.

## Revenue Coding

Bill Hospice services with the following revenue codes:

Service	Revenue Code	Description
Hospice Routine Home Care	<b>650</b>	Care Days 1-60 One Unit = 1 day
	<b>651</b>	Care Days 61+ One Unit = 1 day
Continuous Home Care	<b>652</b>	One Unit=1 hour (must be at least 8 hours in a 24 hour period with more than half provided by a nurse)
Service Intensity Add-on	<b>652</b>	One Unit=1 hour (up to 4 hours and member must be seen by a nurse or social worker within the last 7 days of life)
Hospice Inpatient Respite	<b>655</b>	One Unit = 1 day
Hospice General Inpatient Care	<b>656</b>	One Unit = 1 day
Hospice Physician Service (Visit)	<b>657</b>	One Unit = 1 visit Non-covered MHB service (Non-covered charges must be shown in both FL 53 and 54)
Hospice NF Room and Board Per/Diem	<b>659</b>	One unit = 1 day

## Post Eligibility Treatment of Income (PETI) Nursing Facility Supplemental Benefits

Post Eligibility Treatment of Income (PETI) is defined as the reduction of resident payment to a nursing facility for costs of care provided to an individual for services not covered by the Medical Assistance Program, by the amount that remains after certain approved deductions are applied, and paid to the providers to reduce the individual's total payment.

- The individual is liable to pay the remaining amount to the institution.
- Members who reside in a nursing facility, are receiving hospice services and who are making a patient liability payment must have a letter from their primary care physician stating why these additional services are medically necessary and requested by the resident.

- These requests will be considered individually and the Department will determine whether or not to approve the request.
- The Long Term Care (LTC) facility or the family determines the need for Non-Medical Assistance Program covered services.
- The facility or family arranges for the member to see the provider.

All PETI expenses must be prior authorized by the Department. **Prior Authorization Requests (PARs) should be sent to:**

PETI Program  
Department of Health Care Policy & Financing  
1570 Grant Street  
Denver, CO 80203

<b>PETI Revenue Codes</b>			
<b>479</b>	Hearing	<b>969</b>	Dental
<b>962</b>	Vision	<b>999</b>	Health insurance/other

Hospice agencies are responsible for adding PETI codes to their claims for Medical Assistance Program members living in nursing facilities and who also make a patient liability payment. Once the charges are approved, the hospice agency may submit claims for the PETI payment on the claim with the member's room and board minus patient liability amount. The claims processing system will automatically complete the calculations.

Bill PETI charges in units. One unit equals one dollar.

**Example with Claim:** If a member has been approved for the purchase of eyeglasses at a cost of \$175, the PETI amount equals 175 units at \$1.00 each. Do not bill partial units or cents.

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## **UB-04 Paper Claim Reference Table**

Hospice services must be provided and billed only by a certified Hospice provider.

The information in the following table provides instructions for completing form locators (FL) as they appear on the paper UB-04 claim form. Instructions for completing the UB-04 claim form are based on the current *National Uniform Billing Committee (NUBC) UB-04 Reference Manual*. Unless otherwise noted, all data form locators on the UB-04 have the same attributes (specifications) for the Health First Colorado as those indicated in the *NUBCUB-04 Reference Manual*.

All code values listed in the *NUBC UB-04 Reference Manual* for each form locator **may not** be used for submitting paper claims to the Health First Colorado. The appropriate code values listed in this manual must be used when billing the Health First Colorado.

The UB-04 Certification document (located after the Late Bill Override instructions and in the Provider Services [Forms](#) section) must be completed and attached to all claims submitted on the paper UB-04. Completed UB-04 paper Health First Colorado claims, including hardcopy Medicare claims, should be mailed to the correct fiscal agent address located in Appendix A of the Appendices in the Provider Services [Billing Manuals](#) section.

Do not submit "continuation" claims. Each claim form has a set number of billing lines available for completion. Do not crowd more lines on the form. Billing lines in excess of the designated number are not processed or acknowledged. Claims with more than one page may be submitted through the Web Portal.

The Paper Claim Reference Table below lists the required, optional and/or conditional form locators for submitting the paper UB-04 claim form to the Health First Colorado for hospice care services.

Form Locator and Label	Completion Format	Instructions
<b>1. Billing Provider Name, Address, Telephone Number</b>	Text	<p>Required</p> <p>Enter the provider or agency name and complete mailing address of the provider who is billing for the services:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Street/Post Office box</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">City</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">State</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Zip Code</p> <p>Abbreviate the state in the address to the standard post office abbreviations. Enter the telephone number.</p>
<b>2. Pay-to Name, Address, City, State</b>	Text	<p>Required on if different from FL 1.</p> <p>Enter the provider or agency name and complete mailing address of the provider who will receive payment for the services:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Street/Post Office box</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">City</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">State</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Zip Code</p>



Form Locator and Label	Completion Format	Instructions
		Abbreviate the state in the address to the standard post office abbreviations.
<b>3a. Patient Control Number</b>	Up to 20 characters: Letters, numbers or hyphens	Optional Enter information that identifies the client or claim in the provider's billing system. Submitted information appears on the Remittance Advice (RA).
<b>3b. Medical Record Number</b>	17 digits	Optional Enter the number assigned to the patient to assist in retrieval of medical records.
<b>4. Type of Bill</b>	3 digits	<p>Required</p> <p><u>Use the following code range for Hospice:</u></p> <p>811-815 for non-hospital based Hospice services 821-825 for hospital based Hospice services</p> <p>The three-digit code requires one digit from each of the sequences (Type of facility, Bill classification, &amp; Frequency).</p> <p>Enter the three-digit number indicating the specific type of bill. The three-digit code requires one digit each in the following sequences:</p> <p><u>Digit 1 - Type of Facility:</u></p> <p>8 - Special Facility (Hospice)</p> <p><u>Digit 2 - Bill Classification (Special facilities Only):</u></p> <p>1 - Hospice (Non-Hospital Based) 2 - Hospice (Hospital Based)</p> <p><u>Digit 3 - Frequency:</u></p> <p>0 - Non-Payment/Zero Claim 1 - Admit Through Discharge Claim 2 - Interim - First Claim 3 - Interim - Continuous Claim 4 - Interim - Last Claim 5 - Late Charge(s) Only Claim</p>
<b>5. Federal Tax Number</b>	None	Submitted information is not entered into the claim processing system.

Form Locator and Label	Completion Format	Instructions
<b>6. Statement Covers Period – From/Through</b>	From: 6 digits MMDDYY  Through: 6 digits MMDDYY	Required "From" date is the actual start date of services. "From" date cannot be prior to the start date reported on the initial prior authorization, if applicable, or is the first date of an interim bill. "Through" date is the actual discharge date, or final date of an interim bill.
<b>6. Statement Covers Period – From/Through (continued)</b>	From: 6 digits MMDDYY  Through: 6 digits MMDDYY	"From" and "Through" dates cannot exceed a calendar month (e.g., bill 01/15/08 thru 01/30/08 and 02/01/08 thru 02/15/08, not 01/15/08 thru 02/15/08). Match dates to the prior authorization if applicable. If patient is admitted and discharged the same date, that date must appear in both fields. Detail dates of service must be within the "Statement Covers Period" dates.
<b>8a. Patient Identifier</b>		Submitted information is not entered into the claim processing system.
<b>8b. Patient Name</b>	Up to 25 characters: Letters & spaces	Required Enter the client's last name, first name and middle initial.
<b>9a. Patient Address – Street</b>	Characters Letters & numbers	Required Enter the client's street/post office box exactly as it appears on the eligibility verification or as determined at the time of admission.
<b>9b. Patient Address – City</b>	Text	Required Enter the client's city exactly as it appears on the eligibility verification or as determined at the time of admission.
<b>9c. Patient Address – State</b>	Text	Required Enter the client's state exactly as it appears on the eligibility verification or as determined at the time of admission.
<b>9d. Patient Address – Zip</b>	Digits	Required Enter the client's zip code exactly as it appears on the eligibility verification or as determined at the time of admission.

Form Locator and Label	Completion Format	Instructions
<b>9e. Patient Address – Country Code</b>	Digits	Optional
<b>10. Birthdate</b>	8 digits (MMDDCCYY)	Required Enter the client's birthdate using two digits for the month, two digits for the date, and four digits for the year (MMDDCCYY format). Example: 07012015 for July 1, 2015. Use the birthdate that appears on the eligibility verification.
<b>11. Patient Sex</b>	1 letter	Required Enter an M (male) or F (female) to indicate the client's sex.
<b>12. Admission Date</b>	6 digits	Required Enter the date care originally started from any funding source (e.g., Medicare, Health First Colorado, Third Party Resource, etc.).
<b>13. Admission Hour</b>	6 digits	Not Required
<b>14. Admission Type</b>	1 digit	Not Required
<b>15. Source of Admission</b>	1 digit	Required
<b>16. Discharge Hour</b>	2 digits	Not Required

Form Locator and Label	Completion Format	Instructions
<b>17. Patient Discharge Status</b>	2 digits	<p>Required</p> <p>Enter client status as ongoing patient (code 30) or as of discharge date. Agencies are limited to the following codes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>01 Discharged to Home</li> <li>03 Discharged/Transferred to SNF</li> <li>04 Discharged/Transferred to ICF</li> <li>05 Discharged/Transferred to Another Type of Institution</li> <li>06 Discharged/Transferred to organized Home Health Care Program (HCBS)</li> <li>07 Left Against Medical Advice</li> <li>20 Expired (Deceased - Not for Hospice use)</li> <li>30 Still patient (ongoing)</li> <li>40* Expired at home</li> <li>41* Expired in hospital, SNF, ICF, or free-standing hospice</li> <li>42* Expired - place unknown</li> <li>50 Hospice - Home</li> <li>51 Hospice - Medical Facility</li> </ul> <p><i>* Hospice use only</i></p>
<b>18-28. Condition Codes</b>	2 Digits	<p>Required</p> <p><u>Z4 necessary for paper claims.</u></p> <p>Enter the code that matches the program and the prior authorization.</p> <p><u>Condition Codes (as applicable):</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>04 - HMO Medicare enrollee</li> <li>07 - Treatment of non-terminal condition/hospice patient</li> <li>17 - Patient over 100 years old</li> <li>39 - Private room medically necessary</li> </ul>
<b>29. Accident State</b>		Submitted information is not entered into the claim processing system.
<b>31-34. Occurrence Code/Date</b>	2 digits and 6 digits	Required

Form Locator and Label	Completion Format	Instructions
		Enter the appropriate code and the date on which it occurred. Enter the date using MMDDYY format. <u>Occurrence Codes</u> 27 - Date Hospice Plan Established 42 - Date of Discharge (Hospice Benefit Termination)
<b>35-36. Occurrence Span Code From/ Through</b>	2 digits	Not Required
<b>38. Responsible Party Name/ Address</b>	None	Leave blank
<b>39-41. Value Code and Amount</b>	2 characters and 9 digits	Conditional Enter appropriate codes and related dollar amounts to identify monetary data or number of days using whole numbers, necessary for the processing of this claim. Never enter negative amounts. Fields and codes must be in ascending order. If a value code is entered, a dollar amount or numeric value related to the code <u>must</u> always be entered.
<b>39-41. Value Code and Amount (continued)</b>	2 characters and 9 digits	01 Most common semiprivate rate (Accommodation Rate) 06 Medicare blood deductible 14 No fault including auto/other 15 Worker's Compensation 31 Patient Liability Amount (see below)* 32 Multiple Patient Ambulance Transport 37 Pints of Blood Furnished 38 Blood Deductible Pints 40 New Coverage Not Implemented by HMO

Form Locator and Label	Completion Format	Instructions
		<p>45 Accident Hour Enter the hour when the accident occurred that necessitated medical treatment. Use the same coding used in FL 18 (Admission Hour).</p> <p>49 Hematocrit Reading - EPO Related</p> <p>58 Arterial Blood Gas (PO2/PA2)</p> <p>68 EPO-Drug</p> <p>80 Covered Days</p> <p>81 Non-Covered Days</p> <p><i>Enter the deductible amount applied by indicated payer:</i></p> <p>A1 Deductible Payer A B1 Deductible Payer B C1 Deductible Payer C</p> <p><i>Enter the amount applied to client's co-insurance by indicated payer:</i></p> <p>A2 Coinsurance Payer A B2 Coinsurance Payer B C2 Coinsurance Payer C</p> <p><i>Enter the amount paid by indicated payer:</i></p> <p>A3 Estimated Responsibility Payer A B3 Estimated Responsibility Payer B C3 Estimated Responsibility Payer C</p> <p>Medicare &amp; TPL - See A1-A3, B1-B3, &amp; C1-C3 above</p>
<p><b>39-41. Value Code and Amount (continued)</b></p>		<p><b>* Patient Liability Amount</b> is payment made by the client for care, after the personal needs allowance and other approved expenses are deducted. The personal needs allowance and other approved deductions are determined by County Income Maintenance Technicians. This patient liability must be applied to the client's care.</p> <p>When reporting patient liability for the entire month, regardless of the number of days in that month, apply the total patient liability.</p> <p>When reporting patient liability amounts for less than one full month of care, use the per diem calculation to calculate the correct amount.</p> <p>The per diem calculation is the number of days in the facility, excluding the date of discharge, times the facility's per diem rate.</p>

Form Locator and Label	Completion Format	Instructions
		<p>The claim will be denied if the billed amount exceeds this allowed amount.</p> <p><b>To calculate patient liability:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Calculate the Health First Colorado amount by multiplying the number of days for payment times the per diem amount.</li> <li>2. If the Health First Colorado amount exceeds the patient liability, the partial month's patient liability remains the same as the regular patient liability amount.</li> <li>3. If the patient liability is more than the Health First Colorado amount, the partial month's patient liability is the same as the Health First Colorado amount. The excess of the patient liability over the partial month's patient liability belongs to the resident and, if it has already been paid to the facility, shall be refunded to the resident.</li> </ol> <p>When client has Medicare "Part B only" coverage, and the provider is billing for the Health First Colorado Accommodation Per Diem and the payer source code is H, enter the "Part B only" ancillary services payment in this field on the Medicare line.</p>
<b>42. Revenue Code</b>	4 digits	<p>Required</p> <p>If billing for nursing facility per diem charges (Revenue Code 0659 or 0651), the nursing facility provider number must be entered in FL 78 (Other Phys. ID)</p> <p>See Revenue Code table</p>
<b>43. Revenue Code Description</b>	Text	<p>Required</p> <p>Enter the revenue code description or abbreviated description.</p>
<b>44. HCPCS/Rates/HIPPS Rate Codes</b>		
<b>45. Service Date</b>	6 digits	<p>Required</p> <p>For span bills only</p> <p>Enter the date of service using MMDDYY format for each detail line completed.</p> <p>Each date of service must fall within the date span entered in FL 6 (Statement Covers Period).</p>
<b>46. Service Units</b>	3 digits	<p>Required</p> <p>Enter a unit value on each line completed. Use whole numbers only. Do not enter fractions or decimals and do not show a decimal point followed by a 0 to designate whole numbers.</p>

Form Locator and Label	Completion Format	Instructions
		<p>Example: Do not enter 1.0 to signify one unit.</p> <p>For span bills, the units of service reflect only those visits, miles or treatments provided on dates of service in FL 45.</p>
<b>47. Total Charges</b>	9 digits	<p>Required</p> <p>Enter the total charge for each line item.</p> <p>Calculate the total charge as the number of units multiplied by the unit charge. Do not subtract Medicare or third party payments from line charge entries. Do not enter negative amounts.</p> <p>A grand total in line 23 is required for all charges.</p>
<b>48. Non-Covered Charges</b>	9 digits	<p>Conditional</p> <p>Enter incurred charges that are not payable by the Health First Colorado.</p> <p>Non-covered charges must be entered in both FL 47 (Total Charges) and FL 48 (Non-Covered Charges.) Each column requires a grand total.</p>
<b>50. Payer Name</b>	1 letter and text	<p>Required</p> <p>Enter the payment source code followed by name of each payer organization from which the provider might expect payment.</p> <p>At least one line must indicate The Health First Colorado.</p>
<b>50. Payer Name (continued)</b>	1 letter and text	<p>Source Payment Codes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>B Workmen's Compensation</li> <li>C Medicare</li> <li>D Health First Colorado</li> <li>E Other Federal Program</li> <li>F Insurance Company</li> <li>G Blue Cross, including Federal Employee Program</li> <li>H Other - Inpatient (Part B Only)</li> <li>I Other</li> </ul>



Form Locator and Label	Completion Format	Instructions
		Line A Primary Payer Line B Secondary Payer Line C Tertiary Payer
<b>51. Health Plan ID</b>	10 digits	Required Enter the provider's Health Plan ID for each payer name. Enter the Health First Colorado provider number assigned to the <b>billing provider</b> . Payment is made to the enrolled provider or agency that is assigned this number.
<b>52. Release of Information</b>	None	Submitted information is not entered into the claim processing system.
<b>53. Assignment of Benefits</b>	None	Submitted information is not entered into the claim processing system.
<b>54. Prior Payments</b>	Up to 9 digits	Conditional Complete when there are Medicare or third party payments. Enter third party and/or Medicare payments.
<b>55. Estimated Amount Due</b>	Up to 9 digits	Conditional Complete when there are Medicare or third party payments. Enter the net amount due from The Health First Colorado after provider has received other third party, Medicare or patient liability.
<b>55. Estimated Amount Due (continued)</b>	Up to 9 digits	<b>Medicare Crossovers</b> Enter the sum of the Medicare coinsurance plus Medicare deductible less third party payments and patient liability.
<b>56. National Provider Identifier (NPI)</b>	10 digits	Required Enter the billing provider's 10-digit National Provider Identifier (NPI).
<b>57. Other Provider ID</b>		Submitted information is not entered into the claim processing system.

Form Locator and Label	Completion Format	Instructions
<b>58. Insured's Name</b>	Up to 30 characters	<p>Required</p> <p>Enter the client's name on the Health First Colorado line.</p> <p><b>Other Insurance/Medicare</b></p> <p>Complete additional lines when there is third party coverage. Enter the policyholder's last name, first name, and middle initial exactly as it appears on the eligibility verification or on the health insurance card.</p>
<b>60. Insured's Unique ID</b>	Up to 20 characters	<p>Required</p> <p>Enter the insured's unique identification number assigned by the payer organization exactly as it appears on the eligibility verification or on the health insurance card. Include letter prefixes or suffixes shown on the card.</p>
<b>61. Insurance Group Name</b>	14 letters	<p>Conditional</p> <p>Complete when there is third party coverage.</p> <p>Enter the name of the group or plan providing the insurance to the insured exactly as it appears on the health insurance card.</p>
<b>62. Insurance Group Number</b>	17 digits	<p>Conditional</p> <p>Complete when there is third party coverage.</p> <p>Enter the identification number, control number, or code assigned by the carrier or fund administrator identifying the group under which the individual is carried.</p>
<b>63. Treatment Authorization Code</b>	Up to 18 characters	<p>Conditional</p> <p>Complete when the service requires a PAR.</p> <p>Enter the PAR/authorization number in this field, if a PAR is required and has been approved for services.</p>
<b>64. Document Control Number</b>		<p>Conditional</p>
<b>65. Employer Name</b>	Text	<p>Conditional</p> <p>Complete when there is third party coverage.</p>

Form Locator and Label	Completion Format	Instructions
		Enter the name of the employer that provides health care coverage for the individual identified in FL 58 (Insured Name).
<b>66. Diagnosis Version Qualifier</b>		Submitted information is not entered into the claim processing system. Enter applicable ICD indicator to identify which version of ICD codes is being reported. 0 ICD-10-CM (DOS 10/1/15 and after) 9 ICD-9-CM (DOS 9/30/15 and before)
<b>67. Principal Diagnosis Code</b>	Up to 6 digits	Required Enter the exact ICD-10-CM diagnosis code describing the principal diagnosis that exists at the time of admission or develops subsequently and affects the length of stay. Do not add extra zeros to the diagnosis code.
<b>67A- 67Q. Other Diagnosis</b>	6 digits	Optional Enter the exact ICD-10-CM diagnosis code corresponding to additional conditions that co-exist at the time of admission or develop subsequently and which effect the treatment received or the length of stay. Do not add extra zeros to the diagnosis code.
<b>69. Admitting Diagnosis Code</b>	6 digits	Optional Enter the ICD-10-CM diagnosis code as stated by the physician at the time of admission.
<b>70. Patient Reason Diagnosis</b>		Not Required
<b>71. PPS Code</b>		Not Required
<b>72. External Cause of Injury Code (E-code)</b>	6 digits	Optional Enter the ICD-10-CM diagnosis code for the external cause of an injury, poisoning, or adverse effect. This code must begin with an "E".
<b>74. Principal Procedure Code/ Date</b>	7 characters and 6 digits	Not Required

Form Locator and Label	Completion Format	Instructions
<b>74A. Other Procedure Code/Date</b>	7 characters and 6 digits	<p>Conditional</p> <p>Complete when there are additional significant procedure codes.</p> <p>Enter the ICD-10-CM procedure codes identifying all significant procedures other than the principle procedure and the dates on which the procedures were performed. Report those that are most important for the episode of care and specifically any therapeutic procedures closely related to the principle diagnosis. Enter the date using MMDDYY format.</p>
<b>76. Attending NPI – Required</b>  <b>Attending- Last/ First Name</b>	NPI - 10 digits            Text	<p>Health First Colorado ID Required</p> <p>NPI - Enter the 10-digit NPI number assigned to the physician having primary responsibility for the patient's medical care and treatment. This number is obtained from the physician, and <u>cannot</u> be a clinic or group number.</p> <p>(If the attending physician is not enrolled in the Health First Colorado or if the member leaves the ER before being seen by a physician, the hospital may enter their individual numbers.)</p> <p>Hospitals may enter the member's regular physician's 10-digit NPI in the Attending Physician ID form locator if the locum tenens physician is not enrolled in the Health First Colorado.</p> <p>QUAL – Enter "1D " for Medicaid</p> <p>Enter the attending physician's last and first name.</p> <p>This form locator must be completed for all services.</p>
<b>77. Operating- NPI</b>		Submitted information is not entered into the claim processing system.
<b>78-79. Other ID NPI – Conditional</b>	NPI - 10 digits	<p>Conditional –</p> <p>Complete when attending physician is not the PCP or to identify additional physicians.</p> <p>Ordering, Prescribing, or Referring NPI - when applicable</p> <p>NPI - Enter up to two 10-digit NPI numbers, when applicable. This form locator identifies physicians other than the attending physician. If the attending physician is not the PCP or if a clinic is a PCP agent,</p>

<b>Form Locator and Label</b>	<b>Completion Format</b>	<b>Instructions</b>
		<p>enter the PCP NPI number as the referring physician. The name of the Health First Colorado member's PCP appears on the eligibility verification. Review either for eligibility and PCP. The Health First Colorado does not require that the PCP number appear more than once on each claim submitted.</p> <p>The attending physician's last and first name are optional.</p>
<b>80. Remarks</b>	Text	Enter specific additional information necessary to process the claim or fulfill reporting requirements.
<b>81. Code-Code-QUAL/CODE/VALUE (a-d)</b>		Submitted information is not entered into the claim processing system.

# Hospice Claim without Nursing Facility Room and Board with Physician Charges Example

1 HOSPICE AGENCY				2				34 PAY CONT. #				35 STATE OF RES.			
Hospice Agency 100 Saginaw Street Anytown, CO 80201 303.333.3333								SM000123				812			
8 PATIENT NAME				9 PATIENT ADDRESS				6 STATEMENT COVER PERIOD				7			
Client, Ima D.				123 Main Street				10/06/2016				10/31/2016			
10 BIRTHDATE				11 SEX				12 DATE				13 ADMISSION			
02/13/1980				F				10/06/2016				1			
14 TYPE				15 SRG				16 DHR				17 STAT			
1								30				Z4			
18 COND. CODES				19				20				21			
22 OCCURRENCE DATE				23				24				25			
10/06/2016								10/06/2016				10/31/2016			
26				27				28				29			
30				31				32				33			
38				39				40				41			
42 REV. ID.				43 DESCRIPTION				44 HCPCS / RATE / HAPS CODE				45 SERV. DATE			
651				Hospice Routine Home Care								10/06/16			
652				Hospice Continuous Home Care								10/18/16			
652				Hospice Continuous Home Care								10/19/16			
652				Hospice Continuous Home Care								10/20/16			
655				Hospice Inpatient Respite								10/21/16			
656				Hospice General Inpatient Care								10/24/16			
651				Hospice Routine Home Care								10/25/16			
657				Hospice Physician Service								10/06/16			
46 SERV. UNITS				47 TOTAL CHARGE				48 NON COVERED CHARGE				49			
8				624.00											
24				480.00											
16				320.00											
8				160.00											
3				249.00											
1				350.00											
9				702.00											
3				165.00				165.00							
50				51				52				53			
PAGE 1 OF 1				CREATION DATE				TOTALS				3050.00			
165.00															
54 SUPPLIER NAME				55 HEALTH PLAN ID				56 REL. WPT				57 EST. AMOUNT DUE			
D - Medicaid				1234567890								2885.00			
58 INSURED'S NAME				59 REL				60 INSURED'S UNIQUE ID				61 GROUP NAME			
Client, Ima D.								A123456							
62 INSURANCE GROUP NO.				63 TREATMENT AUTHORIZATION CODES				64 DOCUMENT CONTROL NUMBER				65 EMPLOYER NAME			
66 C184				67 C781				68 J43.9				69			
0															
70 ADMIT. DATE				71 PATIENT REASON DV				72 HAPS CODE				73			
74 PRIMARY PROCEDURE DATE				75 OTHER PROCEDURE DATE				76 ATTENDING				77			
								1234567890				QUAL			
78 OTHER PROCEDURE DATE				79 OTHER PROCEDURE DATE				80 OTHER PROCEDURE DATE				81			
82 REMARKS				83				84				85			



# Hospice Claim with Patient Pay Example

1 <b>Hospice Agency</b> 100 Saginaw Street Anytown, CO 80201 303-333-3333										3 PATIENT # <b>SM1000123</b>										4 TYPE OF BILL <b>812</b>	
8 PATIENT NAME <b>Client, Ima D.</b>										9 PATIENT ADDRESS <b>123 Main Street</b>										6 STATEMENT COVERED PERIOD FROM <b>10/06/2016</b> THROUGH <b>10/31/2016</b>	
11 SEX <b>F</b> 12 DATE OF BIRTH <b>02/13/1980</b> 13 ADMISSION DATE <b>10/06/2016</b> 14 TYPE <b>1</b> 15 DHR <b>30</b> 16 STAT <b>Z4</b>										17 CITY <b>Anytown</b> 18 STATE <b>CO</b> 19 ZIP <b>88888</b>											
31 OCCURRENCE DATE <b>10/06/2016</b>										32 OCCURRENCE DATE <b>10/06/2016</b>										33 OCCURRENCE DATE <b>10/31/2016</b>	
34 OCCURRENCE DATE <b>10/06/2016</b>										35 OCCURRENCE DATE <b>10/31/2016</b>											
36 VALUE CODES AMOUNT										37 VALUE CODES AMOUNT										38 VALUE CODES AMOUNT	
42 REV CD: <b>651</b> 43 DESCRIPTION: <b>Hospice Routine Home Care</b> 44 HOSPICE RATE / HARRIS CODE										45 SERV DATE: <b>10/06/16</b> 46 SERV UNITS: <b>8</b> 47 TOTAL CHARGES: <b>624.00</b>										48 NON-COVERED CHARGES: <b></b> 49	
652 <b>Hospice Continuous Home Care</b>										10/18/16 <b>24</b> <b>480.00</b>											
652 <b>Hospice Continuous Home Care</b>										10/19/16 <b>16</b> <b>320.00</b>											
652 <b>Hospice Continuous Home Care</b>										10/20/16 <b>8</b> <b>160.00</b>											
655 <b>Hospice Inpatient Respite</b>										10/21/16 <b>3</b> <b>249.00</b>											
656 <b>Hospice General Inpatient Care</b>										10/24/16 <b>1</b> <b>350.00</b>											
651 <b>Hospice Routine Home Care</b>										10/25/16 <b>9</b> <b>702.00</b>											
659 <b>Nursing Facility R&amp;B Per Diem</b>										10/06/16 <b>20</b> <b>1100.00</b>											
<p><b>Note:</b> Bill services with Health First Colorado rates or usual and customary charges, whichever</p>																					
<p><i>All detail line days must be equal to or be less than day in FL 6. Do not include revenue code 659 units.</i></p>										<p><i>Nursing Facility room and board "day" values of revenue codes.</i></p>											
<p>Line 1 = 1st date of 8 days Line 2 = 1 day (date specific) Line 3 = 1 day (date specific) Line 4 = 1 day (date specific) Line 5 = 3 days (1st date of 3 days) Line 6 = 1 day (1st date of 1 day) Line 7-9 days (1st date of 9 days) FL 6-24 Days</p>																				<p>651-8 days 652-1 day 652-1 day 652-1 day 655-0 days 655-0 days 651-9 days 659-20 days</p>	
PAGE 1 OF 1										CREATION DATE										TOTALS <b>3985.00</b>	
50 PAYER NAME <b>D - Medicaid</b>										51 HEALTH PLAN ID <b>1234567890</b>										55 EST AMOUNT DUE <b>3985.00</b>	
58 INSURED'S NAME <b>Client, Ima D.</b>										60 INSURED'S IRRQUE ID <b>A123456</b>										62 GROUP NAME	
63 TREATMENT AUTHORIZATION CODES										64 DOCUMENT CONTROL NUMBER										66 EMPLOYER NAME	
69 C184 / C781 / J43.9																					
74 PRINCIPAL PROCEDURE DATE										75 OTHER PROCEDURE DATE										76 OTHER PROCEDURE DATE	
78 OTHER										79 OTHER										80 OTHER	
81 REMARKS										82 REMARKS										83 REMARKS	



## **Institutional Provider Certification**

This is to certify that the foregoing information is true, accurate and complete.

This is to certify that I understand that payment of this claim will be from Federal and State funds and that any falsification, or concealment of material fact, may be prosecuted under Federal and State Laws.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

This document is an addendum to the UB-04 claim form and is required per 42 C.F.R. 445.18 (a)(1-2) to be attached to paper claims submitted on the UB-04.

## **Timely Filing**

The Health First Colorado allows providers to document compliance with timely filing requirements when the initial timely filing period has expired. Health First Colorado providers have 120 days from the date of service to submit their claim. For information on the 60-day resubmission rule for denied/rejected claims, please see the General Provider Information manual in the Provider Services [Billing Manuals](#) section.

Making false statements about timely filing compliance is a misrepresentation and falsification that, upon conviction, makes the individual who prepares the claim and the enrolled provider subject to a fine and imprisonment under state and/or federal law.

## Hospice Revisions Log

<b>Revision Date</b>	<b>Additions/Changes</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Made by</b>
12/01/2016	Manual revised for interChange implementation. For manual revisions prior to 12/01/2016 Please refer to Archive.	All	HPE (now DXC)
12/27/2016	Updates based on Colorado iC Stage II Provider Billing Manual Comment Log v0_2.xlsx.	2, 16	HPE (now DXC)
1/10/2017	Updates based on Colorado iC Stage II Provider Billing Manual Comment Log v0_3.xlsx.	Multiple	HPE (now DXC)
1/19/2017	Updates based on Colorado iC Stage II Provider Billing Manual Comment Log v0_4.xlsx.	Multiple	HPE (now DXC)
1/26/2017	Updates based on Department 1/20/2017 approval email	Accepted tracked changes throughout	HPE (now DXC)
5/26/2017	Updates based on Fiscal Agent name change from HPE to DXC	1	DXC

Note: In many instances when specific pages are updated, the page numbers change for the entire section. Page numbers listed above, are the page numbers on which the updates/changes occur.