



Transition Update

Provider Applications, Re-approvals, and Amendments

As shared in the previous Transition Update, the Bureau of Early Intervention (BEI) announced at the last Early Intervention Coordinating Council (EICC) meeting that the launch of the EI-Hub solution has been delayed. With the delay in the launch of the EI-Hub, the dates that were shared by BEI regarding provider applications, re-approvals, and amendments are also subsequently delayed. Providers should continue to submit applications, re-approval paperwork, and amendment requests to the Provider Approval Unit (PAU). An updated timeline will be communicated to stakeholders following the announcement of the new launch date.

Provider Claims Loader Testing

Provider claims loader testing gives billing providers the opportunity to test the submission of claims from their third-party systems/clearinghouses through the 837-file upload process. Testing of this functionality will be conducted in a phased approach with all agencies and providers who currently utilize third-party systems having an opportunity to test the process prior to the launch of the EI-Hub. In the coming weeks, Public Consulting Group (PCG) will be connecting with billing providers currently using third-party systems for billing and claiming. In order to participate in provider claims loader testing, users will need an active Health Commerce System (HCS) account. Any additional testing requirements will be shared by PCG.

At the launch of the EI-Hub, the 277 Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) file will replace the F-file and 835 file billing providers currently receive from NYEIS. Detailed information regarding 277 EDI filing is available for review on the Learning Management System (LMS). In addition, New York Early Intervention EI-Hub Companion Guides (837P and 999) are also available for review on the LMS. Companion guides explain the procedures necessary for billing providers to transmit EDI transactions. The guides provide detailed, technical instructions on the required data content for claims submissions and responses. Click the link below to view the companion guides on the LMS.

Updates

The next **bi-weekly live demonstration session** will cover Provider Management and Rosters. Attendees will be able to ask questions specific to the functionality being demonstrated. Questions not answered during the session will be reviewed and added to FAQs that will be posted in the EI-Hub LMS.

The next demonstration is scheduled on **March 30, 2022** from 12:00pm to 1:00pm.

Webinar Registration link: <https://nystec-meeting.webex.com/nystec-meeting/j.php?RGID=r5c168d8e2ccf5e731c2b7aee1a1abf24>
Webinar Dial in Telephone Number: 1-855-282-6330
Meeting /Access Number: 2337 038 5785
Webinar Password: EIHUB (34482 from phones)

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The next **EI-Hub Transition Series webinar** is scheduled on **April 6, 2022**.

This webinar series provides an opportunity for end users to submit questions and hear from BEI and PCG on how to best prepare for the system transition. This session will focus on billing and claiming.

Webinar Registration link: <https://nystec-meeting.webex.com/nystec-meeting/j.php?RGID=r9c7ec2528ea7b351b7e0b8227792e488>
Webinar Dial in Telephone Number: 1-855-282-6330
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Action Required!

Billing providers interested in participating in provider claims loader testing should share the 837P and 277 companion guides with their third-party vendor to ensure your system is setup to send files as outlined in the guides. The companion guides are available on the LMS – link shared in the article above.

If you have questions, please contact us at ElHub@health.ny.gov.