

NCPDP BINGO – 50-Item Caller Sheet

1. BIN Number

Because every pharmacy claim deserves a good home.

2. PCN

The secret handshake of the pharmacy world.

3. Patient ID

AKA: 'Who are you again?'

4. Claim Segment

Where all your hopes and dreams get denied.

5. Transaction Code

Your claim's personality type.

6. Prescriber ID (411-DB)

Because doctors need numbers too.

7. Date of Service

When it all went down.

8. Product/Service ID (407-D7)

Barcodes but make it pharmacy.

9. DAW Code

Doctor said what?

10. DUR/PPS Segment

Therapeutic babysitting.

11. Service Provider ID

Who did the thing.

12. NCPDP 5.1

Vintage pharmacy standard — a true classic.

13. NCPDP D.0

The one everyone pretends to understand.

14. Coordination of Benefits

When one insurance just isn't enough.

15. Refill Number

How many times they've been back for more.

16. Prior Auth Type

Red tape level: Expert Mode.

17. Submission Clarification Code

Try explaining this on a first date.

18. Gross Amount Due

Spoiler: It's gross.

19. Patient Pay Amount

How much they cry at the counter.

20. Compound Code

Did we mix it? Yes. Should we have? Maybe.

21. Patient Relationship Code

Who's paying for whom?

22. Pharmacy NPI

The pharmacy's social security number.

23. Prescriber NPI

The doctor's 'don't steal my identity' code.

24. Pricing Segment

Where the magic (or heartbreak) happens.

25. Reject Code

The pharmacy's version of 'Not today.'

26. Plan ID

The insurance's favorite nickname.

27. Ingredient Cost

How expensive the goo was.

28. Dispensing Fee

The 'we did a thing' charge.

29. Route of Administration

How the medicine takes the scenic route.

30. Quantity Dispensed

How many you get before we cut you off.

31. Days Supply

How long we hope it lasts.

32. Pharmacy Segment

Where the pharmacy gets to talk about itself.

33. Version/Release Number

Patch notes for your claim.

34. Message Segment

Passive-aggressive notes from the system.

35. Coupon or Voucher Code

The magical discount pixie.

36. Benefit Stage Amount

Welcome to the donut hole.

37. Member Group ID

Your insurance's secret club.

38. Coordination of Care

Everyone holding hands, metaphorically.

39. Insurance Segment

Where the payer flexes.

40. Eligibility Verification

Your insurance's trust issues.

41. Medicaid Indicator

Yes, it matters.

42. Compound Ingredient Count

How many things we threw in the bowl.

43. Pharmacy Service Type

What flavor of pharmacy you are.

44. Submission Date

When we finally got around to it.

45. Response Status

Good news or bad news? Place your bet.

46. Other Payer Amount

Pass-the-bill, pharmacy edition.

47. Reject Field

What exactly offended the system.

48. Prior Auth Number

The golden ticket... sometimes.

49. Authorization Type

What flavor of approval you need.

50. Claim Status

Alive, dead, or somewhere in limbo.