



PROVIDER BULLETIN

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**To: All Providers, Clearinghouses, Billing Services, and Value Added Networks**

**Subject: Provider Workshops for the 270/271 Transactions and the Medicaid Select Program**

The Office of Medicaid Policy and Planning (OMPP), Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) Office, and EDS invite all Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) providers to attend the IHCP workshops free of charge.

Workshops are being offered in March, April, and May 2003 at the following locations:

- Louisville, KY
- Terre Haute, IN
- East Chicago, IN
- Evansville, IN
- Fort Wayne, IN
- South Bend, IN
- Bloomington, IN
- Indianapolis, IN

Table 1.1 lists session information. The sessions will begin promptly at the **local** time indicated.

Table 1.2 lists workshop locations. There are two sessions about the *270/271 Eligibility and Response* transactions mandated by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) and one *Medicaid Select* session for each date. The two 270/271 sessions provide the same information each day and attendees only need to choose one 270/271 session. Providers must register to attend these sessions.

Seating for the workshops is limited to two registrants per provider number. Fax completed registration forms to EDS at (317) 488-5376. A letter confirming registration will be sent prior to the workshop. Direct any questions about this notification to the EDS provider representatives at (317) 488-5195.

Directions to workshop locations are available on the IHCP Web site at <http://www.indianamedicaid.com/>.

Table 1.1 – Session Information

Time	Topic
8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.	<p><b>270/271 – Eligibility Request and Response Transaction Implementation</b> – This session provides information about the first HIPAA transaction being implemented by the IHCP and the associated HIPAA-mandated changes. The first transaction and the associated changes are as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 270/271 – Eligibility Request and Response transactions</li> <li>• Trading Partner Agreement</li> <li>• Amended Provider Agreement</li> </ul> <p>This course is designed to provide information about the 270/271 – Eligibility Request and Response transaction being implemented in April 2003.</p>
12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.	<p><b>Medicaid Select</b> – This session provides information about the newest IHCP program. Medicaid Select is a managed care program for the aged, blind, and disabled. The program ensures better access to necessary care for the Medicaid Select population. The session provides information about who is included in this population, how to recognize the population through eligibility, and the necessary steps a provider must take for referrals.</p>
1:45 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.	<p><b>270/271 – Eligibility Request and Response Transaction Implementation</b> – This session provides information about the first HIPAA transaction being implemented by the IHCP and the associated HIPAA-mandated changes. The first transaction and the associated changes are as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 270/271 – Eligibility Request and Response transactions</li> <li>• Trading Partner Agreement</li> <li>• Amended Provider Agreement</li> </ul> <p>This course is designed to provide information about the 270/271 – Eligibility Request and Response transaction being implemented in April 2003. <b>This session is a repeat of the 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. session.</b></p>

Table 1.2 – IHCP Workshop Locations

Workshop Date	Registration Deadline	Location
March 4, 2003	February 25, 2003	Norton Healthcare Pavilion Cramnet Auditorium 315 E. Broadway Louisville, KY 40202 Hospital parking garage charges \$7/day
March 11, 2003	March 4, 2003	Union Hospital ISU Auditorium 1606 N. 7 <sup>th</sup> St. Terre Haute, IN 47804
March 13, 2003	March 6, 2003	St. Catherine's Hospital Auditorium 4321 Fir St. East Chicago, IN 46312

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Table 1.2 – IHCP Workshop Locations

Workshop Date	Registration Deadline	Location
March 20, 2003	March 13, 2003	Deaconess Hospital Bernard Schnacke Auditorium 600 Mary St. Evansville, IN 47747
March 27, 2003	March 20, 2003	Lutheran Hospital Kachmann Auditorium 7950 W. Jefferson Blvd. Fort Wayne, IN 46804
April 4, 2003	March 28, 2003	St. Joseph Regional Medical Center Educational Center 801 E. LaSalle Ave. South Bend, IN 46634
April 10, 2003	April 3, 2003	Bloomington Hospital Auditorium 601 W. 2 <sup>nd</sup> St. Bloomington, IN 47403
April 17, 2003	April 10, 2003	Wishard Hospital Myers Auditorium 1001 W. 10 <sup>th</sup> St. Indianapolis, IN 46202
May 8, 2003	May 1, 2003	Wishard Hospital Myers Auditorium 1001 W. 10 <sup>th</sup> St. Indianapolis, IN 46202

## Additional 270/271 Information

The printed version of IHCP provider bulletin *BT200303, 270/271 – Eligibility Request and Response Transaction Implementation*, dated January 31, 2003, contains an incorrect date. *Table 1.4 – Suggested OMNI Download Schedule* on page 12 of the bulletin lists the final download date for providers with last names beginning between **U** and **Z** as October 31, 2003. The actual final download date for these providers is October 15, 2003. The Web version of this bulletin contains the correct information.

Bulletin *BT200303* also contains an incorrect phone number. *Table 1.3 – OMNI Equipment Pricing Information* on page 11 of the bulletin lists the toll free OMNI Help Desk number as 1-800-248-3548. The actual toll free OMNI Help Desk number is 1-800-284-3548. The Web version of this bulletin contains the correct information.

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Please **print** or **type** the information below and fax to (317) 488-5376.

IHCP Morning 270/271 Workshop Location				
Please indicate the workshop you will be attending:				
<input type="checkbox"/> Louisville, KY March 4, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> Terre Haute, IN March 11, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> East Chicago, IN March 13, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> Evansville, IN March 20, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> Fort Wayne, IN March 27, 2003
<input type="checkbox"/> South Bend, IN April 4, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> Bloomington, IN April 10, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> Indianapolis, IN April 17, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> Indianapolis, IN May 8, 2003	
IHCP Afternoon 270/271 Workshop Location				
Please indicate the workshop you will be attending:				
<input type="checkbox"/> Louisville, KY March 4, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> Terre Haute, IN March 11, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> East Chicago, IN March 13, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> Evansville, IN March 20, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> Fort Wayne, IN March 27, 2003
<input type="checkbox"/> South Bend, IN April 4, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> Bloomington, IN April 10, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> Indianapolis, IN April 17, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> Indianapolis, IN May 8, 2003	
IHCP Medicaid Select Workshop Location				
Please indicate the workshop you will be attending:				
<input type="checkbox"/> Louisville, KY March 4, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> Terre Haute, IN March 11, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> East Chicago, IN March 13, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> Evansville, IN March 20, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> Fort Wayne, IN March 27, 2003
<input type="checkbox"/> South Bend, IN April 4, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> Bloomington, IN April 10, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> Indianapolis, IN April 17, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> Indianapolis, IN May 8, 2003	
Registrant Information				
Name of Registrant:	_____			
Name of Registrant:	_____			
Registrant Point of Contact Information				
Provider Number:	_____			
Provider Name:	_____			
Provider Address:	_____			
City:	State:	ZIP:	_____	
Provider Telephone:	Provider Fax:	_____		
Provider E-Mail Address:	_____			

*Note: Seating for sessions is limited to two registrants per provider number. Registrants will be contacted prior to the workshop to confirm attendance. **Workshop registrations are accepted until the workshop deadline or until capacity is reached. Receipt of the fax does NOT guarantee registration. If EDS does not send a confirmation letter, the registration is NOT confirmed due to seating capacity.** Workshops are offered each quarter and information about future workshops is forthcoming. Direct any questions about workshops to the EDS provider representatives at (317) 488-5195.*