

HOW TO COMPLETE YOUR Out-of-Network Claim Form



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Get Your Out-of-Network Claim Processed Faster

Did you recently see a provider out of your plan's network? Start by checking your benefits book to make sure you have out-of-network coverage. If you submit an out-of-network claim form, it's important that Blue Cross Blue Shield of Arizona (BCBSAZ) receives key pieces of information from you to process your claim.



As you complete the form, you'll want to have your member ID card and the itemized statement from your provider handy.

REMEMBER

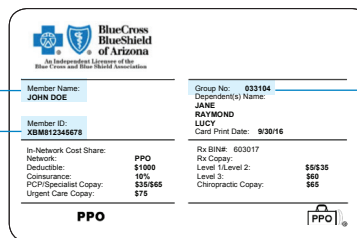
Out-of-network claims must be submitted within one year of the date of service to be eligible for benefit.



Your Personal Information and Insurance Policy Details

The key to getting your claim processed is providing accurate and complete information on your claim form. The top half of the claim form covers your personal information and your insurance coverage. Have your member ID card nearby.

HEALTH INSURANCE CLAIM FORM									
APPROVED BY NATIONAL UNIFORM CLAIM COMMITTEE (NUCCI) 02/12									
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> PICA <input type="checkbox"/> PICA <input type="checkbox"/> </div>									
LINE 1a 1. MEDICARE <input type="checkbox"/> MEDICAID <input type="checkbox"/> TRICARE <input type="checkbox"/> CHAMPVA <input type="checkbox"/> GROUP HEALTH PLAN <input type="checkbox"/> FECA <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER <input type="checkbox"/>	1a. INSURED'S ID NUMBER (For Program in Item 1)								
LINE 2 2. PATIENT'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial)	LINE 3 3. PATIENT'S BIRTH DATE MM : DD : YY		SEX M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>		LINE 4 4. INSURED'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial)				
LINE 3 5. PATIENT'S ADDRESS (No., Street)	LINE 6 6. PATIENT RELATIONSHIP TO INSURED Self <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Child <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>				LINE 7 7. INSURED'S ADDRESS (No., Street)				
LINE 4 CITY	STATE	LINE 8 8. RESERVED FOR NUCC USE			CITY		STATE		
LINE 6 ZIP CODE	TELEPHONE (Include Area Code)	()			ZIP CODE		TELEPHONE (Include Area Code)		
LINE 11 9. OTHER INSURED'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial)	a. OTHER INSURED'S POLICY OR GROUP NUMBER	b. RESERVED FOR NUCC USE	c. RESERVED FOR NUCC USE	d. INSURANCE PLAN NAME OR PROGRAM NAME	10. IS PATIENT'S CONDITION RELATED TO: a. EMPLOYMENT? (Current or Previous) YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	b. AUTO ACCIDENT? PLACE (State) YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	c. OTHER ACCIDENT? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	10d. CLAIM CODES (Designated by NUCC)	11. INSURED'S POLICY GROUP OR FECA NUMBER
LINE 11a a. INSURED'S DATE OF BIRTH MM : DD : YY	SEX M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>	b. OTHER CLAIM ID (Designated by NUCC)	c. INSURANCE PLAN NAME OR PROGRAM NAME	d. IS THERE ANOTHER HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	# Use complete items 9, 9a, and 9d.				



Insured's name (LINE 4)
ID number (LINE 1a)

Group number (LINE 11)

The key items on the form that MUST be completed are:

- LINE 1a** The insured's ID number (Member ID on your ID card)
- LINE 2** The patient's first and last name
- LINE 3** The patient's birthdate
- LINE 4** The insured's name (Member Name on your ID card)
- LINE 6** The patient's relationship to the insured
- LINE 11** The insured's policy group number (Group No. on your ID card)
- LINE 11a** The insured's birthdate

That's it for this part of the form!

Your Provider and Diagnosis Information

The bottom half of the claim form requests information about your provider and your illness or injury. An itemized statement from your provider will be key to filling out this information. If you have a question about your statement and how to use it to fill out this part of the form, contact your provider.

LINE 17	14. DATE OF CURRENT ILLNESS, INJURY OR PREGNANCY (LMP) MM DD YY QUAL		15. OTHER DATE QUAL MM DD YY		16. DATES PATIENT UNABLE TO WORK IN CURRENT OCCUPATION FROM MM DD YY TO MM DD YY						
	17. NAME OF REFERRING PROVIDER OR OTHER SOURCE		17a.	17b. NPI	18. HOSPITALIZATION DATES RELATED TO CURRENT SERVICES FROM MM DD YY TO MM DD YY						
LINE 21	19. ADDITIONAL CLAIM INFORMATION (Designated by NUCC)				20. OUTSIDE LAB? \$ CHARGES <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO						
	21. DIAGNOSIS OR NATURE OF ILLNESS OR INJURY Relate A-L to service line below (24E) ICD Ind.				22. RESUBMISSION CODE ORIGINAL REF. NO.						
LINE 24a	24. A. DATE(S) OF SERVICE		B. PLACE OF SERVICE	C. EMG	D. PROCEDURES, SERVICES, OR SUPPLIES (Explain Unusual Circumstances)	E. DIAGNOSIS POINTER	F. \$ CHARGES	G. DAYS OR UNITS	H. EPSTDY FAMILY PLAN	I. ID. QUAL	J. RENDERING PROVIDER ID. #
	FROM MM DD YY	TO MM DD YY									
	1										NPI
	2										NPI
	3										NPI
	4										NPI
	5										NPI
6											NPI
LINE 25	25. FEDERAL TAX I.D. NUMBER		SSN	EIN	26. PATIENT'S ACCOUNT NO.	27. ACCEPT ASSIGNMENT? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	28. TOTAL CHARGE \$	29. AMOUNT PAID \$	30. Rsvd for NUCC Use		
	31. SIGNATURE OF PHYSICIAN OR SUPPLIER INCLUDING DEGREE OR CREDENTIALS				32. SERVICE FACILITY LOCATION INFORMATION		33. BILLING PROVIDER INFO & PHONE # ()				
LINE 28											

The key items on the form that MUST be completed are:

- LINE 17** The name of your provider
- LINE 21** Your diagnosis—this will be a code (found on the statement from your provider). If there were multiple diagnoses, there are multiple codes.
- LINE 24a** Date of service—This is the date(s) you saw your provider.
- LINE 25** Your provider's tax ID number (found on the statement)
- LINE 28** Total charges (found on the statement)

That's it for this part of the form!



THAT'S IT!

Before submitting your form, double check that you have filled in these key pieces of information.

To submit your form, mail it to:

BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD OF ARIZONA
P.O. Box 2924
Phoenix, AZ 85002-2924

If we have any questions about your form, we'll contact you. Once your claim has been processed, you will receive an Explanation of Benefits confirming the claim was processed and what out-of-network benefit applies.

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QUESTIONS?

If you need additional help completing this form,
please call the number on the back of your ID card.



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