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MARYLAND MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Hospital Transmittal No. 266 Hospice Transmittal No. 16 Clinics Transmittal No. 71 Dialysis Facility Transmittal No. 02 Beacon Health Options No. 16 May 1, 2019

TO:

Hospitals

Hospice Facilities

Clinics

Dialysis Centers

Intermediate Care Facilities Residential Treatment Centers

FROM:

Jill Spector, Director JULA LOW Medical Benefits Management

RE:

UB04 Institutional Billing - Discontinued Use of Type of Bill Frequency Code 5

NOTE:

Please ensure that appropriate staff members in your organization are

informed of the contents of this transmittal.

Effective May 1, 2019, the Maryland Department of Health (the Department) will no longer accept the following bill types as a valid entry in Form Locator (FL) 04 of the UB04 claims form: 115, 125, 135, 145, 155, 165, 655, 725, 815, 825, and 865.

If the Type of Bill Frequency Code '5' is entered in FL 04 indicating a late charge(s) only claim, the claim will be denied with error code 138 for "Invalid Bill Type".

For supplemental payments on a previously paid claim, please complete and submit a MDH-4518A, Adjustment Form to the Adjustment Unit at:

Maryland Medical Assistance Program

Attention: Adjustment Section

P.O. Box 13045

Baltimore, MD 21203

If you have any questions, please contact a representative in the Provider Services Problem Resolution UB04 Billing Unit at 410-767-5457 for assistance.