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Provider Notice: #0005

Subject: Present On Admission (POA) Indicator

Effective 10/1/07, PartnershipAdvantage will require hospitals to report the Present On Admission (POA) Indicator on all inpatient facility claims. This is a Medicare billing requirement effective 10/1/07. For additional information on this reporting requirement, see the following Medicare website:

<http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNMattersArticles/downloads/MM5499.pdf>