

WHAIC Annual Training ~ Via Teams Mtg ~

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Agenda

- About us and Introductions
- Navigating the NEW Website and Manua
- Roles and Registration
- Data Types, Submissions, WIpop Overview
- Jennifer Mueller Data Analytics and Uses
- Portal Overview, Reports, Mapping and Affirmation
- Common File Issues and Edits
- Holiday Hours and Contact Information





About Us

- Mission Statement:
- WHA Information Center (WHAIC) is dedicated to collecting, analyzing and disseminating complete, accurate and timely data and reports about charges, utilization, quality and efficiency provided by Wisconsin hospitals, ambulatory surgery centers and other healthcare providers.
- WHAIC is a not-for-profit subsidiary of the Wisconsin Hospital Association (WHA)
- Contracted by the State of Wisconsin since 2003
- Began data collection in January 2004
- Our office is in Fitchburg (Southwest side of Madison)

About Us – why we do what we do!

Data Sets

- 84% of Wisconsin hospitals purchase data sets and/or custom data sets/reports from WHAIC
- Data is used for Price and Quality Transparency (PricePoint & CheckPoint)
- Data is used to help state and federal lawmakers develop public policies
- Hospitals and ASCs use discharge data collected by WHAIC to:
 - Review market share and market trends
 - Provide actual insights on health care outcomes
 - Cost and quality of care to support timely decision-making
 - Public safety and injury surveillance and prevention
 - Evaluate social and economic conditions of specific populations, cities or towns



Privacy and Security

WHAIC is not a covered entity under HIPAA

- We operate under the statutory authority of <u>Chapter 153</u>
- We take reasonable steps to avoid any data breaches including implementing safeguards & appropriately protecting e-PHI.
- When contacting us, follow your own HIPAA rules and practices. Only send the minimum necessary to perform our research. Never send patient names, SSN or entire medical records.



We will take steps to notify your privacy or compliance officer of potential breaches to allow your organization the opportunity to address the situation.



https://www.whainfocenter.com/



The Respected Source for Health Care Data

Search

Data Products Analytics

Data Submitters

Provider Services

Transparency

COVID-19

Wisconsin Hospital Association has been monitor ing the most up-to-date infomation on the COVID-19 outbreak. Click here to view WHA

Information Center COVID-19 Situational Awareness Update.

See the Latest WHA PSA!

Another WHA-Sponsored COVID public message highlighting mask wearing, hand washing and social distancing.









Upcoming Events



WIpop Data Submission Extended Deadline - Q2 2020 September 18, 2020



OH YEA – It's NEW!!!

Data Submitters

WHA Information Center (WHAIC) has been collecting hospital, ASC and survey discharge data as authorized by the Wisconsin Dep Administration, since 2003 as defined by Chapter 153, Wisconsin Statutes.

Inpatient and outpatient data is collected quarterly through a secure, web-based tool known as **Wipop** to produce public use data sets, custom data sets and three annual publications.

In addition, all Wisconsin hospitals submit Annual, Fiscal, Personnel and Uncompensated Care survey data annually. Data collected from these surveys are used for trending, benchmarking, and other key statistics.

For more information and access to the WIpop or Survey Data Submission Manuals, calendars, training materials, and other updates click on one of the pictures below.

Reporting Requirements







Important Dates & Events

Additional Resources

Wisconsin Statutes, Chapter 153

September

WIpop Data Submission Extended Deadline -

Website Resources

Wlpop

Wisconsin 'WIpop' data collection is based on a modified HIPAA Compliant 837 claim file format. The Hospital and Ambulatory Surgery Center Manual's provided below will serve as the cornerstone to help facilities develop accurate high-quality claims files that include data elements not found or reported on the actual claim, but required for requirements.

Not only is the discharge data provided statutorily required, it allows WHAIC to create reports that help hospitals and ASCs grow their organizations market share, benchmark quality, aide in healthcare cost and utilization projects and help state and federal government services develop policies and more.

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Education & Training Data Submission
Calendar

New Facility/Services

Data Submission Calendar

Standard Deadline fix Edits & Mark QTR Complete	2/28	Standard Deadline <u>fix Edits</u> & Mark QTR Complete	5/29			
Extended Deadline - Due Date for Data Submission	3/6	Extended Deadline - Due Date for Data Submission	6/5			
Extended Deadline for Edits & Quarter Complete	3/20	Extended Deadline for Edits & Quarter Complete	6/19			
❖ Validation Reports in Portal – review data!	3/26	Validation Reports in Portal – review data!	6/26			
Deadline to Validate Discharge Data	4/9	Deadline to Validate Discharge Data	7/10			
DUE DATE: Electronic Data Affirmation	4/15	DUE DATE: Electronic Data Affirmation	7/17			
Data Released	4/27	Data Released 7				
2020 Q2 Data Submission		2020 Q3 Data Submission				
Standard Data Submission Deadline – Data Due	8/14	Standard Data Submission Deadline – Data Due	11/13			
Standard Deadline fix Edits & Mark QTR Complete	8/28	Standard Deadline fix Edits & Mark QTR Complete	11/27			
Extended Deadline - Due Date for Data Submission	9/4	Extended Deadline - Due Date for Data Submission	12/4			
Ext. Deadline <u>fix Edits</u> & Mark QTR Complete	9/18	Ext. Deadline <u>fix Edits</u> & Mark QTR Complete	12/18			
❖ Validation Reports in Portal – review data!	9/25	♦ Validation Reports in Portal – review data!	12/23			
Deadline to Validate Discharge Data	10/9	Deadline to Validate Discharge Data	1/11			
DUE DATE: Electronic Data Affirmation	10/16	DUE DATE: Electronic Data Affirmation	1/15			
Data Released	10/27	Data Released	1/26			

* Physician Review Reports posted in Portal for review, as applicable.

Roles and RESPONIBILITIES

WIpop Roles – assigned by the facility to manage and oversee the timely data submissions, corrections, comments and affirmations.

Three main roles

- Primary
- Secondary
- Wipop Users



https://portal.whainfocenter.com/Account/Login.aspx

WIpop Requirements

- WE does not add new users
- Users must register online through the portal
- Maintain prompt and responsive contact with WHAIC staff
- The WIpop site is for authorized users only. Registered users agree use of WIpop and Secure Portal system without authority, or in excess of your authority, is strictly prohibited.
- http://www.whainfocenter.com/Data-Submitters/WiPop/Hospitals/Appendix 710.pdf



Roles and Responsibilities

The Primary Contact will:

- Oversee and monitor access requirements in Wipop.
- Contact WHAIC with any user changes.
- Serve as primary contact to address issues with the data submissions.
- Receive confirmation emails of:
 - data submissions,
 - notice of affirmation, and
 - newly registered WIpop Users
- Have access to the data deliverables site to download/share the facility data.
- Receive all profile and validation reports for review, distribution, and accuracy;
- Have access to the Provider Based Location (PBL) table *if applicable;
- Receive (share) the Present on Admission (POA) report *if applicable;
- Authority to electronically sign and submit affirmation statement.



Roles and Responsibilities

Secondary Contact will:

- Oversee and monitor access requirements in WIpop and contact WHAIC with changes
- Receive all profile and validation reports for review, distribution, and accuracy.
- Have access to the data deliverables site to validate/download the facility data.
- Serve as back up contact when there are issues with the data.

WIpop Only Role will:

- Have authority to upload data.
- Run reports out of Wipop.
- Clear/fix edits.



Registration as easy as 1,2,3

- 1. Register
- 2. Pick Role
- 3. WHAIC activates access within 24-48 hours

3) Register for WIpop: Choose either "WIpop" or select "Facility-Specific Reports" for a Primary or Secondary User Role.

Primary or secondary contacts must select both the WIpop and Facility-Specific boxes

Please check the box(es) below which apply to you (click underlined links for more information):

Register For

Definition

Lwill be submitting and/or editing Wisconsin hospital or ambulatory surgery center discharge data
Check this box if you are registering as a:

** Wipop Primary or Secondary Contact (also check Wipop above)
** Recipient of Quality Reports

Annual Hospital Survey

| Sawbit Verify, review and/or sign off on the annual surveys including Hospital Fiscal Survey. Uncor and Medicare Cost Report Surveys
| Will be using the Kaavio data analysis tool

ser access can be upgraded / downgraded anytime, primary contact emails WHAIC whainfocenter@wha.org with instructions.

If you checked "Facility - Specific Reports" this applies to you. Scroll through the list of job roles and pick the most appropriate role for your access. A list of facilities will be presented. Check the facility(s) for which you submit or correct data and click Next:

Specify your Job Role(s)...

□ Quality: SOW 11 Potentially Preventable
Readmissions
□ Quality: SOW 12A Continuation of PfP Reports
□ Quality: SOW 8 Hospital-Acquired Conditions
□ Quality: SOW 9 Readmissions Across Hospitals
□ Wlpop Primary Contact
□ Wlpop Secondary Contact

Choose either Primary or Secondary Contact

To Register to WIpop

Success!

*WHAIC cannot add users to WIpop. All users must register through the secured WIpop portal site.

1) To register, open site https://portal.whainfocenter.com in your web browser and click "Register":



A prompted phrase will display on the screen to defeat automated registrations.





Please choose a site:

Wlpop Production
Wlpop Test



Roles and Authorized Users



WIpop Production

Welcome to WIpop Production

Select a Facility: 1000: WHA Information Center LLC (Madison) >

Go to Batch Review

Wipop (pronouced WHYPOP) has two secured databases. This site is the <u>Production Site</u> used to <u>Submit/Upload</u> and FIX edits in your quarterly discharge data. To Test your data for errors/ommissions, please use the Test Site.

*WHAIC accepts discharge data in a HIPAA Compliant 837 Claims File Format only *

WHAC is accepting data for:

3rd Quarter 2019 (July 1 - September 30 dates of service) Due Date: 11/15

4th Quarter 2019 (October 1 - December 31 dates of service) Due Date: 2/14

Hospitals and ASCs must have at least one Primary Contact to serve as WHAIC's main contact.

The $\underline{\textit{primary contact}}$ assumes responsibility for the quarterly files and Affirmation Statement.

→ Review WHAIC website: Data Submitters Tab and/or the Compliance and Information Center Updates

→ Validation, Edits, Batch Details and Affirmation requirements: Section 6. of the Manual https://www.whainfocenter.com/uploads/PDFs/Wlpop837_Manual/Section6.pdf

→ The FAQ section in the online manual is a useful resource that should be used often .



Notes:

- The facility is responsible for managing users. Notify Suzy or Cindy to remove users, update current access, or update names/emails.
- 2. Review Roles definition before registering.
- 3. To add users, the person must register via the portal and we will authorize.
 - In general we automatically approve if user has facility email address!

Wipop Users:

Please take a moment to review your facilities list of WIpop Users or Vendor(s) authorized to access the WHAIC secure WIpop System. Should any of the names listed no longer require access to WIpop, please contact whainfocenter@wha.org, as it is the facilities responsibility to notify WHAIC with any staff updates or corrections.

Click here for the Roles definition

First Name	Last Name	Email Address	Role
Cindy	Case	ccase@wha.org	Primary
Suzanne	Staudenmayer	sstaudenmayer@wha.org	Primary
James	Cahoy	jcahoy@wha.org	Secondary

Verify Users Often! https://portal.whainfocenter.com/Account/Login.aspx



What Type of Data do we Collect?

WHAIC collects the following discharge data each quarter:

- 1) Inpatient discharge data from hospitals (admit through discharge)
- 2) Emergency department data from hospitals (ER/ED)
- 3) Ambulatory / outpatient surgery data (OPS)
- 4) Observation data (OBS)
- 5) Other hospital outpatient data (OHO)
 - Therapies Physical, Respiratory, Occupational, Speech, etc.
 - Lab/Radiology diagnostic & routine lab, nuclear med, CT, MRI
 - Other outpatient data urgent care, pulmonology, oncology, etc: and
 - Provider-based billing /location (PBB/L) data (AKA OHO)

<u>Include patient records for</u> which the hospital or ASC may or may not generate an electronic claim, such as <u>self-pay</u>, <u>research cases and charity care</u>.



What Type of Data is Excluded?



We do not accept data from:

- Skilled Nursing Facilities (SNF)
- Intermediate Care Facilities (custodial care for person's unable to care for themselves – mental disability)
- Religious Institutions (Lutheran Social Services, Catholic Charities)
- Hospice Facility (hospitals are not to send expired hospice encounters – skews quality data)
- Residential Facility (full/half day treatment center for AODA, facility for disabled persons/adult day care, etc.)
- Other Specialty Facilities not listed in statute
- Physician Professional fees clinic data (unless PBL)



Secure Transmission of data

Web Data Submission Process ensures a secure application by:

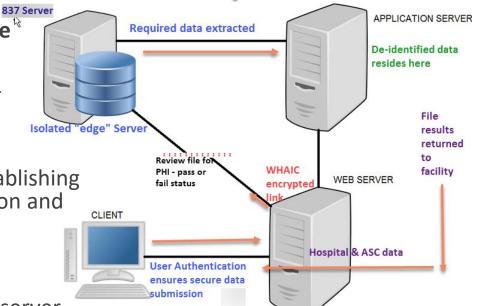
 User authentication to verify identity of user and determine access rights

Secure Sockets Layer (SSL) certificate for establishing encrypted link between the WIpop application and browser clients

Database server encryption

 837 files are uploaded to an isolated "edge" server, where only the necessary data is extracted and transferred to WIpop Application Server

 Compliance checks are in place to process deidentified data in files.







Discharge Data Files

Patient encounter data is submitted using an 837 Electronic Data Interface (EDI) claims file.

What does that mean? An 837 file is the standard format to transmit health care claims electronically between health care providers and payers.

Biggest challenge for hospitals using an 837 claims file~

- Creating a "dummy" claim for self-pay patients
- Vendor time and costs during the initial set-up or adding fields
- Capturing details (WHAIC Specifications) from EHR NOT on the claim (R/E, UCID, ECID, & payer mapping details)

❖Why do we use this format?

- Use of a standard format means very little customization and reduces cost.
- Fewer edits!
- Allows WHAIC to evolve, act and expand use of datasets more efficiently.



8371 Sample File Reference

Loop	Element / Reference	Field Description	R, S, O	Values/Mapping Comments	WIpop Field Name/ Field Notes
0000	ISA06	Interchange Sender ID (3 digit)	R	Use 3-digit Facility ID assigned by WHAIC. Example: Osceola Medical Center is '102' WHAIC Facility ID - Appendix 7.1 Facility List	Must match GS02 & 1000A/NM109
	ISA08	Receiver ID	O R	Submitter choice: leave blank or use WHAIC837	Optional field
	GS02	Application Sender's Code	О	Use 3-digit Facility ID assigned by WHAIC. See Appendix 7.1 Facility List Example: Osceola Medical Center is '102' WHAIC Facility ID	ISA06, GS02 and 1000A/NM109 must match.
	GS03	Application Receiver's Code	0	Submitter choice: leave blank or use WHAIC837	Optional field
0000	ST03	Implementation Guide Version	R	005010X223A2	Required but not stored

LOOP ID 1000A/B and 2010AA Submitter and Billing (HOSPITAL / ASC) Detail

LOOP 1000A: SUBMITTER NAME

NM1*41*2*SAMPLE HOSPITAL*****46*333~

PER*IC*SUBMITTER NAME*TE*6142222222~

LOOP 1000B: RECEIVER NAME

NM1*40*2*WHAIC*****46*WHAIC 837~

1000A	NM101	Entity ID code	0	41 = Submitter	
1000A	NM102	Entity Type Qualifier	R	"2" – non-person entity	
1000A	NM103	Organization Name	0	Vendor name, Hospital or ASC name	
1000A	NM108	Identification Code Qualifier	R	46	



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837I Sample file with WHAIC-defined fields notated – Institutional Format Q3 2019 changes in red

ISA*00*	*00*	*ZZ*333	*ZZ*WHAIC	*040117*1253*^*00501*000000905*0*P*:~
FUNCTION GRO GS*HC*333*		*20170401*080	2*1*X*005010X223A	2~ Facility 3 digit
TRANSACTION ST*837*0021 BHT*0019*00	*005010X	223A2 ~ 20170205*1023	*CH~	Code
	SAMPLE	NAME H OSPITAL *** NAME*TE*614		
LOOP 1000B: R NM1*40*2*V		AME *** 46*WHAI (2837~	
LOOP 2000A: B HL*1**20*1		OVIDER HIERARG	CHICAL LEVEL	Facility NPI
	SAMPLE I AIN ST~ N*WI*537		OVID*****XX*9876	5543210~
HL*2*1*22* SBR*P**CER	1~ TNUM222	HIERARCHICAI	Claim Filing Indicator Coc	
N3*236 N MANA*MADISO	NULL*** AIN ST~ N*WI*537	**MI*3CFD1B	scriber Race. Ethnicity	8C439FEC42475B9ADBEC7B91A6926DACF0F45BE269F-S530J- Subscriber Language
LOOP 2010BB: 1 NM1*PR*2* REF*NF*6211	PRIMAR	ME Y PAYER**** ayer ID / NAIC#	*P1*A21-09~	Payer Name



Create 0 more Additional Diagnosis Record(s) 2

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ent Control #T	est record - Outpatient Su	rgery	Update		Assigned by	y WHAIC	
ncrypted Case ID: nique Case ID: ensus Block Group: Create Encrypted	MRN: Zip Code Birth Dat			Race: Ethnicity: Race 2:	Patient Type Place of Ser	=	
PI Billing Provider: endering NPI:	Attending NPI: Operating NPI: Other Operating NPI	Expected Source of Pa Secondary Source of Pa Insurance Certificate	Payment ID/Type:		Claim File Indic Code Prov Based Loc: Payer / NAIC#:		
oint of Origin: dmit Type: ischarge Status: /pe of Bill: eave Days:	Admission Date/Time: Discharge Date/Time: Statement From: Statement To/Thru: Total Charges: 0.00	Principal Diagnosis: Admitting Diagnosis: Reason for Visit Diagnosis 1: Reason for Visit Diagnosis 2: Reason for Visit Diagnosis 3:	Principal Diagnosis Principal Procedur Principal Procedur Principal Procedur	e:	Condition Code Condition Code Condition Code Condition Code Accident State	e 2: e 3: e 4:	
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alue Code 3:	Value Code 3 Amount: Value Code 4 Amount:		currence Code 3 Start:	===	currence Code 3 End:		

Data Submission

- Once the data has been submitted an email will be sent with a summary of total records and edits in each datatype.
- Please correct edits as soon as possible.
- Wait to mark complete until all invalid records are fixed.

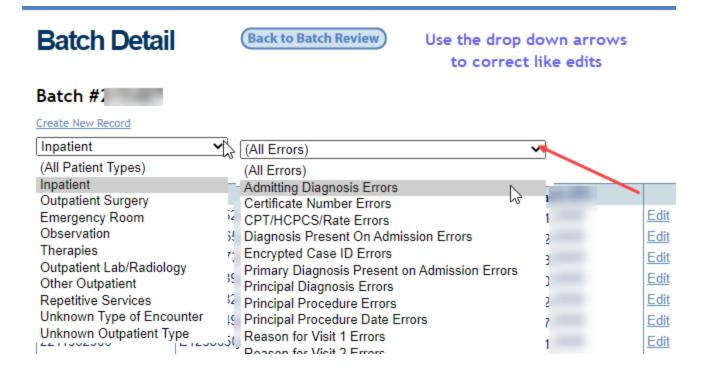
3rd Quarter, 2020 (Standard Data Due Date: 11/14/2020)

Correct edits as soon as possible.

Upload Batch File	Data Enter Nev	w Batch							
	Patient Type		Total Records	Valid Records	Invalid Records			Available Options	
BATCH #: 2	Inpatient		166	165	1	<u>View</u>	Add	<u>Delete</u>	
(Uploaded 10/9/2020)	Outpatient Surgery	Generally not a	966	964	2	View	Add	<u>Delete</u>	
	Emergency Room	good idea to hit	978	976	2	<u>View</u>	Add	<u>Delete</u>	
Delete Entire Patch	Observation		100	98	2	<u>View</u>	Add	<u>Delete</u>	
Delete Entire Batch	Therapies	mark complete till	830	829	1	View	Add	<u>Delete</u>	
	Outpatient Lab/Radiology edits are done. Other Outpatient		2391	2390	1	<u>View</u>	Add	<u>Delete</u>	
			116	116	0	<u>view</u>	Add	<u> Delete</u> →	Mark Complete

Fixing edits

Fixing edits



Marking your batch files complete

1st Quarter, 20 Upload Batch File	20 (Standard Data Due Date: 05/15/2020) Data Enter New Batch	Mark	your batc	h complete	_	and the same	valid records	/edits
	Patient Type	Total Records	Valid Records	Invalid Records			Available Options	
	Inpatient	190	190	0	View	Add	<u>Delete</u>	Mark Complete
(Uploaded 3/23/2020)	Outpatient Surgery	343	343	0	View	Add	<u>Delete</u>	Mark Complete
Mark Batch Complete	Emergency Room	671	671	0	View	Add	<u>Delete</u>	Mark Complete
	Observation	16	16	0	View	Add	<u>Delete</u>	Mark Complete
Delete Entire Batch	Therapies	737	737	0	View	Add	<u>Delete</u>	Mark Complete
	Outpatient Lab/Radiology	1798	1798	0	View	Add	<u>Delete</u>	Mark Complete
	Other Outpatient	369	369	0	View	<u>Add</u>	<u>Delete</u>	Mark Complete

Be sure to mark your batch complete once all the edits are done.





Let's talk about why you do what you do



WHA Information Center: DATA & Analytics

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About Us: WHA Information Center

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State hands off

WHAIC

data collection to

January

2004



Health Care Modernization Act signed into law

2019

COVID-19 Situational *Awareness* Dashboard created



created

1989

Chapter 153





October

























Information Center Data

Discharge/Claim Data Collected

- Hospital discharge claims (153)
- Ambulatory Surgery Centers (80)
 - Quarterly data submission/collection (3,000,000 records/qtr)

Data not collected

- Professional/clinic:
- Pharmacy
- DME
- Nursing facilities

Annual Survey Data/Collected

- Annual Survey of Hospitals
- Hospital Fiscal Survey
- Medicare Cost Report
- Personnel Survey
- Uncompensated Health Care Survey
- Hospital Rate Increases

How the Data is Used

- Publications (Mandate)
 - Guide to Wisconsin Hospitals
 - Health Care Data Report
 - Uncompensated Health Care in Wisconsin Hospitals
 - Hospital Rate Increases
- Workforce Analysis & Predictions
- Quality Report/Quality Improvement
 - Readmission rates
 - Potentially Preventable Readmissions
 - Hospital Acquired Conditions penalties
 - Other specific adverse events
- Analytics
 - Kaavio
 - PricePoint
 - CheckPoint
 - Other analytics/custom requests



- Transparent, relevant quality data
- Measures across a variety of topics
- First of its kind in the nation, shared by 3 other states
- Focus for payers, legislators, public and provider communities





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CheckPoint delivers reliable reports designed to support health care decisions and assist Wisconsin hospitals with quality improvement activities.

Hospital Report Compare Hospitals Resources Hospital Login

Compare Hospitals - Mortality - Conditions

All hospitals are selected by default, or you can choose one or more for a custom report.

Clear All

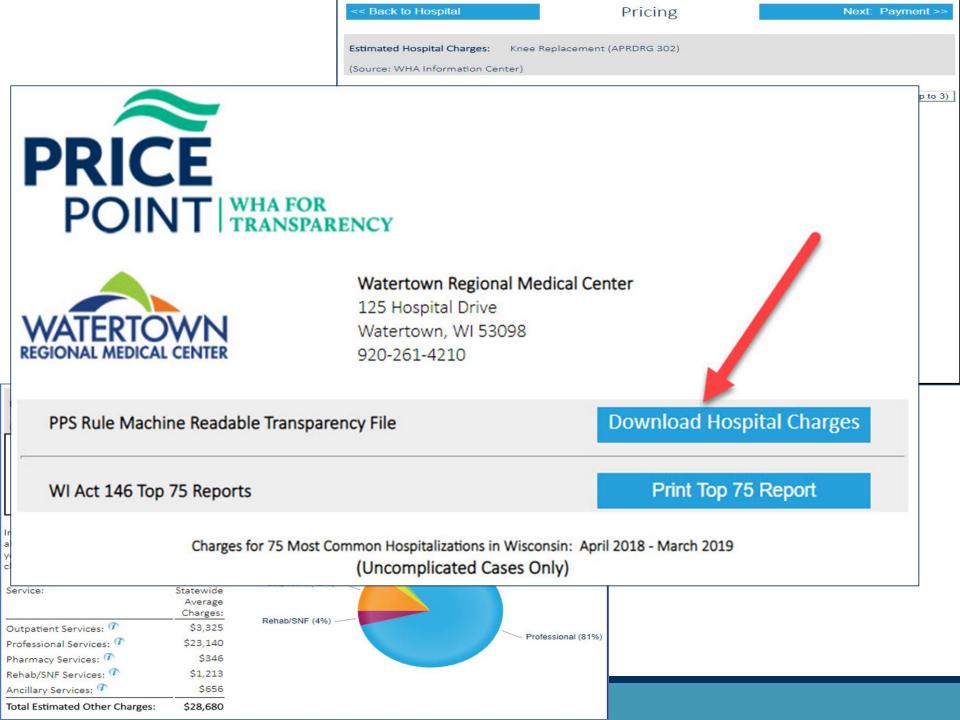
Submit

Generated: Thursday, August 27, 2020

Print Export to Excel Show Rates

	Acute Stroke	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease	Gastrointestinal Hemorrhage	1 Heart Attack	1 Heart Failure	Hip Fracture	1 Pneumonia
National Average		8.5		12.9	11.5		15.6
State Average	5.78	8.7	2.42	12.9	12.2	1.22	16.1
State Benchmark							
Desired Direction	Lower is Better	Lower is Better	Lower is Better	Lower is Better	Lower is Better	Lower is Better	Lower is Better
Report Period	1/1/2019 - 12/31/2019	7/1/2015 - 6/30/2018	1/1/2019 - 12/31/2019	7/1/2015 - 6/30/2018	7/1/2015 - 6/30/2018	1/1/2019 - 12/31/2019	7/1/2015 - 6/30/2018
Hospital †	● Acute Stroke ↓↑	① Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease ↓↑	 	⊕ Heart Attack ↓↑	● Heart Failure ↓↑	① Hip Fracture 11	⊕ Pneumonia ↓↑
Hospital 1	±	DNR	±	DNR	DNR	DNR	DNR
Hospital 2	±	煮煮盒	±	±	★★ ☆	±	**
Hospital 3	***	★★ ☆	★★☆	★★☆	★★ ☆	**☆	黄黄☆





Surgeon General, CMS Tell Hospitals/Health Care... Delay Non-Emergency Procedures

March 16 - "Hospital & healthcare systems, PLEASE CONSIDER STOPPING ELECTIVE PROCEDURES until we can #FlattenTheCurve!"

- US Surgeon General Jerome Adams

March 18 – CMS releases guidance/directives to hospitals telling to delaying all non-essential surgeries and procedures

- CMS Administrator Seema Verma







Hospitals must stop elective surgeries to flatten the curve

BY BONNIE STABILE, OPINION CONTRIBUTOR — 03/20/20 10:30 AM EDT THE VIEWS EXPRESSED BY CONTRIBUTORS ARE THEIR OWN AND NOT THE VIEW OF THE HILL



COVID19 affecting service reduction...



Screening delays create concerns of an impending wave of new cancer diagnoses

MAY 19, 2020 | BY CTCA



Routine cancer screenings have plummeted during the pandemic, medical records data show

By REBECCA ROBBINS @rebeccadrobbins / MAY 4, 2020



COVID-19 significantly impacts health services for noncommunicable diseases

1 June 2020 | News release

DOCTORS

The New York Times

Finding, and Curing, Cancers May Be Another Casualty of Coronavirus

As the death tolls rise to the coronavirus pandemic, those of us who specialize in oncology are bracing for another wave of victims: People not yet diagnosed with cancer.



Impacts of Deferred Care: Preventative care

- Mammography (ICD-10 Code: Z1231)
 - Volume change: -70.7% (54,600)
 - Charge change: -69.8% (\$24.2 million)
- Colon screening (ICD-10 Code: Z1211)
 - Volume change: -78.2% (19,373)
 - Charge change: -79.4 (\$93.7 million)

Primary Diagnosis: Neoplasm-related encounters

 2019 Volume:
 129,996
 2019 Charges:
 \$181,161,247

 2020 Volume:
 37,468
 2020 Charges:
 \$48,018,134

 Volume Change:
 -92,528
 Charges Change:
 (\$133,143,113)

 Volume Change Percent:
 -71.2%
 Charges Change Percent:
 -73.5%

5.1% of 2019 Volume 2019 Self Pay Percent: **0.6**% **1.7**% of 2019 Charges 2020 Self Pay Percent: **0.7**%

Top 10 Codes	2019 Count	2020 Count	Change	2019 Charges	2020 Charges	Charges Change %
Z1231-Encntr screen mammogram for malignant neoplasm of breast	77,229	22,629	-70.796	\$34,782K	\$10,506K	-69.8%
Z1211-Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of colon	24,761	5,388	-78.2%	\$118,057K	\$24,327K	-79.4%
Z09-Encntr for f/u exam aft trtmt for cond oth than malig neoplm	8,573	2,670	-68.9%	\$10,151K	\$3,474K	-65.8%
Z08-Encntr for follow-up exam after trtmt for malignant neoplasm	8,467	2,520	-70.2%	\$9,901K	\$5,614K	-43.3%
Z122-Encntr screen for malignant neoplasm of respiratory organs	3,484	998	-71.4%	\$3,150K	\$897K	-71.5%
Z124-Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of cervix	2,935	840	-71.4%	\$1,071K	\$356K	-66.7%
Z125-Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of prostate	2,166	1,419	-34.5%	\$1,026K	\$747K	-27.2%
Z483-Aftercare following surgery for neoplasm	976	340	-65.2%	\$1,098K	\$957K	-12.9%
Z1283-Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of skin	827	164	-80.2%	\$325K	\$69K	-78.8%
Z1239-Encounter for oth screening for malignant neoplasm of breast	310	411	32.6%	\$1,036K	\$863K	-16.7%



Impacts of Deferred Care: Quality of Life

Cataracts: (CPT Code: 66984) •Volume: -76.7% (6,822) •Charge: -75.1% (\$58.1 million) Left Hip (ICD-10 Code: OSRB04A) ■Volume: -84.6% (509) **■**Charge: -84.5% (\$24.9 million) Right Hip (ICD-10 Code: 0SR904A) ■Volume: -82.3% (592) ■Charge: -81.6% (\$24.6 million) Left Knee (ICD-10 Code: OSRDOJ9) •Volume: -82.7% (1,005) •Charge: -82.5% (\$47.9 million) Right Knee (ICD-10 Code: OSRCOJ9) •Volume: -80.9% (936) •Charge:-79.8% (\$43.0 million)

COVID Impacts

- Covid Dashboard nearly 1 million hits!
- Yes, YOUR DATA MATTERS!



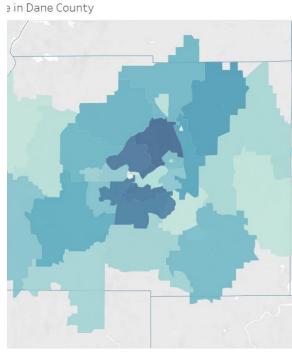
Wisconsin Hospital Association has been monitoring the most up-to-date information on the COVID-19 outbreak. **Click here** to view WHA Information Center COVID-19 Situational Awareness Update.



Other projects going on...

- Community Health Needs Assessment Map
- COVID19 "hot spot" Map

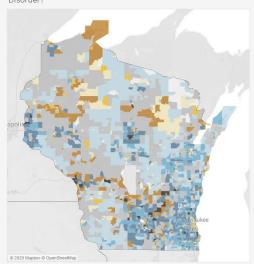
Group in Dane County



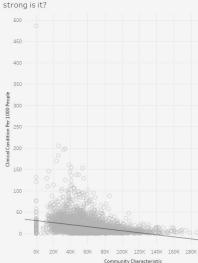
Census and Diagnosis Data Explorer

Are there relationships between certain community characteristics and clinical conditions?

Where are census block groups located with high or low Median Household Income and primary diagnosis of Substance Related Disorder?



Is there a relationship between Median Household Incorprimary diagnosis of Substance Related Disorder, and strong is it?



KAAVIO

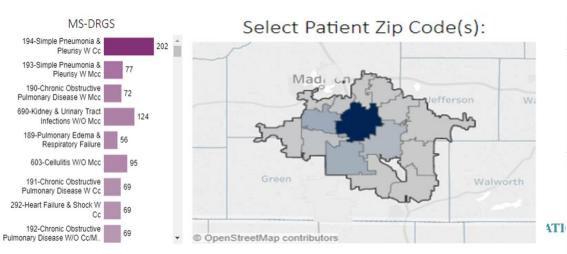


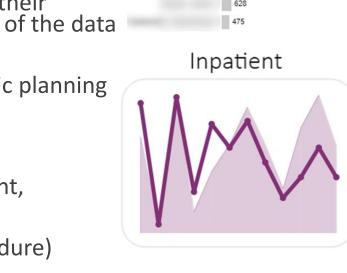
- A data visualization tool to help WHA hospitals and health systems gain crucial insights into areas including:
 - population health, utilization, patient access, geographic distribution and market share.
- Users can easily interact with the Wisconsin discharge data- applying filters, refining parameters, and adding criteria.
 - The changes are instantly reflected in the data and presented in meaningful graphics that allow users to detect patterns, trends, outliers, and relationships that can help users make important decisions.



Diving Deeper...

- KAAVIO allows users the ability to drill down further into the data by applying filters and refining parameters to find the answers to key questions within the organization
- Hospitals can better prepare for the future and project their progress moving forward by having a clear visualization of the data through KAAVIO
- Hospitals can benefit from market share data in strategic planning and development through trending data and reports
- Review of outliers (charges)
- Trending data in different parts of the hospital. (inpatient, outpatient, ED)
- Physician analysis (by utilization, by diagnosis, by procedure)





Facility 2

Facility

Top Physicians

5,954

w Group 2	Row Group 3	Ł	Primary Measure	Secondary Measure	Primary Measure	Secondary Measure
dominal Hemia	Medical Assistance		35	7,039	56	8,790
	Medicare		206	7,098	264	8,406
	Other Government		9	14,052	13	5,093
	Other or Unknown		2	19,767	2	9,856
	Private Insurance		466	8,447	509	9,610
	Self-Pay		7	10,100	10	9,195
dominal Pain	Medical Assistance		206	2,212	592	2,151
	Medicare		390	3,500	803	2,606
	Other Government		23	2,295	58	2,209
	Other or Unknown		14	2,016	1	434
	Private Insurance		1,053	2,748	2,341	1,796
	Self-Pay		60	2,814	181	2,416

The future of: Data...Data...Data...

- Minnesota border county and WI residents seen in MN...COMPLETE
- Illinois...WI resident seen in IL...in process
- Michigan border counties...in process
- Salary Survey Data
- Medicare FFS claims
 - Qualified Entity (QE) Status granted fall 2019

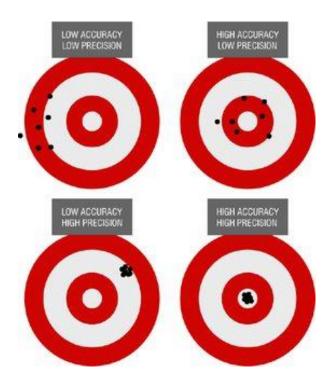


Wisconsin Medicaid Data



Thank you, Jennifer!

Well now that we know how the data is used let's continue!





Portal Overview

To get to the portal, make sure you have Data Deliverable option



Welcome sstaudenmayer8! [Log Out]

Please choose a site:

WIpop Production

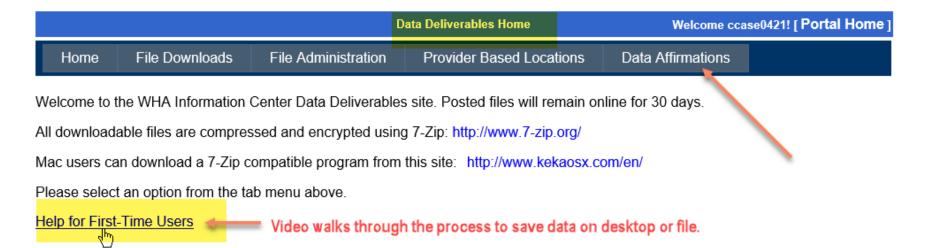
WIpop Test

Data Deliverables



Portal Overview

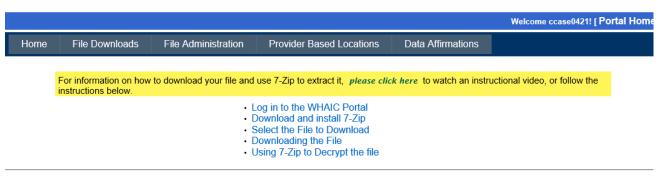
To get to your Validation Reports and Affirmation Statement



For those of you reviewing the WIpop Data Submission Reports: If you do not see a report that you are expecting, contact the WHA Information Center as your contact roles may need to be modified in the Portal.



Downloading Data and Affirmation



1. Log in to the WHAIC Portal and click on the **Data Deliverables** option. Please note that you may not have all the options shown, depending on your particular portal authorizations.

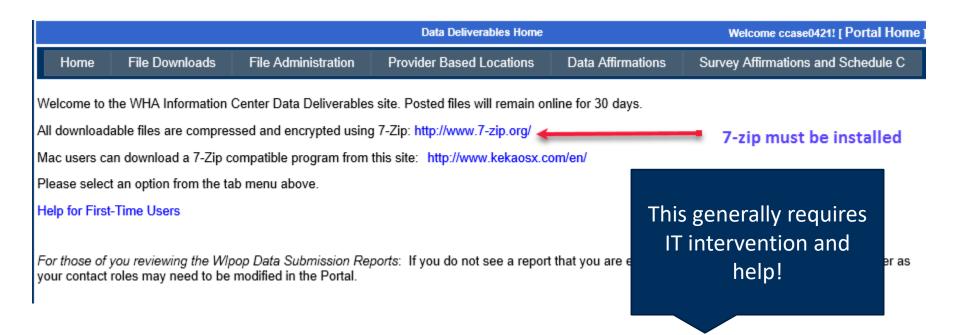


Download and install 7-Zip if you do not already have it. Check with your IT staff to see whether you need the 32-bit or 64-bit version. You can also right-click on the computer icon on your desktop and select Properties. Under System you can see whether you have a 32 or 64-bit system.



Downloading Data and Affirmation

You must have 7-zip installed or AES 256 compatible software to download the reports. Click the link next to the red arrow below to begin the process of installing 7-zip.



Validation Report Overview

				Welcome ccase	:0421! [Portal Home]		
Home	File Downloads File Administration		Provider Based Locations		ns Da	ta Affirmations	
Search For:	n For: Search					Freque	ntly Asked Questions
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TIP: Keep reports for at 2 years or min of 5 quarters

Validation Reports

- Available in the portal at the end of the quarter once all batches are marked complete.
 - These are also available in real-time in WIpop once data is submitted.
 - Review the data, what historically trended, validate what has been submitted, review for missing data, and submit additional records, if needed.
 - Run internal census or audit reports for comparison detail.
- Records that may need to be reviewed / corrected (Payor, POS or TOB):
 - 1) *Be sure to open Batch File first.
 - 2) Login to WIpop account and go to Batch Review;
 - 3) Click on Reopen Batch (choose reason from drop down list);
 - 4) Go to Batch/Reports and Find Patient Record using the patient control number.;
 - 5) Make corrections and mark batch closed.
- New reports will automatically run and repost you will need to resend or sign the affirmation if one was already returned.



Running WIpop Reports

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Admin

Batch/Reports

Help

Exit

Create Report

Report:

Data Integrity Report

Missing Months Report

Payer Count Report

PBL Count Report

Detail Error Report Error Summary Report

Error Summary Report By Patient Type and PControl

Inventory Report

Inpatient Stay Under 2 Days Report

Duplicate Procedures Report

Present On Admission Report

Unknown Paver Report

Summary Profile Report

Admin: Facilities Missing Data Report

Highlights:

ASCs should run the Data Integrity and Payer Count Report after submitting data and correcting edits.

Some reports take longer to run then others i.e. the Summary Profile Report.

2018/2019 WIPOP DATA SUBMISSION REPORTS AND DESCRIPTIONS

Batch Upload and File Reports:

Detail Error Report: A complete record with list of the errors found by patient control number. On the report, "Record #" is synonymous with patient control number. The report is sorted by patient type if "(All Records with Edits)" is selected on the report menu, and then by patient control number.

Error Summary Report: A summary of the total number of records submitted, the batch number, date the records were submitted, and errors by count, error code and the error description.

Error Summary Report by Patient Type and Patient Control: By data type (INP, OPS, OBS, ED, etc.), data with errors by count, error code, the error description and the patient control number.

Inventory Report: This report identifies by data type - the place of service, payer codes and patient control number on each line item.

Possible Missing Months:

This report produces results ONLY if the facility is missing a significant portion of data for any month of the quarter.

Discharge Data Quarter-End Validation Reports

Summary Profile Report: The summary profile report is available in real-time once a batch is uploaded into WIpop and included with your quarter-end validation files. The purpose of this report is to provide you the tools you need to review, analyze and validate your quarterly discharge data submission against the number of patients seen and prior quarter submissions.

Data Integrity Report:

The Data Integrity Report is available in real-time and contains data without edits from all successful batch files. In other words, the batch does not have to be marked complete, but edits must be corrected for the record to be included in the report. It is intended for any registered WIpop user (including data users) to run as a resource to evaluate and ensure the data is accurate and consistent with historical norms. Variances with 20% must be reviewed.

Payer Counts Report: This report shows all records to verify the payer mapping is set up correctly according to WHAIC specifications in Appendix 7.3. Assignment should be based on the WHAIC mapping, Facilities that map majority of commercial payers to A99 / unknown payer will be contacted.

Unknown Payer Report: This report lists the patient control numbers of records which are mapped to Unknown (OTH/98), Other (OTH/99) or Unknown Commercial payer code A99. Facilities with a high percentage of unknown payers should take this opportunity review its data and make corrections based on actual claims data as needed.



Updated Unknown Payer Report

- COVID-19 has a CODE = C19 / 80
- A99 is not a default

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Validation Report - Other/Unknown Payers

Milwaukee

This validation report shows all records that have an Other payer and unknown/other payer type. This report does not represent errors in the data, rather an opportunity for the facility to review and make changes if warranted. Examples of unknown payers and payer types are liability claims, crime victim claims, disability determination, unidentified programs or "Safe Fund" (sexual assault) claims that were submitted with payID = A99 or PayID = OTH and PayType = 98 or 99.

If after reviewing the report and patient documentation from the record you determine that the primary payer should be mapped differently or it was coded incorrectly, access the record using the patient control number (pcontrol) provided and the directions below to make the appropriate changes using Appendix VII of the WIpop Manual.

To review the record(s):

- Don't Forget to Open Batch First
- In WIpop in the upper right corner, click on the "Batch/Reports".
 Go to "Find Patient Record".
- 3) Enter in the patient control number (pcontrol) provided on the report.
- Make corrections as needed.
- 5) Once your changes are made, mark the batch complete. You may contact whainfocenter@wha.org with any questions.



Payer mapping update

- Champus / Tricare / Military benefits CHA - 03
- Optum VA Community Care Network map to CHA 03
 - Contract for Military and Veteran health care claims services
 - Optum provides health services for US Military personnel, beneficiaries and Veterans
 - Mapping Veterans and Current Military personnel correctly allows data users to gain accurate claims data to see the full spectrum of care received
 - Accurate mapping provides an opportunity to evaluate the source and costs of care
 - Optum offers provider network to serve the military, veterans and other

federal employees in addition to claims processing.

For more information: OptumServe

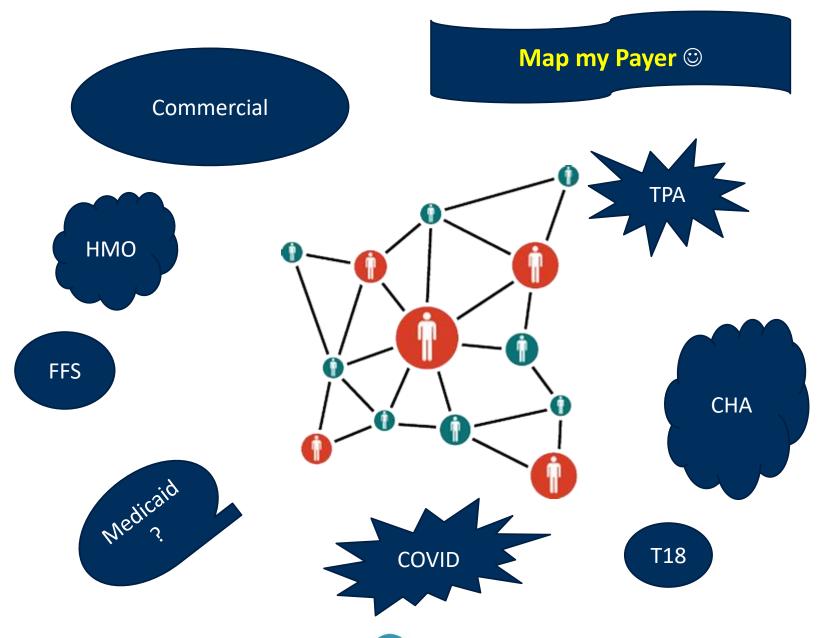


65+ Non-Medicare

- Overall 92.5% of the 65+ patients had a T18 or MED primary payer code some facilities do better than others ☺
- Reminder: Medicare advantage plans most often in the HMO or PPO commercial payer class are <u>still Medicare plans</u>
- Reminder: Medicare Supplement Plans map to T19 or MED
- Map Medicare Advantage Plans to T18 or MED
 - Example: 68 y/o retired person comes in with an Anthem Blue Cross HMO Medicare Advantage Plan should be mapped to T18 or MED
- How do I choose the right code?
 - MED was used 76% of the time, T18 had 24%
 - Potentially fade out T18 to minimize confusion









Other Payer Updates and Considerations

Open discussion & considerations on combining some payer codes

- **OTH 21** and *OTH 31* both basically address self insured / TPA and benefit plan administration or private insurance.
- **CHA 03** and *OTH 55* both address current and former military benefits regardless of who is managing contract
- OTH 54, 59 and 71 all address free / subsidized government programs, non-profit organizations, local health departments, and grant/research funds.
- OTH 98 and OTH 99 both address other / unknown payers from auto insurance to crime victim claims
- Last consideration is to remove the 01 FFS, 02 HMO/PPO and combine to 09
 - Example

BGR	01	BadgerCare, Fee for Service	May include Trilogy Health (A41), Community Care Health (A37) & Independent Health Care (A23)
BGR	02	BadgerCare Plus, HMO/PPO: Families - parents, pregnant women, children and childless adults. Most BGR patients have HMO plans - BGR/02.	(ALS)
BGR	09	BadgerCare, Unknown Type	



Medicaid			
	BGR-02	BadgerCare, HMO/PPO	
	BGR-09	BadgerCare, Unknown Type	
	T19-02	Medicaid, HMO/PPO	
	T19-09	Medicaid, Unknown Type	
			Me
Medicare			
	T18-01	Medicare, Fee for Service	
	T18-02	Medicare, HMO/PPO	
	T18-09	Medicare, Unknown Type	
			Me
Other			
	CHA-03	CHAMPUS/CHAMPVA/TRICARE	
	OTH-52	Other Government, Fee for Service	
	OTH-55	CHAMPUS/CHAMPVA/TRICARE	
	OTH-59	Other Government, Fee for Service	
	OTH-98	Other or Unknown, Fee for Service	
	OTH-99	Other or Unknown, Unknown Type	
Private			
	OTH-21	Employer Self-Funded, Fee for Service	
	OTH-31	Other Organization Self-Funded, Fee for Service	

Payer Count Report

- How do you know who has what??
- Once decisions are made and payers are remapped users can run the Payer Count Report from WIpop.

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In IE, or if you have Administrator rights on your computer, print this report by clicking the Frint icon on the toolbar. Otherwise, Export to a file and then print.

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Download to excel or PDF

Data Integrity Report

The Data Integrity Report is one of many real-time analytic reporting tools available to facilities. This report contains data from records without edits from all successful batch files. It is intended for any registered Wipop user to run as a resource to evaluate and ensure the data is accurate and consistent with historical norms.

Review each patient type and verify the monthly data represents the correct number of patient encounters. Verifying the data may require numerous internal analytical tools, internal Census, Abstract or Audit Reports and/or communication with your vendor. Any change in patient volume over or under 20% should be investigated.

You may click on the cell values in blue to display a list of the underlying patient control numbers.

Patient Type	Links to get to	October	November	December	Current Quarter	Prior Quarter	% Change
Outpatient Surgery	data detail 📥	>336	277	370	983	924	6.4%
	Total	336	277	370	983	924	6.4%

WHAIC strongly encourages you to save a copy of your quarterly/validation reports. They are an excellent reference to help validate subsequent data submissions. It is your responsibility to validate and verify the accuracy and completeness of your facility data, WHAIC cannot do that for you. If you notice any data discrepancies, we will assist in troubleshooting potential problems.

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Wipop Report Example

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Affirmation Statement

- The data submission and sign off process is 100% electronic.
- The Affirmation Statement is a two-prong process to confirm the data was validated.
 - WHAIC requires reviewer to check a box verifying data was reviewed; and
 - WHAIC requires comments if there is a 20% variance in the data.
- Typically, the number of patients seen each month is relatively consistent.
- Download and save either an electronic or paper copy of your summary profile report and affirmation statement for future reference.
- Reports and Affirmation are deleted and replaced each quarter.

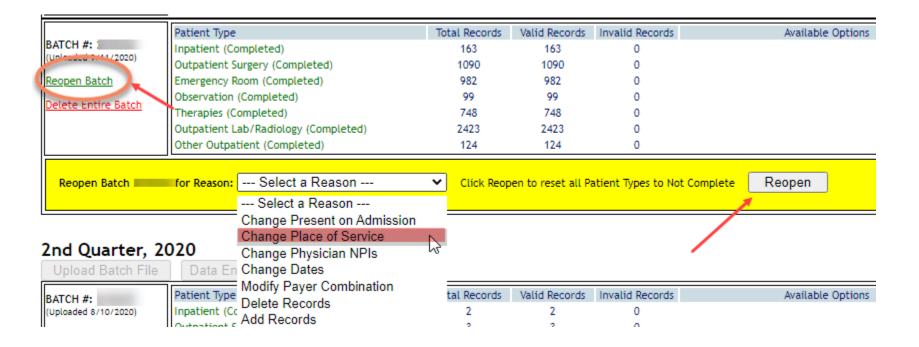


Common File Issues and Edits



Opening a Batch

- Reopen the Batch in order to fix records or add detail to a record the batch must be open.
- If you do not open the batch, the records will be in 'Read Only'





Opening a Batch

- Once the edits are fixed, be sure to close the batch up.
- We manage over 250 sites and its time consuming for the two of us to constantly monitor and close / guess which ones should be open.
- We do have a new stop-gap process improvement in which the batches will automatically close if not done so by the facility at the close of the quarter.

	Patient Type	Total Records	Valid Records	Invalid Records			Available Options	
BATCH #: 21	Inpatient	163	163	0	View	Add	<u>Delete</u>	Mark Complete
(Uploaded 9/11/2020)	Outpatient Surgery	1090	1090	0	<u>View</u>	Add	<u>Delete</u>	Mark Complete
Mark Batch Complete	Emergency Room	982	982	0	View	Add	<u>Delete</u>	Mark Complete
Delete Entire Batch	Observation	99	99	0	View	Add	<u>Delete</u>	Mark Complete
Delete Entire patch	Therapies	748	748	0	<u>View</u>	Add	<u>Delete</u>	Mark Complete
	Outpatient Lab/Radiology	2423	2423	0	View	Add	<u>Delete</u>	Mark Complete
	Other Outpatient	124	124	0	<u>View</u>	<u>Add</u>	<u>Delete</u>	Mark Complete



Common File Issues – Race / Ethnicity

Race and Ethnicity:

- The collection of race and ethnicity is a statutory requirement under Chapter 153.
- Batch files will be rejected if greater than 25% of race and ethnicity are reported as unknown or declined.
- Hospitals and ASCs can report two races. 'Other'or 'Multiracial' is not an option

 They do not provide any useful information.
- Check in and/or remind your patient registration/staff and vendors of the importance to collect and report race and ethnicity according to the specifications in our Manual in Appendix 7.2.



Common File Issues – Sex/Gender

Unknown Sex / Gender Code:

- O (Other) or U (Unknown) allowed in the data files.
 - This accommodates meaningful use standards as part of the CMS' effort to include sexual orientation and gender identity data.
- Condition Code 45 Required with "O" or "U"
 - All encounters/records that have an "O" as identified by "Other" in the file will be mapped to "U" to preserve historical trending. Use of "O" will require the condition code 45 as it mirrors the requirements of "U."
- For more information: https://www.healthit.gov/isa/representing-patient-gender-identity.
- Examples: Gender neutrality, transgender, intersex.
- <u>https://docs.asee.org/public/LGBTQ/Transgender_Vocab_Handout.pdf</u>



Common File issues - Filing for an Extension

- Extension requests are filed for in WIpop Application.
- Not to be used to delay the quarterly submission requirements:
 Should be used only when:
 - File changes occur
 - Vendor changed
 - Staff Changed
- Even with an extension request on file we may contact you
 - Experience has taught us to never make assumptions.
 - We have statutory timelines we must adhere to.

Welcome to WIpop Production

Select a Facility: 1000: WHA Information Center LLC (Madison)

Go to Batch Review

To request an extension

Request an Extension



Common File Issues – Duplicate Records

There are two types of batch file rejects as it relates to duplicate records that apply.

- 1. Duplicates within same file two records with the same patient control number in file
- 2. Duplicate patient control number of a record/encounter that already exists in WIpop

To fix and/or remove duplicates:

Resubmit the batch with the phrase "exclude_duplicates" somewhere in the file name. Example file name: Q218 IN OP exclude_duplicates.txt

- This process applies to both types of duplicate rejects.
- If the record already exist, we will keep the original encounter/record.
- The batch file email response will include the number of records submitted and number of duplicates removed.

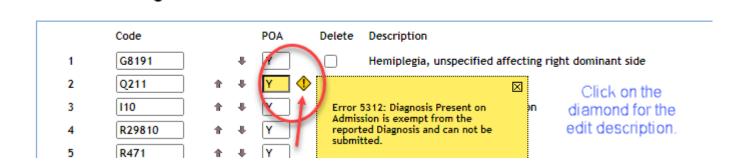


EDITS: Fixing records

- Edits can seem scary and overwhelming.
- Click on the diamond to see what the edit says!
- Fixing edits usually goes faster with each quarter.
- Don't stress even if it looks like there's hundreds, one record might have 6.
- For this one you would just delete the "Y" and hit update.

Additional Diagnoses and External Cause Codes:

This Section Contains Edits





EDITS: Correcting Dates of Service

<u>Discharge date</u> (procedure date) determines which quarter to use when reporting.

- For example, if service started on 06/30 and ended on 07/01, the record should be included in the 3rd quarter data submission.
- Date of Service (DOS) can sometimes cause edits in the outpatient surgery data
- Why does this occur?
 - Discharge or statement date is off due to date it was coded, billed or patient ended treatment.
- For most DOS edits user may change the data to fit the quarter.
 - Be careful to verify actual dates in the EMR before changing dates.



Edits: Fixing records

- All records, except for Self-Pay require an insurance certificate ID number. Sometimes known as plan, group or insurance ID.
- User must lookup in the EMR, claim or other source the insurance number and enter it here.
- We can also look to see what kind of insurance this person has by clicking on the underlined Expected Source of Payment field.

			,		
Expected Source of Payment ID/Type:	T18	02		Claim File Indic Code:	MA
Secondary Source of Payment ID/Type:	T19	01	1	Prov Based Loc:	
Insurance Certificate Number:				Payer / NAIC#:	87726

For WC – use patient control number or patient year of birth.

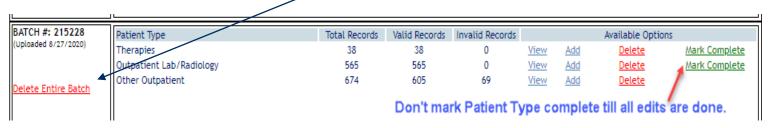


EDITS: Finding and Deleting Records

- To delete a record, go into the Edit Record Screen
- To find a specific patient, go to "Find Patient Record"



Click delete on this screen and either your whole batch or records in the file will be deleted.





Edits: Finding a Patient

 Most of the reports contain the patient control number that must be used to locate a specific record / encounter.

Batch/Reports	<u>Help</u>	<u>Exit</u>	
Submit Batch			
Find Patient Record Create Report	Find Re	cord	
	To locate a previo	usly submitted record, enter the Pa	atient Control Number below and press Find.
	Patient Control #	Find Back	
	Submit Batch Find Patient Record	Find Patient Record Create Report To locate a previous	Find Patient Record Find Patient Record Find Record To locate a previously submitted record, enter the Patient Control #



EDITS: Type of Bill and Admit Type

- Type of Bill Codes are on the 837i claim and required in WIpop.
- Type of bill (TOB) codes are published in the UB-04 National Uniform Billing Committee guidelines (NUBC).
- The TOB gives three specific pieces of information.
 - The first digit identifies the type of facility.
 - The second digit classifies the type of care.
 - The third digit indicates the sequence of the bill in any episode of care. It is referred to as a "frequency" code.

ASCs can map field to 0851 or 999

Edits applicable to TOB:

1160	Type of Bill is a required field.							
3180	Type of Bill does not correspond to accepted values.							
3181	Type of Bill 0999 is not allowed for hospitals							
3185	Zero charge records require Nonpayment/Zero charge Bill Type							
<mark>3186</mark>	NEW EDIT: Type of bill must match the record type							
	Edit 3186 will apply when either of these is true:							
	 The record is inpatient and the type of bill is NOT in the 110-121 range The record is outpatient and the type of bill is in the 110-121 range 							



Provider-based locations

- Reminder report PBL / PBC locations separately on the claim file:
- Hospitals that have off-campus, outpatient, provider-based department must notify WHAIC to obtain a PBL ID and program the service facility PBL ID on the file.
- Splitting a hospital outpatient charge into professional and facility components is called "provider-based billing." Patients receive two charges on the bill for services provided; one charge represents the facility or hospital, and the other charge represents the professional fee.
- PBLs are outpatient departments of the hospital we are required by statute to collect the facility component of all services and claims billed regardless of whether the payer accepts provider-based billing or not.
- Records from a hospital outpatient department/PBL with the same Medicare provider number should be submitted according to the 837I or R Technical specifications

Wipop Manual FAQ

7.16 Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

How to search a PDF? http://www.wikihow.com/Search-for-a-Word-or-Phrase-in-a-PDF-Document Use your Mouse and do a RIGHT Click to bring up the search box.

By default, if you open Adobe Reader and press CTRL + F, you'll get the normal **search** box. It is located at the top right. To use the advanced **PDF search** option, you can choose Advanced **Search** from the Edit drop down menu or press SHIFT + CTRL + F. Enter the phrase you are searching for in the **search** box.

Topic	Question	Answer	Content added / last updated
A - F			
Additional Procedure	How will WHAIC add additional procedures to my data?	Outpatient surgery Procedures are based on the revenue codes 036X, 0481, 049X and/or 750. The principal procedure will be assigned first and then any additional procedures located within the revenue line item detail coded in addition to one of the revenue codes described above will be assigned to the additional procedure section along with any modifier(s) and date of service in the revenue line item detail. Errors may occur if we inadvertently pull out an "add-on" code and populate it in the principal. If this occurs, the data submitter/editor may have to manually swap out the codes	12/1/17
Assign Principal Procedure	How will WHAIC assign the principal procedure to my outpatient records?	Outpatient surgery Procedures are based on the revenue codes 036X, 0481, 049X and/or 750. Assignment of principal procedure code to OUTPATIENT Surgery records is based on the revenue line item detail and the corresponding CPT code.	12/1/17
Birth Date	How do I handle an unknown birth date?	If the patient's age is unknown, use January 1 (0101) as the birth date and the four- digit year based on the age or the best information available.	11/30/17
Census Block Group	We had a problem populating the Census Block Group – what would cause that?	The Census Block group is based on the US Census, so generally it only works on residential addresses. It will not work with PO Boxes or industrial districts.	12/1/17
Charity care	Should we report charity care?	Yes, you are required to report and include all services rendered to patients regardless of payment method.	12/1/17



Closed

- Thanksgiving
- Day after Thanksgiving
- ½ day Christmas Eve
- Christmas Day
 - ½ day New Years Eve

Closed New Years Day



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