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Attention Provider Type 60 (School Based):

Use National Provider Identifier (NPI) of the Ordering, Prescribing or Referring (OPR) Provider on Claims

Provider type 60 (School Based) is required to include a valid National Provider Identifier (NPI) of the Ordering, Prescribing or Referring (OPR) provider on their claim. School based services that typically require a referral include physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy, nursing services (Registered Nurse or Licensed Practical Nurse) and services for hearing and language disorders.

- On 837P electronic claims, enter the NPI of the OPR provider in Loop 2310A or 2420F
- On the CMS-1500 Claim Form, enter the NPI of the OPR provider in Field 17b

Schools that use a billing agent are encouraged to notify the agent of this requirement.

It is the responsibility of the billing provider to ensure that the NPI which they enter on a claim belongs to an individual provider (not an organization or group): who ordered, prescribed or referred the service being billed; is authorized to do so; and is an active Nevada Medicaid provider on the date of service. Any claims which do not conform to these requirements may deny, and if they pay in error, they are subject to recoupment. [Electronic Verification System \(EVS\) User Manual Chapter 7 \(Search Provider\)](#) provides instructions on how to search the Provider Web Portal for OPR providers.