



BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina and  
BlueChoice® HealthPlan of South Carolina

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# Electronic Data Interchange (EDI)

## Frequently Asked Questions

**Does BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina require the taxonomy code to be reported on any of the 837 formats?**

No, BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina does not require the taxonomy code to be reported.

**Are there any circumstances where providers are required to use NDC codes on the 837?**

Yes, all applicable HCPCS and CPT codes should be submitted with an NDC number valid for the date of service.

**Will BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina accept 999 claim lines?**

Yes, BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina accepts 999 claim lines.

**Will BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina allow zero charges on claims?**

Yes, BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina allows zero charges on claims.

**Will BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina allow negative charges on claims?**

No, BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina will not allow negative charges on claims.

**Will BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina require a secondary identification number?**

No, BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina will not require a secondary identification number.

**Will BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina require submitters to report Payer Estimated Amount Due?**

No, BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina will not require the Payer Estimated Amount Due.

**Will BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina require submitters to report Patient Paid Amount?**

No, BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina will not require the Patient Paid Amount.

**What forms are needed to be able to send HIPAA transactions?**

Providers and/or clearinghouses must complete the Trading Partner Agreement and EDIG Enrollment forms.

**Does BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina provide 835 Electronic Remittance Advices (ERAs)?**

Yes, BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina provider 835 ERAs. Please be sure to complete the necessary forms to receive this information.