

Dear eClaimLink Provider,

Claims Data Collection – New Requirements

The DHA has identified several new priority clinical areas related to Diabetes and Cardiovascular Disease, for which healthcare providers will be required to report on the results of conducted tests for their patients. These requirements are in alignment with DHA's objectives of ensuring quality, accessible healthcare, and efficiency in the healthcare community.

New Result Reporting Requirements

The new required results to be submitted are related to the following tests/services:

- BODY MASS INDEX
- ALBUMIN
- ALKALINE PHOSPHATE
- ALANINE AMINOTRANSFERASE
- ASPARTATE AMINOTRANSFERASE
- FASTING BLOOD SUGAR
- RANDOM BLOOD SUGAR
- FRAMINGHAM CARDIOVASCULAR RISK ASSESSMENT SCORE

Updated Reporting Requirements

There has been some updates on the reporting requirements for the previously requested test results that were originally published in April 2014:

- HEMOGLOBIN GLYCOSYLATED A1C
- LIPID PANEL
 - CHOLESTEROL SERUM/WHOLE BLOOD TOTAL
 - LIPOPROTEIN DIR MEAS HIGH DENSITY CHOLESTEROL
 - LIPOPROTEIN DIRECT MEASUREMENT LOW DENSITY CHOLESTEROL
 - TRIGLYCERIDES
- ALBUMIN URINE MICROALBUMIN QUANTITATIVE
- CREATININE BLOOD
- BLOOD PRESSURE
 - SYSTOLIC
 - DIASTOLIC

Updates include the following:

- Added restrictions on the accepted values:
 - An accepted range has been introduced for all requested values
 - Field types for all values are now restricted to a specific type

- The observation descriptions have been updated
- All edited items have the indicated Update date in the “Published” column

Documentation

The eClaimLink Observations document contains details on how to record and submit the results in the ClaimSubmission transaction.

The document is available for download on eClaimLink > DHD > Documentation section:

- [eClaimLink Observation Details Release 25-06-2018](#)

The list of ICD 10 CM Diagnosis codes associated with the tests listed above has been updated and published on eClaimLink > DHD > Documentation section:

- [ICD 10 CM Diabetes and Screening Codes 2017-07-12](#)

Timelines

Reporting the results for these tests, based on the latest observations details structure will be mandatory and validated on the DHPO starting on **Monday, 01 October 2018**.

All changes are currently available for testing on eClaimlink QA environment.

New Dental Validation Rules

There are 2 new validation rules added to the DHPO as follows:

1. Mandating the tooth number with every dental claim submission
2. Mandating the submission of radiological x-ray evidence with every claim which includes 1 or more of the dental codes below

<i>D3310</i>	endodontic therapy, anterior tooth (excluding final restoration)
<i>D3320</i>	endodontic therapy, bicuspid tooth (excluding final restoration)
<i>D3330</i>	endodontic therapy, molar (excluding final restoration)
<i>D3331</i>	treatment of root canal obstruction; non-surgical access
<i>D3333</i>	internal root repair of perforation defects

For more detail, please see [ECL-VR-193](#) and [ECL-VR-194](#) in the eClaimLink Business and Validation Rules document published on eClaimLink:

- eClaimLink > DHD > Documentation > [eClaimLink BRVR Release 25-06-2018](#)

The effective date for these validation rules will be **Monday, 01 October 2018**.

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Universal Tooth Numbering - New Release

The new list release includes an update on:

- Adult Dentition Universal Numbering
- Adult Supernumerary Dentition Universal Numbering
- Primary Dentition Universal Numbering
- Primary Supernumerary Dentition Universal Numbering

The full list is attached and will be available for download on eClaimLink > DHD > [Codes and Lists](#) > Universal Numbering System (Dental)

The new list release effective date is on **Monday, 01 October 2018**.

DRG Payment Parameters

With reference to the DRG Project – Phase II of shadow billing, and as previously announced in the circular “[Reporting of DRG Payment Parameters in Phase II of Shadow Billing 20180520](#)”, please be aware that the payment parameters need to be captured as per the details in the Observations document:

- eClaimLink > DHD > Documentation > [eClaimLink Observation Details Release 25-06-2018](#)

Best Regards,

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