To: ALL AHCCCS HEALTH PLANS

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Subject: 837 v5010 Encounter File size limitation

With 5010, the AHCCCS translation process for X12 837 Encounter files submitted to AHCCCS has changed. Previously with v4010, AHCCCS allowed a maximum physical file size of 200 MB. However, with v5010, AHCCCS will allow a maximum physical size of 75 MB to assist with the X12 837 translation process. Please note that this change does not affect the way the encounters are processed by AHCCCS. Per the 837 5010 TR3, a maximum of 5000 CLM segments is recommended per transaction set (ST/SE).

Thank you! Division of Health Care Management