Effective for 2015 cost report year, the Medicaid schedules for the Medicaid Cost Report and Medicaid PPS Reconciliation have been combined. The instructions identify if specific schedules apply only to Cost Settled Providers or PPS Providers.

Per the North Carolina State Plan, Attachment 4.19-B, Section 2 for RHC providers:

Effective for dates of service occurring January 1, 2001 and after, RHCs are reimbursed on a prospective payment rate. (PPS Provider)

Providers who elected to be reimbursed in accordance to the cost based methodology in effect on December 31, 2000, and who did not change their election prior to January 1, 2005 shall remain with that choice of cost based reimbursement methodology (Cost Settled Provider).

Effective for 2018 cost report year, North Carolina Health Choice reconciliation schedules have been added to the Medicaid cost report (DHB-6A & 10A).
November 1, 2018

Dear RHC Provider:

In accordance with the Medicaid Participation Agreement Paragraphs 6 and 7, RHC providers are required to file an annual year ending cost report with the Division of Health Benefits. Providers can access the cost reporting forms and instructions on-line at https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/providers/cost-reports-and-assessments/rural-health-clinics-cost-report-hospital-based and select the appropriate cost report.

Your cost report is due by the end of the fifth month of the year ending service period. The following information must be submitted along with your original Medicaid RHC cost report:

- A copy of your facility’s Medicare cost report.
- A copy of your facility “crosswalk” working trial balance to support Medicare report.
- Supporting documentation and working papers including, but are not limited to, calculation of costs for the Medicare report.
- Supporting documentation and working papers including, but are not limited to, calculation of costs for the Medicaid report.
- Defined chart of accounts.
- Log of bad debts, if applicable.
- Log of pneumococcal and influenza vaccine injections administered to Medicaid beneficiaries above eighteen years old included on DHB-HB8. This log must include each beneficiary’s Medicaid ID number and birthdate.
- Financial Statements, audited or unaudited, at time of submission.
- List of all State and Federal grant revenues including the title of the grant and amount of revenues for the reporting period.

Please submit the above-referenced cost report and information to:

US Mail
Audit Section
Attn: Joy Liu
Division of Health Benefits
2501 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, NC 27699–2501

Express Mail/Shipping
Audit Section
Division of Health Benefits
333 East Six Forks Road, Suite 200
Raleigh, NC 27609

If a settlement is due the Medicaid program, make check payable to Division of Health Benefits for the amount due and remit it under separate cover to:

DHHS Controller’s Office
Accounts Receivable – Health Benefits
2022 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, NC 27699–2022

If you have questions, please contact Joy Liu at (919) 814-0022 or e-mail Joy.Liu@dhhs.nc.gov.

Sincerely,

Jim Flowers
Associate Director of Provider Audit
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RECOMMENDED SEQUENCE FOR COMPLETING MEDICAID SCHEDULES
The Medicaid Schedules are to be completed after the Medicare Cost Reporting Worksheets are completed.

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GENERAL INFORMATION AND CERTIFICATION - PAGE 1 (Cost Settled and PPS)

Warning: If you downloaded the Excel spreadsheet and are keying data into a worksheet, please remember you need only key data into the lightly shaded cells. Each worksheet contains formulas that process data only from the shaded cells and will not work correctly if you make entries in unshaded fields. If you experience problems with using Excel, simply print a blank copy of each schedule and fill it out using a pen or typewriter.

Note: Please follow the recommended sequence for completing your cost report schedules to assure the data flows correctly for all schedules.

1. Check appropriate box identifying the provider’s Medicaid Reimbursement Status.
   a. Providers must select PPS unless they are a provider who elected to be reimbursed in accordance to the cost-based methodology in effect on December 31, 2000, and who did not change their election prior to January 1, 2005; they shall remain with that choice of cost-based reimbursement methodology. (Cost Settled Provider)

2. Enter name, address, county and telephone number.

3. Enter cost reporting period. This period must coincide with the Medicare Cost Report.

4. Enter all NPI provider numbers and Medicaid Provider numbers assigned to facility. If additional space is needed, attach a separate sheet with the additional NPI provider numbers and Medicaid Provider Numbers. If no Medicaid Provider Number was assigned after 7/1/2013, enter only the NPI.

5. Check appropriate box identifying type of control.

6. Enter individual we should contact to answer questions about cost report schedules.

7. Enter address we should mail all Medicaid settlements if different from address of facility in Item 1.

Certification Statement

Enter the full name of the facility and reporting period covered by the report.

Statement must be signed by officer or administrator of the facility after all schedules have been completed. The statement filed must have an original signature.
The purpose of this schedule is to compute Medicaid Net Direct Core Cost based on the Medicare Cost Report and the provider’s working trial balance.

Line 1
Enter Total Direct Cost from the Medicare Cost Report, Worksheet A, Column 7, Line(s) applicable to the Rural Health Clinic(s) at the hospital.

Lines 2a – 2g are for identification of Other Ambulatory Services (Direct Non-Core) Costs.

Line 2a
Identify total Pharmacy cost included in Line 1, as documented in provider’s working trial balance.

Line 2b
Identify total Dental cost included in Line 1, as documented in provider’s working trial balance.

Line 2c
Identify total Health Check Services cost included in Line 1, as documented in provider’s working trial balance.

Line 2d
Identify total Radiology Services cost included in Line 1, as documented in provider’s working trial balance.

Line 2e
Identify total Norplant Services cost included in Line 1, as documented in provider’s working trial balance.

Line 2f
Identify total Physician Hospital Services cost included in Line 1, as documented in provider’s working trial balance.

Line 2g
Identify total Other (Miscellaneous Ambulatory) cost included in Line 1, as documented in provider’s working trial balance.

Line 3
Sum Lines 2a – 2g

Line 4
Subtract Line 3 from Line 1.
The purpose of this schedule is to identify all General Service Costs applicable to the Rural Health Clinic(s) and to allocate these costs between Core and Non-Core Services based on the Medicare Cost report and the provider’s records.

Column 1
Lines 1a – 1u.
Enter the total General Service Cost for each cost center from the Medicare Cost Report, Worksheet B, Part I, Columns 1 - 23, Line(s) applicable to the Rural Health Clinic(s) of the hospital.

Line 2
Sum Lines 1a – 1u.

Line 3
Enter total amount from Line 2 which is applicable only to Core costs (Column 3, Line 2 plus all Pharmacy costs on line 1n).

Line 4
Subtract Line 3 from Line 2. (Transfer this figure to Schedule DHB-HB4, Line 3.)

Line 5
Divide Schedule DHB-HB1 Line 4 by Schedule DHB-HB1 Line 1. Round this ratio to two decimal places (0.00).

Column 2
Lines 1a – 1m and Lines 1o – 1u
Enter ratio calculated in Column 1, Line 5.

Column 3
Lines 1a – 1u
Multiply Column 1 times Column 2 for each cost center.

Line 2
Sum Lines 1a – 1u. (Transfer this amount to DHB-HB3, Line 1b.)
The purpose of this schedule is to calculate the total cost for Medicaid Core Services.

Line 1a
Enter Direct Core Services Cost from Schedule DHB-HB1, Line 4, Column 2.

Line 1b
Enter Allocated Core Services Costs from Schedule DHB-HB2, Line 2, Column 3.

Line 1c
Enter sum of Line 1a plus Line 1b.

Line 2
Enter total number of Rural Health Clinic(s) Core Service visits. (From provider’s Medicare Cost Report, Worksheet M-3, Line 6 Total Adjusted Visits.)

Line 3
Divide Line 1c by Line 2.

Line 4
Enter Upper Payment Limit per visit for specific Cost Reporting year. Note: If the hospital has less than 50 beds, enter N/A on this line.

Line 5
Enter Lessor of Line 3 or Line 4.

Line 6
Enter total number of Medicaid Covered Core Visits for Core Services (From provider’s records, including Mental Health visits. See NOTE below.)

Line 7
Multiply Line 5 times Line 6.
The purpose of this schedule is to allocate overhead costs to each ambulatory cost center and compute the average cost per encounter or unit of service.

Column 2
Lines 1a – 1g
Transfer costs from Schedule DHB-HB1 / Page 2 to the corresponding cost center.

Line 2
Sum Lines 1a – 1g.

Line 3
Enter overhead cost from Schedule DHB-HB2 / Page 3, Line 4.

Line 4
Divide Line 3 by Line 2. Round this amount to the fifth decimal place (0.00000).

Column 3
Line 1a
Multiply Unit Cost Multiplier (Column 2, Line 4) times Pharmacy Cost (Column 2, Line 1a) and enter amount on Line 1a.

Line 1b
Multiply Unit Cost Multiplier (Column 2, Line 4) times Dental Cost (Column 2, Line 1b) and enter amount on Line 1b.

Line 1c
Multiply Unit Cost Multiplier (Column 2, Line 4) times Health Check Services Cost (Column 2, Line 1c) and enter amount on Line 1c.

Line 1d
Multiply Unit Cost Multiplier (Column 2, Line 4) times Radiology Services Cost (Column 2, Line 1d) and enter amount on Line 1d.

Line 1e
Multiply Unit Cost Multiplier (Column 2, Line 4) times Norplant Services Cost (Column 2, Line 1e) and enter amount on Line 1e.

Line 1f
Multiply Unit Cost Multiplier (Column 2, Line 4) times Physician Hospital Services Cost (Column 2, Line 1f) and enter amount on Line 1f.

Line 1g
Multiply Unit Cost Multiplier (Column 2, Line 4) times Other Specified Cost (Column 2, Line 1g) and enter amount on Line 1g.
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Line 2
Sum Lines 1a – 1g. Amount must agree with Overhead Cost in Column 2, Line 3.

Column 4
Lines 1a – 1g
Sum Columns 2 and 3 for each Line.

Line 2
Sum Columns 2 and 3.

Column 5
Lines 1a – 1g
Total number of encounters / units of service for all beneficiaries served by the provider. This would include Medicare, Medicaid, private, and insurance beneficiaries.

Number of prescriptions must be used for Pharmacy and encounters / units of service for all other Ambulatory Services.

Column 6
Lines 1a – 1g
Compute the average cost for each Ambulatory Service. Divide Column 4 by Column 5. Transfer amounts to Schedule DHB-HB5 / Column 2, Lines 1a – 1g.

DETERMINATION OF MEDICAID REIMBURSEMENT - PAGE 6 / DHB-HB5 (Cost Settled and PPS)

The purpose of this schedule is to compute the Medicaid cost of each Ambulatory Service based on the number of Medicaid encounters / units of service, Total Reimbursement Cost (Core and Ambulatory), and Amount Due Provider / Program.

Column 2
Lines 1a – 1g
Transfer costs from Schedule DHB-HB4, Page 5, Column 6 to the corresponding cost center.

Column 3
Lines 1a – 1g
Enter total number of Medicaid encounters / units of service furnished by the provider for each Ambulatory Service. This information is from the provider’s records.

Column 4
Lines 1a – 1g
Multiply Cost per Encounter (Column 2) times Number of Medicaid Encounters (Column 3).

Line 2
Enter Subtotal of Lines 1a – 1g, Column 4.

Line 3
Enter Total Medicaid Core Cost transferred from Schedule DHB-HB3 / Page 4, Line 7.
DHB-HB5, continued

Line 4
Enter Total Medicaid Cost of Pneumococcal and Influenza Vaccine Injections transferred from Schedule
DHB-HB8 / Page 10, Column 3, Line 4.

Line 5
Enter Total of Lines 2, 3, and 4.

Line 6
Enter Amount Received / Receivable from Medicaid based on Core and Ambulatory Services furnished to

Line 7
Subtract Line 6 from Line 5.

Line 8
Enter Amount of Bad Debts from Schedule DHB-HB7 / Page 9, Line 6.

Line 9
Compute Amount Due Provider (Program). Add Lines 7 and 8.

SUMMARY OF MEDICAID PAYMENTS - PAGE 7 / DHB-HB6 (Cost Settled and PPS)

The purpose of this schedule is to identify Medicaid Received / Receivable amounts and provider numbers for
which HP and/or NC Tracks rendered payments. These amounts are applicable to Core and Ambulatory Services
furnished during the cost reporting period. Do not include Co-payments billed/received for Core Services, Fees
billed/received for Carolina Access, or Medicare Crossover Payments. Medicaid Pregnancy Medical Home
Incentive Payments (S0280 / S0281) are excluded. Co-payments for Ambulatory Services are included.

Column 2
Lines 1a – 1g
Enter Received / Receivable amount for each Ambulatory Service based on the provider’s records.

Line 2
Enter Received / Receivable amount for Core Services based on the provider’s records.

Line 3
Enter Received / Receivable Third Party Liability amount for Ambulatory and Core Services based on the
provider’s records.

Line 4
Compute Total Medicaid Payments. Add Lines 1a – 1g, 2, and 3. Transfer this amount to Schedule DHB-HB5 / Page 6, Column 4, Line 6 and DHB-HB9 / Page 11, Line 6.
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Column 3

Lines 1a – 1g
Enter NPI numbers used by NC Tracks to make payments for each Ambulatory Service. Please note, if more space is needed, NPI numbers may be listed in the comments section at the bottom of the page.

Line 2
Enter NPI numbers used by NC Tracks to make payments for Core Services.

Line 3
Enter NPI numbers which Third Party Liability payments were made for Medicaid covered services.

Comments
Use this section as needed. For example, cost reports with multiple providers may list the NPI numbers here if column 3, lines 1a-1g have insufficient space.

BAD DEBTS - PAGE 9 / DHB-HB7 (Cost Settled and PPS)

The purpose of this schedule is to compute the amount of Net Bad Debts incurred by the facility.

Line 1
Enter the total co-payment amount billed to Medicaid beneficiaries from the provider’s records.

Line 2
Enter the co-payment amounts received from Medicaid beneficiaries from the provider’s records.

Line 3
Compute Medicaid Bad Debts. Subtract Line 2 from Line 1.

Line 4
Enter any recovery of previous Medicaid amounts written off as Bad Debts from the provider’s records.

Line 5
Compute Net Bad Debts. Subtract Line 4 from Line 3.

Line 6
Compute the Adjusted Reimbursable Bad Debts. Multiply Line 5 by 65 percent. Transfer to DHB-HB5, Line 8.

COST OF PNEUMOCOCCAL AND INFLUENZA VACCINES - PAGE 10 / DHB-HB8 (Cost Settled and PPS)

The purpose of this schedule is to compute the Medicaid cost of Pneumococcal and Influenza Vaccine Injections based on the number of injections for Medicaid beneficiaries.

Columns 2, 3, 4, and 5

Line 1
Enter cost of Pneumococcal and Influenza Vaccine Injections and its (their) administration in the applicable column from the provider’s records.
Line 2
Enter the number of Pneumococcal and Influenza Vaccine Injections administered to Medicaid beneficiaries in the applicable column. This information is from the provider’s records.

NOTE: Do NOT include injections for the following beneficiaries on Line 2:
- Children aged 0 – 18 years who received vaccines in addition to a Health Check assessment, or if vaccine administration is the only service provided on the date of service, or
- Children enrolled in the Health Choice program.

Line 3
Multiply Cost per Vaccine Injection (Line 1) times number of Medicaid Vaccine Injections (Line 2).

Line 4
Enter the Medicaid cost of Pneumococcal, Influenza Vaccine Injections (sum of Columns 2 and 3, Line 3).
Transfer this amount to Schedule DHB-HB5 / Page 6, Column 4, Line 4.


The purpose of this schedule is to compute PPS payments based on the number of Medicaid Encounters and identify Gross Amount Due Provider or Program.

Lines a - e
Enter total number of Medicaid encounters furnished by the provider for each Ambulatory Service. This information is from the providers records.

Line 1
Compute Total Medicaid Encounters. Enter subtotal of lines a - e.

Line 2
Enter PPS rate from DHB Rate Setting.

Line 3
Compute Prospective Payments. Multiply Line 1 times Line 2.

Line 4
Enter Total Reimbursable Costs from DHB-HB5. Sum of Line 5 and Line 8.

Line 5
Enter Greater of Line 3 or Line 4.

Line 6
Enter Amount Received from Medicaid from DHB-HB6 Line 4

Line 7
Subtract Line 6 from Line 5. If this is a negative amount (Due Program), the total amount due must be remitted under separate cover with check made payable to Division of Health Benefits to the address below:

DHHS Controller’s Office
Accounts Receivable – Health benefits
2022 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, NC 27699–2022
The purpose of this schedule is to compute PPS payments for PPS-reconciled providers only based on the number of Medicaid Encounters and identify Gross Amount Due Provider or Program.

NOTE: In accordance with the North Carolina State Plan, Attachment 4.19-B, Section 2, a provider is a PPS reconciled provider if one of the following conditions apply:

- The RHC provider was enrolled in the Medicaid program prior to January 1, 2001, elected to be PPS reconciled, and did not change their election prior to January 1, 2005.
- The RHC provider was newly enrolled in the Medicaid program on or after January 1, 2001.
- A Cost-settled Provider had a change of ownership on or after January 1, 2005.

Lines a - e
Enter total number of Medicaid encounters furnished by the provider for each Ambulatory Service. This information is from the providers records.

Line 1
Compute Total Medicaid Encounters. Enter subtotal of lines a - e.

Line 2
Enter PPS rate from DHB Provider Reimbursement.

Line 3
Compute Total Prospective Payments. Multiply Line 1 times Line 2.

Line 4
Enter Amount Received from Medicaid from DHB-HB5, Line 6.

Line 5
Subtract Line 4 from Line 3 If this is a negative amount (Due Program), the total amount due must be remitted under separate cover with check made payable to Division of Health Benefits to the address below:

DHHS Controller’s Office
Accounts Receivable – Health Benefits
2022 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, NC 27699–2022
The purpose of this schedule is to identify NC Health Choice Received / Receivable amounts and provider numbers for which NC TRACKS rendered payments. These amounts are applicable to Core and Ambulatory Services furnished during the cost reporting period. Carolina Access, Medicaid crossover and Medicaid Pregnancy Medical Home Incentive Payments (S0280 / S0281) are excluded. Co-payments for Ambulatory Services are included.

Column 2
Lines 1a – 1g
Enter Received / Receivable amount for each Ambulatory Service based on the facility’s records.

Line 2
Enter Received / Receivable amount for Core Services based on the facility’s records.

Line 3
Enter Received / Receivable Third Party Liability amount for Ambulatory and Core Services based on the facility’s records.

Line 4
Subtotal Lines 1a – 1g, Line 2, and Line 3.

Column 3
Lines 1a – 1g
Enter NPI numbers used by NC TRACKS to make payments for each Ambulatory Service. Please note, if more space is needed, NPI numbers may be listed in the comments section at the bottom of the page.

Line 2
Enter NPI numbers used by NC TRACKS to make payments for Core Services.

Line 3
Enter NPI numbers which Third Party Liability payments were made for Medicaid covered services.

Comments
Use this section as needed. For example, cost reports with multiple providers may list the NPI numbers here if column 3, lines 1a-1g has insufficient space.
The purpose of this schedule is to compute PPS payments for Health Choice providers based on the number of Healthchoice Encounters and identify Gross Amount Due Provider or Program.

Lines a - e
Enter total number of HEALTH CHOICE encounters furnished by the provider for each Ambulatory Service. This information is from the providers records.

Line 1
Compute Total HEALTH CHOICE Encounters. Enter subtotal of lines a - e.

Line 2
Enter PPS rate from DHB Rate Setting.

Line 3
Compute Total Prospective Payments. Multiply Line 1 times Line 2.

Line 4
Enter Amount Received from HEALTH CHOICE from DHB-HB6A, Line 4.

Line 5
Subtract Line 4 from Line 3 If this is a negative amount If this is a negative amount; no further action is necessary.

After completing all schedules, print and complete the Certification Form as instructed below:

CERTIFICATION STATEMENT
Enter the full name of the facility and reporting period covered by the report.

Ensure the Certification Statement is signed by an officer or administrator of the facility after all schedules have been completed. The Audit Section must have an original signature on the submitted form or the cost report will be considered incomplete.

QUESTIONS ABOUT COST REPORT PREPARATION:
If you have questions about the preparation of the cost reporting forms, please contact Joy Liu at (919) 814-0022 or e-mail Joy.Liu@dhhs.nc.gov.
PPS-Reconciled providers must submit a full copy of your signed and certified facility Medicare cost report (CMS 2552-10) along with your original Medicaid RHC cost report.

For Cost-Settled providers, the following information must be submitted along with your original Medicaid RHC cost report:

- A copy of your facility’s Medicare cost report.
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