RHC UB04 DETAILED BILLING: TRANSITION CONSIDERATIONS

Lessons Learned from Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC) Transition in 2011
TRANSACTION CONSIDERATIONS

• Importance of developing accurate, current fee schedules/charge structure

• Claims processing considerations
  ▪ Understand payment policies (i.e., multiple visits for a patient on the same day; which services are only paid once per day, etc.)

• Impacts to reporting, claims & payment processing
  ▪ Practice management system capabilities
TRANSITION CONSIDERATIONS, CONT.

• Significance of accurate coding practices
  ▪ Provider training on correct coding guidelines
  ▪ Documentation & coding reviews
  ▪ Electronic health record system capabilities

• Keep current with CMS updates & guidance to be released

• Perform internal testing of detailed billing on claims prior to transition

• Monitor claims & remittance advices for appropriate reporting & associated payment
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