

# **Provider Remittance Advice**

## Quick Reference Guide

When the release of backlogged payments is completed on a weekly basis, payment information will be sent to PaySpan and a Provider Remittance Advice (PRA) will be created. The PRA is broken out by funding stream, provider TIN, provider NPI number, and provider type. It contains the final adjudication status for the claims submitted by your organization. The PRA will include any applicable claims explanation reason codes.

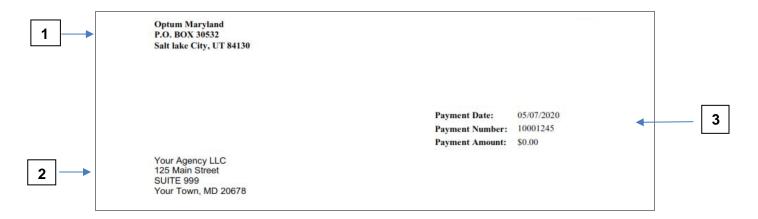
Providers must register with PaySpan to access their PRA. Instructions on how to register can be found in the Reconciliation Process Quick Reference Guide by clicking here.

#### Provider Remittance Advice (PRA) – Reading the Document

A sample PRA is shown below. You will receive a separate PRA like this for each combination of TIN, provider type, NPI number and Funding stream (Medicaid vs State funding). An explanation of each page of the document is shown below.

## Provider Remittance Advice: Page 1

The example below represents page 1 of a PRA.

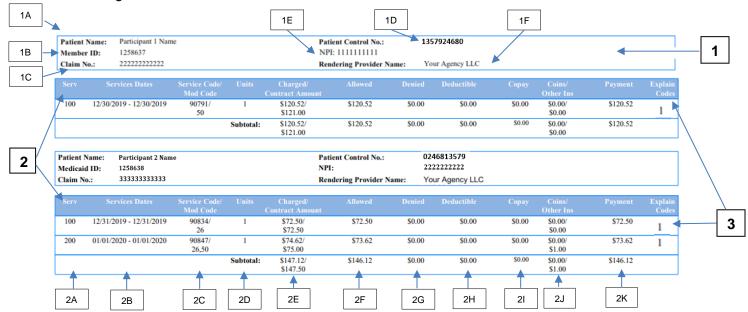




- 1: Optum Maryland Claims address
- 2: Name and address for the organization receiving the PRA
- 3: Payment / PRA date, any applicable check number (Payment Number) and check dollar amount (Payment Amount)

### Provider Remittance Advice: Page 2

Page 2 of the PRA contains detailed claims information for each claim released.



- 1: Participant information and claims header details:
  - 1A: Patient Name Participant name
  - 1B: Medicaid ID Participant's Medicaid ID number
  - 1C: Claim Number Claim number assigned by Incedo
  - 1D: Patient Control Number
  - 1E: NPI number
  - 1F: Rendering Provider Name
- 2: Claim detail information as submitted by the provider:
  - 2A: Service Incedo assigned grouping number
  - 2B: Service Dates Date that service was rendered to the participant
  - 2C: Service Code/Modifier Code Procedure or modifier codes submitted on claim
  - 2D: Units The number of times a service was performed
  - 2E: Charged/Contract Amount Dollar amount billed by provider
  - 2F: Allowed Dollar amount allowed per fee schedule
  - 2G: Denied Dollar amount not approved for payment



- 2H: Deductible N/A
- 2I: Copay N/A
- 2J: Coins/Other Insurance N/A
- 2K: Payment Dollar amount paid for the service code on claim
- 3: PRA explanation codes and reconciliation detail

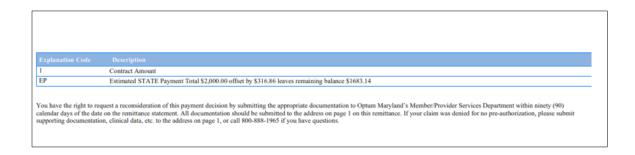
#### Provider Remittance Advice: Page 3

Page 3 of the PRA lists the *final totals* for the PRA and includes an *explanation code for reconciliation dollars (shown as "EP")*.



1: Final totals and explanation code represented in this example by "EP"

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- The "EP" explanation code in this example represents the reconciliation calculation.
- The Total will represent all estimated dollars balances through the PRA run.
- The offset dollars represent the dollars linked to the backlogged claims released on this PRA cycle.



#### **Important Reminders:**

- PRAs are created at Tax Identification Number (TIN), National Identification Number (NPI) and Funding Stream (Medicaid vs State Dollars)
- The calculation of estimated payments and remaining balance will change each week as the estimated payments and backlogged claims are reconciled