

**ADMINISTRATIVE BULLETIN 19-04**

**957 CMR 8.00: All Payer Claims Database (APCD) and  
Case Mix and Charge Data Submission**

**Effective August 26, 2019**

The Center for Health Information and Analysis (CHIA) is issuing this Administrative Bulletin pursuant to 957 CMR 8.07(1) to notify Hospitals required to submit data to CHIA in accordance with 957 CMR 8.00 of changes to the Case Mix and Charge Data file submission guidelines.

CHIA updated the FY 2020 Case Mix and Charge data submission requirements with one new data element, a Primary Payer Type Code for Emergency Department (ED) and Outpatient Observation (OOD).

CHIA also increased the number of Associated Diagnosis codes and CPT codes in the OOD Submission Guide.

Additionally, CHIA updated the edits and changed the existing ED Boarding data elements for Inpatient Discharge (HIDD) and OOD from error type “Note” to error type “B”. The edit specifications for Diagnosis Codes, External Cause Codes and Procedure Codes along with other assorted Case Mix and Charge Data field edits, descriptions and data code tables have been updated or improved for clarity.

The following table lists the data elements with updated specifications. Technical specifications for these fields are found within the related Submission Guides. The changes noted herein and within the Submission Guides will be in effect beginning with the quarterly submission of 10/1/2019 – 12/31/2019 (1st Quarter 2020). The due date for the filing of 1st Quarter 2020 is March 16, 2020.

<b>New Data Element</b>	<b>File Type</b>
Payer Type Code	Emergency Department, Outpatient Observation
Associated Diagnosis Code (11 through 15)	Outpatient Observation
CPT Code (6 through 10)	Outpatient Observation
<b>Existing Data Element with Updated Edits</b>	<b>File Type</b>
Payer Type/Source of Payment	Inpatient Discharge, Emergency Department, Outpatient Observation
Medicaid Claim Certificate Number (New MMIS ID/Medicaid)	Inpatient Discharge, Emergency Department, Outpatient Observation
Patient Last Name	Inpatient Discharge, Emergency Department, Outpatient Observation

Patient First Name	Inpatient Discharge, Emergency Department, Outpatient Observation
Principal External Cause Code	Inpatient Discharge, Emergency Department, Outpatient Observation
ICD Indicator	Inpatient Discharge, Emergency Department, Outpatient Observation
Associated Diagnosis Code	Inpatient Discharge, Emergency Department, Outpatient Observation
Number of hours in ED	Inpatient Discharge, Outpatient Observation
Emergency Department Registration Date/Time	Inpatient Discharge, Outpatient Observation
Emergency Department Discharge Date/Time	Inpatient Discharge, Outpatient Observation
Principal Diagnosis Code	Emergency Department
Procedure Code	Emergency Department
Stated Reason for Visit	Emergency Department
Condition Present on Observation	Emergency Department, Outpatient Observation