Meaningful Use for Eligible Professionals who use Method II Billing*

Notes:
1. *Method II Billing is also known as Provider-Based Billing

2. The 90-day measurement period for Stage 1, Year 1 of Meaningful Use can begin in 2013.


4. Providers who use Method II Billing are also subject to penalties on their Part B Allowable Charges should they fail to meet MU requirements.

5. **To avoid penalties on Medicare Part B charges:** Eligible Providers who have not attested to MU must attest to 90 days of Stage 1 MU by Oct 1, 2014. That means the measurement period should start in July 2014. Providers who attest in 2014 must attest using 2014 Certified EHR technology. The maximum incentive payment for those attesting in 2013 = $39,000; for those attesting in 2014, the maximum = $24,000

6. Contact your REACH Field Service Consultant for assistance with registration, measurement, reporting, and attestation for the MU program.

* Some REACH clients have asked for clarification of POS 23 in terms of UB Billing. Here is the CMS answer: “CMS would identify the ED service by the presence of the 045x revenue code on the claim. 098x rev codes that share the same date of the ED rev code on the claim would be considered hospital base. Non-hospital based would be where no 045x rev code is present for the same date of service as the 098x rev codes.”