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To: MaineCare Providers
From: Jennifer Palow, Pharmacy Division Director
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Re: Upgrade to HIPAA v. 5010 for Pharmacy 835s

If you receive an 835 (electronic RA) this applies to you. MaineCare will no longer provide a HIPAA Version 4010 835 after March 31, 2012.

Starting April 1, 2012, 835s will only be available in HIPAA Version 5010. All pharmacies must be registered as trading partners with MaineCare to continue to receive HIPAA Version 5010 835s.

Elect to receive HIPAA Version 5010 835s by:

- Logging into your Trading Partner account.
- Clicking on “Provider Associations” button.
- Clicking the “Edit” button.
- Selecting the radio button for the 5010 version and click on the “Update” button.

For complete instructions and screen shots about electing to receive a 5010 835 file, please go to the HIPAA 5010 webpage and look for the section called “Toolkit for Trading Partners”. (http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/oms/5010_icd10/5010_index.html).

Please allow sufficient time to complete trading partner registration if needed and to test the receipt of the HIPAA Version 5010 835 to ensure you have the correct software, data layout, etc.

If you have questions, please call 1-866-690-5585, Option 3.