# State of Michigan Workers' Disability Compensation Agency Compensation Supplement Fund Reimbursement

## **EDI Requirements**

## Establish EDI Partnership:

Prior to acceptance of electronic submission of CSF Reimbursement Applications (Form WC-114), the following preparations must be completed. To initiate a CSF EDI partnership, please contact Mike Dittenber via phone at 517-643-6613 or e-mail at <a href="DittenberM1@michigan.gov">DittenberM1@michigan.gov</a>

- **Trading Partner Agreement:** CSF EDI submitters must sign an Electronic Partnering Agreement. The agreement establishes a mutual understanding of the method and processing expectations for successfully exchanging data electronically. The Agreement includes:
  - Electronic Trading Partner Profile
  - o Electronic Partnering Claims Administrator ID List
  - o Transmission Profile Receiver's Specifications
  - Transmission Profile Sender's Response
- FTP Requirements:
  - An FTP Mailbox must be setup for file transfers. An IP Address, USER ID, password and pickup/delivery instructions will be provided.
  - EDI transaction files should be 128 bit encrypted and should be transferred by FTP.
  - o The file transfer mode must be ASCII (not Binary).
  - o File naming conventions have been developed to designate "Test" or "Production" transaction files. These naming conventions will be provided when the FTP Mailbox is set up. File transfers must comply with these naming conventions.
- **Test Requirements:** The following "test" conditions must be submitted to the Test environment, meet all filing requirements, and be acknowledged with a "TA" or "TR" Application Acknowledgment Code:
  - Multiple periods periods must be consecutive; amounts must calculate correctly for the period. At least one transaction must be accepted with each of the following conditions:
    - ☐ Two payment periods, i.e., 1<sup>st</sup> quarter with:
      - From 01-01-XX to 02-26-XX
      - From 02-27-XX to 04-01-XX
  - Termination types at least one transaction containing each of following Termination Reason Codes must be accepted:
    - □ D (Death including death date)
    - □ O (Other including "reason text" and date)
    - □ R (Redemption including Redemption order date)
  - ➤ Multiple filings for the same claim i.e., 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> quarter filings on the same SSN/DOI. The filings must be unique (not previously filed and cannot be more than one year back).

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#### Transmissions:

- 1. <u>Filing deadline</u>: Transmissions will be processed daily. Files should be transferred to the assigned CSF EDI mailbox by 8:00 p.m. Transmissions received after that time will be processed the following business day.
- 2. File Structure: Electronic Reimbursement Application transmissions should be composed of:
  - One Header record (HD1), which identifies the sender
  - One or more 114 (detail) records (Request for Reimbursement)
  - One Trailer (TR2) summarizes the batch
  - Transactions must be batched by carrier, i.e., administrators who service more than one carrier (Insurer FEIN) should include a new header record, detail record(s) and trailer record for each carrier being reported.

The electronic 114 record layout is 363 positions. The sender should initialize the 363 positions with spaces. Each field within the layout, if populated, should be populated based on the data element's data format. If the value of a field is not known, then it should be passed as spaces to retain data positioning within the file layout. During WDCA transaction processing, the data will be re-defined with the expected formatting defined in the F114 Layout. Valid reimbursement periods are available on WDCA website in *Compensation Supplement Fund* section LEO - Forms (michigan.gov).

As a batch of transactions is compiled, detail records should be assigned a "Record Sequence Number". Sequence numbering should begin at 1 and be incremented by 1 each time a new detail record (114) is added to the batch. Detail record count in the Trailer record (TR2) should equal the number of 114 records in the batch.

- 3. <u>Trading Partner tables</u>: Electronic Reimbursement Requests must comply with data requirements described in the *CSF EDI Trading Partner tables*, including worksheets containing the following details:
  - CSF EDI Events Describes events that trigger criteria as well as timeliness limitations.
  - HD1 (Header) illustrates contents and data positions of incoming and outgoing header records.
  - 114 Layout and requirements illustrates the expected data positions of the electronic 114
    Reimbursement Requests and the requirement severity of the report contents required for
    successful transaction processing.
  - TR2 (Trailer) describes contents and data position of incoming and outgoing trailer records.
  - AKC (Acknowledgment) acknowledgment that will be returned after the file has been processed by WDCA.
  - DN Error Message (Edits) Provides edits used for transaction processing. Values populated at the intersection of the Data Element number (DN) and the Error message translate as follows:
    - o "X" at the intersection indicates the edit will be applied to the data element.
    - "C" at the intersection indicates the edit will be applied to the conditions described on the Content Restrictions table.
  - Population Restrictions Describes expectation of data content and content of acknowledgment of erroneous data.
  - 114 Mapping Illustrates the mapping of the EDI data elements to the hard copy of the 114 Request for Reimbursement form.

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### Match Data:

Social Security Number (SSN), Date of Injury (DOI), quarter (QTR) and year (YR) will be used for determining duplicate reimbursement requests (TA – Transaction Accepted) on WDCA database. Corrections or changes for previously filed reimbursement quarters cannot be submitted electronically. Please contact the Agency for corrections or changes.

#### Data Formats:

Spaces indicate absence of data for every field in the record.

• Dates: Type = DATE: CCYYMMDD

Data elements that are assigned the format of DATE should be populated with only a valid date. All zeros in a date field are considered to be invalid data.

Example: CCYYMMDD: 20011201 = 12/01/2001

Time: Type = TIME: HHMMSS

Only a valid time in military format, zero, or spaces are allowed in time fields. Use 24-hour military time. All zeros in a time field is valid and equivalent to 240000 or 2400.

Example: HHMMSS: 142903 = 2:29:03 P.M.

• Monetary Amounts: Type = 9(X)V99

Data elements that are assigned the format of 9(X)V99 (where X = number of digits) should be populated with a valid monetary amount. Valid entries consist of the number of numeric digits indicated in the 114 record layout with the decimal point assumed to be immediately preceding the last two positions.

Example: 9(3)V99 = 05000 = \$50.00

• Numeric: Type = N

Data elements that are assigned the format of N should be populated with only a valid numeric. Valid values consist of 0 - 9 and are right justified zero filled to the left.

Example: 3 numeric '123' in 6 byte field = 000123

• Alphanumeric: Type = A/N

Data elements that are defined the format of A/N consist of a sequence of any characters from common character code schemes of EBCDIC, ASCII, and CCITT International Alphabet 5. When using an alphanumeric field, the significant characters are always left justified in the field with any remaining space in the field padded with spaces. Alphanumeric character set includes those selected from the uppercase letters, numeric digits, space character, and special characters as follows: A...Z, 0...9, < . > /?;:'"[{]}\|`~!@#\$%^&\*()-\_= + (space). Limitations of characters or a group of characters within field, when applicable, will be indicated in the Edit Matrix. Use of any special characters as record delimiters is subject to the trading partner agreement identifying delimiters.

## Acknowledgments:

Each batch of transactions is subject to edits based on the designated data format, requirement and applicable edits described in the *CSF EDI Trading Partner tables* spreadsheet. The result of the edit is returned in the Application Acknowledgment Code of the Acknowledgment (AKC) record:

Acknowledgment Code	Transaction Status
TA – Transaction Accepted	Transaction as passed initial editing.
TR – Transaction Rejected	Transaction failed initial editing. Errors must be fixed
	and may be re-submitted.
HD – the entire batch of	The batch failed structure edits. Detail records were
Reimbursement Requests has	not processed. The batch structure may be fixed and
been rejected	re-submitted.

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