

License Number for Phase II - How to send a License Number as a Provider Identifier?

This requirement applies to trading partners sending the ASC X12 270, 278, and 837 transactions, and NCPDP 5.1 Requests.

When using a License Number as a provider identifier for eMedNY Phase II, NYSDOH additionally requires a three-digit Profession Code as a prefix. The codes are a subset of the two-digit Profession Codes assigned by the New York State Department of Education (NYSDOH) and the Office of the Professions when it issues professional licenses. A leading zero is added to the left to create the NYSDOH three-digit Profession Code and, for NYS licensed providers, two more zeros must follow between the Profession Code and the License Number. An exception exists for services of a NYS licensed Privileged Nurse Practitioner or Privileged Midwife. In these two cases a value of '0F' must be inserted between the Profession Code and License Number instead of the two zeros.

All out-of-state licenses must be formatted with the two-letter State, District of Columbia, or US Territory Code as assigned by the United States Postal Service instead of the '00' or '0F' values.

This formatting specification will allow the association of the provider on a claim with a provider reported on an X12 278 Prior Authorization in the Requester Supplemental Identification and/or Service Provider Supplemental Identification segment(s) using the 'ZH' qualifier.

When reporting the Prescriber ID in the NCPDP Prescriber Segment and a Qualifier of '08' is reported, NYSDOH expects Provider Profession Code and NYS Provider License Number. If an out-of-state License Number is used, NYS expects the NYS Provider Profession Code, a State Code and the Provider License Number.

License Type to Profession Code Mapping

Previous implementations required a two-digit License Type as a prefix to the License Number. The License Type is replaced by a three-digit Profession Code in Phase II. The following table shows the relationship between the License Type and Profession Code and, using dummy values to populate the license number, resulting compound identifiers. For out-of-state license examples the District of Columbia is used.

License Type	NYSDOH Profession Code	License Type Description	Profession Code Description	Compound Identifier for Phase II
01	060	NYS GROUP PHYSICIAN	PHYSICIANS	06000123456
02	050	NYS GENERAL DENTIST	DENTIST/DENTAL SCHOOL	05000123456
04	060	NYS GENERAL SURGEON	PHYSICIAN	06000123456
05	060	NYS ORTHOPEDIC SURGEON	PHYSICIAN	06000123456
06	060	NYS PHYSIATRIST	PHYSICIAN	06000123456
07	060	NYS OTOLARYNGOLOGIST	PHYSICIAN	06000123456
08	060	NYS OTHER PHYSICIAN SPECIALIST	PHYSICIAN	06000123456
09	023	NYS PHYSICIANS ASSISTANT	PHYSICIANS ASSISTANT	02300123456
11	060	OOS GROUP PHYSICIAN	PHYSICIANS	060DC123456
12	050	OOS GENERAL DENTIST	DENTIST/DENTAL SCHOOL	050DC123456
14	060	OOS GENERAL SURGEON	PHYSICIAN	060DC123456
15	060	OOS ORTHOPEDIC SURGEON	PHYSICIAN	060DC123456
16	060	OOS PHYSIATRIST	PHYSICIAN	060DC123456
17	060	OOS OTOLARYNGOLOGIST	PHYSICIAN	060DC123456
18	060	OOS OTHER PHYSICIAN SPECIALIST	PHYSICIAN	060DC123456
19	023	OOS PHYSICIANS ASSISTANT	PHYSICIANS ASSISTANT	023DC123456
20	020	NYS PHARMACISTS	PHARMACISTS	02000123456
21	050	NYS ORAL SURGEON	DENTIST/DENTAL SCHOOL	05000123456
22	050	NYS MAXILLOFACIAL PROSTHODONTIST	DENTIST	05000123456
23	050	NYS OTHER DENTAL SPECIALIST	DENTIST	05000123456
24	060	NYS OPHTHALMOLOGIST	PHYSICIAN	06000123456
25	056	NYS OPTOMETRIST	OPTOMETRISTS	05600123456
26	065	NYS PODIATRIST	PODIATRIST	06500123456
27	057	NYS AUDIOLOGIST	AUDIOLOGY	05700123456
28	058	NYS SPEECH PATHOLOGIST	SPEECH THERAPY	05800123456

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29	028	NYS NURSE/MIDWIFE (See below for Nurse Practitioner.)	MIDWIFERY	02800123456
29	028	NYS PRIVILEGED NURSE/MIDWIFE (See below for Nurse Practitioner.)	MIDWIFERY	028 0F 123456
30	020	OOS PHARMACISTS	PHARMACISTS	020 DC 123456
31	050	OOS ORAL SURGEON	DENTIST/DENTAL SCHOOL	050 DC 123456
32	050	OOS MAXILLOFACIAL PROSTHODONTIST	DENTIST/SCHOOL	050 DC 123456
33	050	OOS OTHER DENTAL SPECIALIST	DENTIST/SCHOOL	050 DC 123456
34	060	OOS OPHTHALMOLOGIST	PHYSICIAN	060 DC 123456
35	056	OOS OPTOMETRIST	OPTOMETRISTS	056 DC 123456
36	065	OOS PODIATRIST	PODIATRIST	065 DC 123456
37	057	OOS AUDIOLOGIST	AUDIOLOGY	057 DC 123456
38	058	OOS SPEECH PATHOLOGIST	SPEECH THERAPY	058 DC 123456
39	030	OOS NURSE PRACTITIONER	NURSE PRACTITIONER/ADULT HEALTH	030 DC 123456
40	024	NYS SPECIALIST ASSISTANT	SPECIALIST ASSISTANT	02400123456
41	063	NYS OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST	OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST	06300123456
42	010	NYS NURSE	PRACTICAL NURSE	01000123456
45	080	NYS CERTIFIED SOCIAL WORKER	CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER	08000123456
46	062	NYS PHYSICAL THERAPIST	PHYSICAL THERAPIST	06200123456
47	027	NYS MASSAGE THERAPY	MASSAGE THERAPY	02700123456
48	048	NYS DIETETICS/NUTRITION	DIETETICS/NUTRITION	04800123456
49	049	NYS CERTIFIED DENTAL ASSISTANT	CERTIFIED DENTAL ASSISTANT	04900123456
50	024	OOS SPECIALIST ASSISTANT	SPECIALIST ASSISTANT	024 DC 123456
51	063	OOS OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST	OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST	063 DC 123456
52	010	OOS NURSE	PRACTICAL NURSE	010 DC 123456
55	080	OOS CERTIFIED SOCIAL WORKER	CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER	080 DC 123456

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56	062	OOS PHYSICAL THERAPIST	PHYSICAL THERAPIST	062DC123456
57	027	OOS MASSAGE THERAPY	MASSAGE THERAPY	027DC123456
58	048	OOS DIETETICS/NUTRITION	DIETETICS/NUTRITION	048DC123456
59	049	OOS CERTIFIED DENTAL ASSISTANT	CERTIFIED DENTAL ASSISTANT	049DC123456
60	051	NYS DENTIST HYGIENTIST	DENTIST HYGIENTIST	05100123456
61	052	NYS RESPIRATORY THERAPIST	RESPIRATORY THERAPIST	05200123456
62	055	NYS OPHTHALMIC DISPENSER	OPHTHALMIC DISPENSER	05500123456
63	053	NYS RESPIRATORY THERAPY TECHNICIAN	RESPIRATORY THERAPY TECHNICIAN	05300123456
64	064	NYS OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT	OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT	06400123456
66	066	NYS PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT	PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT	06600123456
68	025	NYS ACUPUNCTURE	ACUPUNCTURE	02500123456
70	051	OOS DENTIST HYGIENTIST	DENTIST HYGIENTIST	051DC123456
71	052	OOS RESPIRATORY THERAPIST	RESPIRATORY THERAPIST	052DC123456
72	055	OOS OPHTHALMIC DISPENSER	OPHTHALMIC DISPENSER	055DC123456
73	053	OOS RESPIRATORY THERAPY TECHNICIAN	RESPIRATORY THERAPY TECHNICIAN	053DC123456
74	064	OOS OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT	OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT	064DC123456
75	070	NYS CHIROPRACTOR	CHIROPRACTOR/PORT XRAY SVC(QMB)	07000123456
76	066	OOS PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT	PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT	066DC123456
77	068	NYS CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGIST	PSYCHOLOGIST	06800123456
78	025	OOS ACUPUNCTURE	ACUPUNCTURE	025DC123456
81	081	NYS DENTAL PARENTERAL CONSCIOUS SEDATION	DENTAL PARENTERAL CONSCIOUS SEDATION	08100123456
82	082	NYS DENTAL GENERAL ANESTHESIA	DENTAL GENERAL ANESTHESIA	08200123456
83	083	NYS DENTAL ENTERAL CONSCIOUS	DENTAL ENTERAL CONSCIOUS	08300123456
87	068	OOS CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGIST	PSYCHOLOGIST	068DC123456

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88	088	NYS DENTAL PARENTERAL CONSCIOUS SEDATION	DENTAL PARENTERAL CONSCIOUS SEDATION	08800123456
89	089	NYS DENTAL ANESTHESIA	DENTAL ANESTHESIA	08900123456
91	081	OOS DENTAL PARENTERAL CONSCIOUS SEDATION	DENTAL PARENTERAL CONSCIOUS SEDATION	081 DC 123456
92	082	OOS DENTAL GENERAL ANESTHESIA	DENTAL GENERAL ANESTHESIA	082 DC 123456
93	083	OOS DENTAL ENTERAL CONSCIOUS	DENTAL ENTERAL CONSCIOUS	083 DC 123456
95	070	OOS CHIROPRACTOR	CHIROPRACTOR/PORT XRAY SVC	070 DC 123456
98	088	OOS DENTAL PARENTERAL CONSCIOUS SEDATION	DENTAL PARENTERAL CONSCIOUS SEDATION	088 DC 123456
99	089	OOS DENTAL ANESTHESIA	DENTAL ANESTHESIA	089 DC 123456

Licenses for NYS Nurse Practitioners include the Profession Code as the first two digits of the License Number. There are fifteen NYS-licensed areas of Nurse Practitioner specialization. The specification does not change for these providers, other than the requirement to insert a value of '0F' between the Profession Code and License Number for services rendered by a Privileged Nurse Practitioner.

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29	030	NYS NURSE PRACTITIONER	NURSE PRACTITIONER – ADULT HEALTH	03000301234 030 0F 301234
29	031	NYS NURSE PRACTITIONER	NURSE PRACTITIONER – COLLEGE HEALTH	03100311234 031 0F 311234
29	032	NYS NURSE PRACTITIONER	NURSE PRACTITIONER – COMMUNITY HEALTH	03200321234 032 0F 321234
29	033	NYS NURSE PRACTITIONER	NURSE PRACTITIONER – FAMILY HEALTH	03300331234 033 0F 331234
29	034	NYS NURSE PRACTITIONER	NURSE PRACTITIONER – GERONTOLOGY	03400341234 034 0F 341234
29	035	NYS NURSE PRACTITIONER	NURSE PRACTITIONER – NEONATOLOGY	03500351234 035 0F 351234
29	036	NYS NURSE PRACTITIONER	NURSE PRACTITIONER – OBSTETRICS & GYNECOLOGY	03600361234 036 0F 361234
29	037	NYS NURSE PRACTITIONER	NURSE PRACTITIONER – ONCOLOGY	03700371234 037 0F 371234
29	038	NYS NURSE PRACTITIONER	NURSE PRACTITIONER – PEDIATRICS	03800381234 038 0F 381234
29	039	NYS NURSE PRACTITIONER	NURSE PRACTITIONER – PERINATOLOGY	03900391234 039 0F 391234
29	040	NYS NURSE PRACTITIONER	NURSE PRACTITIONER – PSYCHIATRY	04000401234 040 0F 401234
29	041	NYS NURSE PRACTITIONER	NURSE PRACTITIONER – SCHOOL HEALTH	04100411234 041 0F 411234
29	042	NYS NURSE PRACTITIONER	NURSE PRACTITIONER – WOMEN'S HEALTH	04200421234 042 0F 421234
29	043	NYS NURSE PRACTITIONER	NURSE PRACTITIONER – ACUTE CARE	04300431234 043 0F 431234
29	044	NYS NURSE PRACTITIONER	NURSE PRACTITIONER – PALLIATIVE CARE	04400441234 044 0F 441234
29	045	NYS NURSE PRACTITIONER	NURSE PRACTITIONER – HOLISTIC CARE	04500451234 045 0F 451234