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SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE SUBMISSION OF UTILISATION DATA IN ANNUAL STATUTORY RETURNS

PART 2.10 - UTILISATION OF OTHER BENEFIT SERVICES

Added variables in 2006:

Group Practice (50)

Edited Variables in 2006:

Name change:

Blood and Blood Product Couriers (03)

Clinical Services - Oxygen Supplier (90-001)

Clinical Services - Appliance supplier (90-002/007/013/014)

Clinical Services - Prosthetic Supplier (90-003/004/005/006)

Clinical Services - Other (90-008/009/010/011/012)

Transferred from Part 2.9:

Blood Transfusion Services (78)

Community Health Services (97)

Drug and Alcohol Rehabilitation (47)

Hospice (79)

Mental Health Institutions (55)

Sub Acute Facilities/Step Down Facilities (49)

Validation Rules:

1. "Number of beneficiaries who submitted at least one claim" < total number of beneficiaries in scheme as at 31st December OR average number of beneficiaries as at 31st December
2. "Number of beneficiaries who submitted at least one claim" < "Total number of claims from beneficiaries"



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3. “Number of beneficiaries who submitted at least one claim” $\neq 0$ (i.e. zeros and blanks will not be accepted)
4. “Total number of claims from beneficiaries” $\neq 0$ (i.e. zeros and blanks will not be accepted)

NOTE: The variable “Other Benefit Services” should never be used when a pre-defined category exists. In cases where “Other Benefit Services” is used as a “dumping ground”, the Annual Statutory Return will be rejected and returned to the Principle Officer for correction and re-submission.