

TRICARE CONTRACT CHANGES REMINDER

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Dear Trading Partner,

This is a reminder regarding the Department of Defense (DoD) contract awards for T2017 TRICARE East and West regions. The new T2017 West web site, listed below, is now available for additional information.

The T2017 West and East contracts begin with dates of health care service January 1, 2018.

Important information for current and new TRICARE West region contract:

- Continue to submit electronic (EDI) claims to PGBA for **ALL dates of service prior to and after 1/1/18** just as you are currently submitting West region today.
- Continue to submit claims to PGBA with the **same Payer-ID: 99726**, used today.

Important information for current TRICARE North and South region contracts:

- Current North and South region EDI claims for **dates of service PRIOR to 1/1/18** should continue to be submitted to PGBA as they are today.
- PGBA will continue to accept North and South region claims with dates of service prior to 1/1/18 until 4/30/18.

Important information for new East region contract (combined North & South)

- TRICARE East region claims for **dates of service 1/1/18 AND AFTER** will be the responsibility of HGB/WPS as of 1/1/18.
- Any East Region claims submitted with dates of service on or after 1/1/18 are to be submitted to HGB/WPS.
- Call (800) 782-2680 for EDI claims information in the TRICARE East region.

Additional information about the TRICARE contract changes can be found at www.mytricare.com and www.tricare-west.com.

Thank you.