NCNotify

Event Notifications Powered by NC HealthConnex

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CMS Final Rule (CMS-9115-F) modifies the Conditions of Participation (CoPs) to require hospitals, including psychiatric hospitals and critical access hospitals (CAHs), to send electronic patient event notifications of a patient's admission, discharge, and/or transfer (ADT).

- ✓ All Participants send ADT data to NC HealthConnex
- Participants can subscribe to NC*Notify for all required notifications
- Notifications include patient, provider, organization information



Originally released in 2018 as a file-based solution, the NC*Notify service has evolved to meet the needs of its growing subscriber base which includes health systems, primary care facilities, accountable care organizations, payers, and behavioral health agencies among others. This service provides an economical and powerful utility for participating NC HealthConnex organizations to support value-based care initiatives. It is open to all full participants.



For more information on how to enroll in NC*Notify or become a Participant of NC HealthConnex, contact hiea@nc.gov or visit https://hiea.nc.gov/services/ncnotify.



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How to Enroll

Become a full Participant of NC HealthConnex

Submit NC*Notify <u>enrollment</u> form to <u>hiea@nc.gov</u> with selected options below.

Options

Subscription

1. Auto-subscription (recommended)

Any time NC HealthConnex receives a message from your organization for a patient, the patient will be automatically assigned to your panel for a configurable period. If no other messages are received for the patient from your organization in the configured time frame he/she will be removed from the active panel.

2. NC*Notify Standard Patient Panel

A comma-delimited file of patients will be sent to NC HealthConnex via secure file transfer (SFTP), direct secure messaging (DSM), or via the web portal. The panel will include all required fields in the format <u>specified</u>. A new, full panel needs to be sent at least quarterly and can be refreshed at any time.

3. Custom Patient Panel

A delimited file of patients will be sent to NC HealthConnex via secure file transfer (SFTP) or direct secure messaging (DSM). The panel will include all required fields in any format or order and will be mapped by the NC HealthConnex technical team. A new, full panel in the same format needs to be sent at least quarterly and can be refreshed at any time.

Results

1. NC*Notify web portal (recommended)

View notifications on the web portal accessible via single-sign on from the NC HealthConnex portal (portal.nchealthconnex.net). Requires a no-cost account for the NC HealthConnex portal.

2. Receive notification result file

Subscribers will receive a delimited file containing one row per patient and event. File can be sent via DSM or sFTP.

3. Receive notifications as HL7 ADT

Notifications will be sent as distinct HL7 v2.5 ADT messages. These messages can be sent in near real-time over a secure channel.

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