

NUCC Recommended Transition Timeline for the Revised 1500 Claim Form

July 2006

The NUCC has made modifications to its recommended timeline for transitioning to the revised 1500 Claim Form. The timeline is now:

- **October 1, 2006:** Health plans, clearinghouses, and other information support vendors should be ready to handle and accept the revised (08/05) 1500 Claim Form.
- **October 1, 2006 – March 31, 2007:** Providers can use either the current (12/90) version or the revised (08/05) version of the 1500 Claim Form.
- **April 1, 2007:** The current (12/90) version of the 1500 Claim Form is discontinued; only the revised (08/05) form is to be used. All rebilling of claims should use the revised (08/05) form from this date forward, even though earlier submissions may have been on the current (12/90) 1500 Claim Form.

The NUCC strongly recommends that providers contact their health plans and/or clearinghouses/vendors prior to submitting a claim on the revised form to ensure that they are prepared to accept the revised form.