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Introduction

The Provider Characteristics Code Set is for use with health care provider information for enrollment and credentialing transactions and their corresponding responses. It is intended to provide codified responses to questions presented to a health care provider applying to or registering with an entity and to report the outcome of such application or registration. It may also be used for responses to inquiries regarding provider participation or registration in a program or plan.

This is not intended to be a comprehensive list of services rendered by a health care provider.

This code set was formulated so that the absence of information is a meaningful statement and should describe the most common situation. (i.e. "2S" = x-rays are provided at this location. No data transmitted means x-rays are not provided, "2S" transmitted means x-rays are provided.) New statements should follow this guideline and should be screened so that conflicting information is not introduced (do not add "provider is participating" AND "provider is not participating". Select the least common statement to add to the list).

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- 10 Provider has a medical condition that impairs or limits him/her to practice
 - 11 Provider receives public funding
 - 13 This is a primary care provider
 - 14 Provider has ownership or financial interest in another medical establishment
 - 15 Professional liability coverage has been restricted/terminated/or modified
 - 16 This is the provider's primary insurance coverage
 - 17 This is the provider's excess insurance coverage
 - 18 Excess insurance coverage exists for this provider
 - 19 Provider is self-insured
 - 1A Provider's self-insurance is funded
 - 1B Provider's self-insurance is not funded
 - 1C Provider has had adverse action on state license, certificate, or registration
 - 1D Provider has had adverse action on DEA or other applicable narcotic registration
 - 1E Provider has had adverse action on hospital or other health care facility staff membership for privileges
 - 1F Provider has had adverse action on professional organization membership
 - 1G Provider has had adverse action on Medicare, Medicaid or other government health programs
 - 1H Provider has had adverse action on any prepaid health plan or managed care participation
 - 1I Provider has had adverse action with respect to educational or training institution or program
 - 1J Provider has had adverse action by professional society or association
 - 1K Provider is under health plan administrative sanction
 - 1L Provider accepts Workers' Compensation
 - 1M Provider accepts Medicare assignment
 - 1N Provider accepts Medicaid assignment
 - 1O Provider participates in Medicare and accepts assignment
 - 1P Provider participates in Medicaid and accepts assignment
 - 1Q Provider is not accepting new patients for obstetric care
 - 1R This location is handicapped accessible
 - 1S This location is less than 1 block from public transportation
 - 1T This location is less than 5 blocks from public transportation
 - 1U This location is less than 1 mile from public transportation
 - 1V This location is 1 or more miles from public transportation
 - 1W This location has a full time assistant available
 - 1X This location has a part time assistant available
 - 1Y This location has Telecommunication Device for the Deaf (TDD) equipment
 - 1Z This location is medically fragile equipped
 - 20 This location employs para-professional staff/employees

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- 21 This location maintains para-professional credentialing, licensure & malpractice information
 - 22 This location admits and cares for patients on its own hospital service
 - 23 The scheduling time for urgent care at this location is more than 24 hours
 - 24 The scheduling time for symptomatic care at this location is more than 72 hours
 - 25 The scheduling time for routine visits at this location is more than 7 days
 - 26 The scheduling time for preventive routine care at this location is more than 30 days
 - 27 The waiting time at this location is more than 30 minutes from time of scheduled appointment
 - 28 Allergy skin testing is provided at this location
 - 29 Asthma treatment is provided at this location
 - 2A EKG services are provided at this location
 - 2B Flexible sigmoidoscopy is provided at this location
 - 2C IV hydration/treatment is provided at this location
 - 2D Laceration repair is provided at this location
 - 2E Laboratory services/testing is provided at this location
 - 2F Massage therapy is provided at this location
 - 2G Minor fracture work is provided at this location
 - 2H Minor surgery is provided at this location
 - 2I Occupational therapy is provided at this location
 - 2J Gynecology services are provided at this location
 - 2K Obstetric services are provided at this location
 - 2L Osteopathic manipulation is provided at this location
 - 2M Physical therapy is provided at this location
 - 2N Pulmonary function studies are provided at this location
 - 2O Speech pathology is provided at this location
 - 2P Hearing tests are provided at this location
 - 2Q Visual screenings are provided at this location
 - 2R Mammography services are provided at this location
 - 2S X-rays are provided at this location
 - 2T This hospital has a Medicare Prospective Payment System (PPS) exempt rehabilitation unit
 - 2U This hospital has a Medicare Prospective Payment System (PPS) exempt psychiatric unit
 - 2V Assistive aid information not collected from the provider
 - 55 Accepted
 - 56 Unspecified Error
 - 57 Failed Field Edits
 - 58 Minimum Fields Missing
 - 59 Exact Duplicate

5A	Rejected by NPI Enumerator
5B	Invalid Taxonomy Code
5C	Taxonomy Code Mismatch
5D	SSN Validation Error
5E	Mailing Address Error
5F	Location Address Error
5G	NPI not on File
5H	Invalid Deactivation Reason Code
5I	Pended by GateKeeper
5J	Pended by L/S/T
5K	Duplicate record
5L	Schema validation failed
5M	Individual Verification - Found
5N	Individual Verification - Not Found
5O	Individual Verification - Close Match
5P	Individual Verification - Insufficient Data
5Q	Organization Verification - Found
5R	Organization Verification - Not Found
5S	Organization Verification - Close Match
5T	Organization Verification - Insufficient Data
5U	Individual Data Dissemination - Fulfilled
5V	Individual Data Dissemination - Not Fulfilled
5W	Organization Data Dissemination - Fulfilled
5X	Organization Data Dissemination - Not Fulfilled
5Y	Unspecified Response
5Z	This location is a retail health center
6A	This provider is a free-standing laboratory
6B	This provider is a free-standing imaging center
6C	This is a mobile provider that travels to the location of a patient and does not have a specific service address
6D	This location is an urgent care center
6E	This provider offers telehealth services
6F	Medication-assisted Treatment (MAT) for Opioid Use Disorders is provided at this location
6G	Physician authorized to dispense Medication-assisted Treatment (MAT) for Opioid Use Disorders
6H	This location is a certified Opioid Treatment Program
6I	Counseling for Opioid Use Disorders is provided at this location

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- 6J This provider offers testing for COVID-19
 - 6K This provider offers a vaccine for COVID-19
 - 6L This provider offers only virtual services
 - 6M Provider may be in contract renegotiations
 - 6N Durable medical equipment & medical supplies related to patient mobility assistance is available at this location
 - 6O Durable medical equipment & medical supplies related to blood sugar maintenance is available at this location
 - 6P Durable medical equipment & medical supplies related to patient bedding is available at this location
 - 6Q Durable medical equipment & medical supplies related to sleep apnea is available at this location
 - 6R Durable medical equipment & medical supplies related to infusion therapy is available at this location
 - 6S This location provides only laboratory specimen collection, not onsite testing services
 - 6T This provider offers a vaccine for influenza
 - 6U This provider offers mass immunizations
 - 6V Qualified medical interpreter services are provided at this location
 - 6W No appointment is required at this location
 - 6X This provider offers concierge services for a special fee
 - 6Y This provider is an Essential Community Provider
 - 6Z This provider is an Essential Access Community Hospital
 - 7A This provider is an Indian Health Service (IHS)/Tribal 638/Urban Indian Provider
 - 7B This provider has an area of focus in Attention Deficit Disorders (ADD/ADHD)
 - 7C This provider has an area of focus in adoption related services
 - 7D This provider has an area of focus in anxiety and panic disorders
 - 7E This provider has an area of focus in dialectical behavioral therapy
 - 7F This provider has an area of focus in bipolar disorders/manic depressive illness
 - 7G This provider has an area of focus in depression
 - 7H This provider has an area of focus in personality disorders
 - 7I This provider has an area of focus in schizophrenia disorders
 - 7J This provider has an area of focus in autism spectrum disorders
 - 7K This provider has an area of focus in behavioral therapy for autism spectrum disorders
 - 7L This provider has an area of focus in bariatric psych assessment
 - 7M This provider has an area of focus in eating disorders
 - 7N This provider has an area of focus in behavior modification
 - 7O This provider has an area of focus in cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT)
 - 7P This provider has an area of focus in Solution-Focused Brief Therapy

- 7Q** This provider has an area of focus in chemical dependency/chemical dependency assessment
- 7R** This provider has an area of focus in faith counseling
- 7S** This provider has an area of focus in compulsive gambling
- 7T** This provider has an area of focus in cultural issues
- 7U** This provider has an area of focus in divorce and blended family issues
- 7V** This provider has an area of focus in family therapy
- 7W** This provider has an area of focus in group therapy
- 7X** This provider has an area of focus in electroconvulsive therapy
- 7Y** This provider has an area of focus in sexual orientation issues
- 7Z** This provider has an area of focus in medication management
- 8A** This provider has an area of focus in neuropsychological testing
- 8B** This provider has an area of focus in psychological testing
- 8C** This provider has an area of focus in obsessive compulsive disorder
- 8D** This provider has an area of focus in pain management
- 8E** This provider has an area of focus in transgender issues
- 8F** This provider has an area of focus in sexual disorders
- 8G** This provider has an area of focus in abuse, assault and trauma
- 8H** This provider has an area of focus in post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD)
- 8I** This provider has an area of focus in HIV/AIDS issues
- 8J** This provider has an area of focus in men's issues
- 8K** This provider has an area of focus in women's issues
- 8L** This provider has an area of focus in prenatal issues
- 8M** This provider has an area of focus in postpartum issues
- 8N** This provider has an area of focus in fertility
- 8O** This provider has an area of focus in geriatrics
- 8P** This provider has an area of focus in end of life issues
- 8Q** This provider offers treatment or rehabilitation to individuals with substance use disorders in an inpatient residential setting
- 8R** This provider offers intensive inpatient treatment to individuals with substance use disorders for crisis stabilization in a hospital setting, usually for less than 30 days
- 8S** This provider offers intensive treatment to individuals with substance use disorders to prevent hospitalization or as continuation of treatment following an inpatient hospitalization. Patients attend sessions for usually six or more hours a day most days
- 8T** This provider offers treatment to individuals with substance use disorders in an outpatient clinic or private office setting
- 8U** This provider offers outpatient treatment that is less intensive than partial hospitalization to individuals with substance use disorders. Patients live independently and attend sessions for usually three to four hours a day

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- 8V** This provider offers treatment or rehabilitation to individuals with behavioral or mental health disorders in an inpatient residential setting
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 - 9A** This provider offers services that meet the social, cultural, and linguistic needs of persons
 - 9B** This location offers access that complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act, including any applicable amendments
 - 9C** This location is accessible to public transportation
 - 9D** This provider offers the capability to communicate when intended recipient is not immediately available
 - 9E** This provider offers services for visually impaired persons
 - 9F** This provider offers services for cognitively impaired persons
 - 9G** This location offers services for mobility impaired persons