

Type of Medicare billing

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Property

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Definition: Direct billed (bulk billed) claims are when the provider of the service accepts the Medicare benefit as full payment for the service.

This occurs when the patient assigns their right to the benefit to the provider. There is no out-of-pocket cost for these services (unless a bulk-billing co-payment is applied).

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This definition is the same as the DE GFU. I needed to put it somewhere it could be seen by the user.

Property group: [Funding characteristics](#)

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Department of Health

Relational attributes

Data Element Concepts implementing this property: [Service event—type of Medicare billing](#)
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