
Blue Cross Blue Shield of Illinois AVAILITY Enrollment Instructions –Claims and ERA

- ✓ **BEFORE enrolling, you MUST have a Practice Insight EDI customer account # with billing provider record added.** Please contact your EDI solutions reseller to confirm your EDI account setup.
- ✓ **Make sure all required information is complete and accurate.** Recheck provider numbers to be sure they are valid and accurate. Invalid or incorrect provider IDs will cause the enrollment to be delayed or rejected.
- ✓ **Keep a copy of the completed enrollment pages.** Note the date and method of submission. Keep a copy of the completed request in case you should need to follow up or resubmit.

**FAX COMPLETED FORMS TO-
AVAILITY, 972-383-6450**

837- CLAIMS Provider Enrollment (New) or (Change of Service)

No EDI enrollment necessary to submit electronic claims.

835 - ERAs Electronic Remittance Request (New)

1. Electronic Remittance Advice (ERA) Enrollment Form (1 page)
UNDER - **Change an Existing or Add a New ERA Account**
SEE Add a new ERA Receiver ID
PLACE ✓ I want to create a new ERA account.
UNDER- **Provider Information**
ENTER Billing Provider Information. Provider Signature is Required.

835- ERAs Electronic Remittance Request (Change of Service)

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UNDER- **Change an Existing or Add a New ERA Account**
SEE Change an existing ERA Receiver ID
PLACE ✓ I need to change my ERA account information.
UNDER- **Provider Information**
ENTER Billing Provider Information. Provider Signature is Required.

ALLOW 2-4 WEEKS FOR PROCESSING

*If it has been over 30 days since this request was submitted and the provider has not yet received ERAs from this payer, please contact your Support Vendor.
PI Resellers or Support Vendors may contact Practice Insight Enrollment Department.*



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Electronic Remittance Advice (ERA) Enrollment Form

Availity, L.L.C. supports the exchange of electronic remittances in the ASC X12 835, version 4010A1 format. The enrollment process establishes an electronic mailbox where Availity® will place the electronic remittance file(s) received from payer(s). The provider's Federal Tax ID is required to establish an ERA Receiver mailbox and also will be used to parse remittance transactions from the payer. The assigned electronic ERA Receiver ID and password will be returned via fax to the contact and fax number provided on the enrollment form.

If you are a Billing Service or Clearinghouse wishing to receive the ERA on behalf of a provider, the provider must complete the enrollment documents authorizing you to retrieve their remittance files, or a copy of the Power of Attorney must be submitted with the enrollment form.

NOTE: The paper Provider Claims Summary (PCS) currently provided by Blue Cross and Blue Shield will be discontinued 30 days from the date you begin receiving the ERA files.

CHANGE AN EXISTING OR ADD A NEW ERA ACCOUNT (SELECT ONE)

Change an existing ERA Receiver ID	Add a new ERA Receiver ID
<input type="checkbox"/> I need to add a new payer to my ERA account	<input type="checkbox"/> I want to create a new ERA account
<input type="checkbox"/> I need to change my ERA account information	<input type="checkbox"/> I want to receive my ERAs in my current Submitter mailbox
<input type="checkbox"/> I need to delete my ERA account information	<input type="checkbox"/> I am a Uniform Payment Plan (UPP) Provider - IL ONLY
	<input type="checkbox"/> I need a separate mailbox for my Electronic Payment Summary (EPS) File

INDICATE WHO WILL RECEIVE THE ERA FILE

Provider Billing Service Clearinghouse Other (please specify):

MEDIA TYPE (SELECT ONE)

rEDI-Link Mailbox File Transfer Protocol (FTP)* ZIP compression needed? (*FTP enrollment is required for this option. For instructions, visit Availity's Web site at www.availity.com.)

RECEIVER INFORMATION

Availity User ID				
Receiver Name				
Receiver Address	City	State	Zip	
Contact Name				
Telephone + extension	Fax Number			
E-mail Address				
Vendor Name/ID (if applicable)				

PAYER INFORMATION

Payer Name BCBSIL BCBSNM BCBSOK BCBSOX

PROVIDER INFORMATION

Check here if the Provider is the same as the Receiver/Submitter.

National Provider Identifier (NPI) (10-digit Billing NPI)										BCBS Provider Number (if NPI is not applicable – for example, "Atypical Provider")									
Provider Name (please print)										Federal Tax ID									
Provider Address										City					State		Zip		
Provider Signature (Required)										Date									

If you have any questions regarding the enrollment process you may contact Availity Client Services at (800) AVAILITY (282-4548). Return your completed, signed form via mail or fax to:

Availity
P.O. Box 833905
Richardson, TX 75098-3905
Fax: (972) 383-6450

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