

EDI Support Services

Understanding the Transaction Acknowledgement and TA1 Interchange Acknowledgement

Purpose of the Transaction Acknowledgement (TRN) and TA1 Interchange Acknowledgement (TA1):

The purpose of the Transaction Acknowledgement (TRN) and TA1 Interchange Acknowledgement (TA1) is to confirm that EDI Support Services (EDISS) received the interchange or transmission.

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Transaction Acknowledgement (TRN)

The Transaction Acknowledgement Report (TRN) sums up the basic attributes of a submitted electronic claim transaction. This report tells you if EDISS' front-end collection system is able to read the submitted claim file. The Transaction Acknowledgement Report will display three properties of the submitted file:

- Confirmation of receipt
- Descriptions of validation problems
- File recognition

This report is available for each electronic file submitted to EDISS. A Trading Partner may retrieve this report from their mailbox immediately following the file transmission. If the electronic file rejects at this level, no other reports will follow.

The TA1 Interchange Acknowledgment (TA1)

The TA1 Interchange Acknowledgment (TA1) is used to acknowledge syntactical correctness of the envelope associated with an ANSI X12 claim transaction. **The TA1 report will only be delivered if the ISA*14 is set to "1" and there are errors.** The TA1 report will not generate if no errors are detected.