



Release Notes- Fiscal Year 2013

VA-DoD Resource Sharing Inpatient Institutional Billing- Modified TRICARE MS-DRG Payment Calculator (IIC)

For Patients Discharged in FY13

Two versions of the VA-DoD IIC with simplified user input fields

For MTFs with **standard** direct care resource sharing agreements (i.e., charge TRICARE CMAC rates less 10% discount), use the “Standard_Modified_VA-DoD_Inp Inst Calculator_FY13” version.

For MTFs that have negotiated discounts **other than the standard 10% discount** or have specific negotiated reimbursement amounts, use the “Variable_Rate_Modified_VA-DoD_Inp Inst Calculator_FY13_” version.

Addition of the Inpatient Billing Guide and “Prof Services-DME-Rx-Pass Thru” worksheets

The Inpatient Billing Guide and “Prof Services-DME-Rx-Pass Thru” worksheets are new for FY13 and are contained in the same workbook as the IIC. They are designed to aid MTFs that provide VA-DoD resource sharing agreement care in keeping track of all charges, institutional and non-institutional (e.g. professional services, pharmaceutical), related to an inpatient episode of care.

Addition of the TMA UBO FY13 VA-DoD Resource Sharing Inpatient Institutional Billing Modified TRICARE MS-DRG Payment Calculator and Inpatient Billing Guide USER GUIDE

The USER GUIDE provides step-by-step instructions on how to use the IIC, IBG, and “Prof Services-DME-Rx-Pass Thru” worksheet.

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