

Silver State Health Insurance Exchange

SSHIX Electronic Data Interchange
Overview of EDI Testing Scenarios

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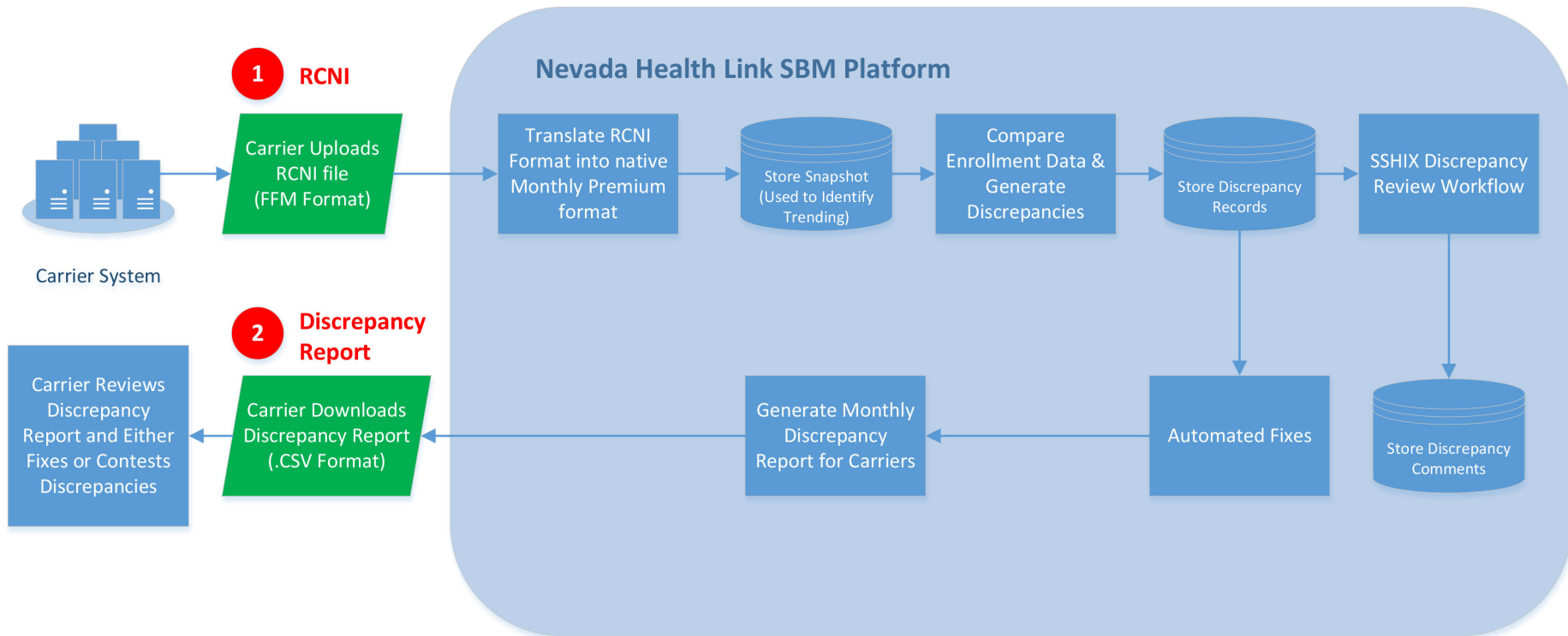
Agenda

- Revised 834 Companion Guide
- EDI Transactions and Monthly Reconciliation
- Overview of EDI Test Scenarios
- EDI Testing Methodology
- EDI Testing Schedule

Revised 834 Companion Guide

- GetInsured has issued a revised version 2.1.1 of their 834 Companion Guide, which is based on CMS' version 1.7 Companion Guide
- This version provides a detailed comparative analysis versus the CMS version 1.7 and draft version 3.2 Companion Guides, using sidebar comments to highlight specific distinctions
- Section 12.5 lists the transaction types (INS03 values) which are *not* supported by the HIX system
- The revised 834 Companion Guide v2.1.1 is available for download at www.nevadahealthlink.com/carrier-transition/

EDI Transactions and Monthly Reconciliation



- Rather than receiving a monthly 834 Audit File report, carriers send monthly data to SSHIX in the “Reconciliation Inbound” (RCNI) format currently utilized by the FFE. No monthly 820 file is required.
- Unlike the monthly 834 Audit File process, which provides no insight to the extent of discrepancies or the actions taken by issuers to correct them, reconciliation status and history—including comments entered during the SSHIX Discrepancy Review process—are available to customer support agents.



Overview of EDI Test Scenarios



- The SSHIX EDI Carrier Testing Guide worksheet provides a detailed, step-by-step description of sixteen unique test scenarios.
- Collectively these scenarios should address the full breadth of real-world transactions that will occur on the production HIX system.
- Scenarios 1-14 simulate 834 transactions, including enrollment, effectuation, re-enrollment, child-only enrollment, termination, reinstatement etc.
- Scenario 15 requires carriers to populate the results of Scenarios 1-14 into an RCNI file, to simulate the monthly reconciliation workflow.
- Scenario 16 simulates annual renewals.
- End-to-End testing, wherein carriers might create an enrollment by role-playing a consumer in a test environment, is not in scope for EDI Testing.

EDI Testing Methodology

- A five-business-day testing window (Mon-Fri) will be allowed for each test scenario.
- Stephen Ostien will email carrier EDI Testing contacts at the beginning of each testing window with detailed instructions for the relevant test scenario(s).
- Each test scenario will begin with GetInsured uploading an 834 to the SFTP repository; each file will be tailored to the specific carrier, referencing PY2019 Plan Data.
- Carriers will consumer the 834 and send response files (TA1/999 within 12-24 hours, 834 response within 24-48 hours).
- Stephen Ostien will provide oversight and will follow up individually with carriers if errors are encountered.

EDI Testing Timeline

- Testing will begin on Monday, April 1st
- Testing will conclude on Friday, May 31st
- Detailed dates for each test scenario are provided in the SSHIX EDI Carrier Testing Guide
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Questions and Answers

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