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Section Specifications for HHS R58 2010

HOME HEALTH UTILIZATION SUMMARY

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BOX HHS1

BOX INSTRUCTIONS

IF SP RECEIVED CARE FROM AT LEAST ONE HOME HEALTH PROFESSIONAL DURING THE PREVIOUS ROUND, GO TO BOX HHS1A.

ELSE GO TO BOX HHS2.

OTHER PROGRAMMING INSTRUCTIONS

DESIGN NOTES

Begin Loop 1: Collect current round Home health information regarding each Home Health professional visit from previous round.

BOX HHS1A

BOX INSTRUCTIONS

CREATE CURRENT ROUND HERO RECORD FOR HH PROVIDER BEING ASKED ABOUT
GO TO HHS1 - PROFPROB.

OTHER PROGRAMMING INSTRUCTIONS

BACKGROUND VARIABLE ASSIGNMENTS

Home Health events are stored on EVNT and HERO.

EVNT Key = EVNT.EVNTBASE + EVNT.EVNTNUM

EVNT.EVNTNUM = number of Home Health Event.

EVNT.EVNTPROV = number of Home Health Provider associated with event.

Round specific Home Health event details are stored on HERO. Each Home Health event from the previous round will automatically have a current round HERO generated:

HERO key = HERO.HEROBASE + HERO.HEROEVNT + HERO.HERORND

HERO.HEROEVNT = EVNT.EVNTNUM for Home Health Event.

HERO.HERORND = current round.

Set HERO variables as instructed below.

| Variable Name | Assignment Instructions |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| HEROEVNT | HERO.HEROEVNT = EVNT.EVNTNUM. |
| HERORND | HERO.HERORND=current round. |

HHS1

Yes/No

QUESTION TEXT

We recorded that [you/(SP)] had been helped at home by (someone from) [READ PROVIDER BELOW] between (SUMMARY REFERENCE DATE) and (REFERENCE DATE). Has (anyone from) [READ PROVIDER BELOW] helped [you/(SP)] at home (since REFERENCE DATE/between REFERENCE DATE and DATE OF DEATH/ INSTITUTIONALIZATION)?

FIELD 1: PROFPROB**FIELD 1 ROUTING**

| Value | Label | Route |
|-------|------------------------------------------------|----------|
| 1 | YES | BOX HHS3 |
| 2 | NO | BOX HHS5 |
| 3 | HOME HEALTH ENTERED IN ERROR IN PREVIOUS ROUND | BOX HHS5 |
| | Don't Know | BOX HHS5 |
| | Refused | BOX HHS5 |

FIELD 1 ATTRIBUTES

| Cheshire Name | Answers Allowed |
|---------------|-----------------|
| HERO.PROFPROB | 1 |

OTHER PROGRAMMING INSTRUCTIONS**REPORT DISPLAY**

Display Provider and Subprovider Names for the first/next Home Health provider currently being asked about.

Column 1, header = DO NOT DISPLAY A HEADER

Column 1, display =

If someone works for this provider, display Provider Name, (PROVIDER NAME), followed by Subprovider Name, PROV.SUBPROV, in parenthesis.

Ex: PROVIDER NAME (SUBPROVIDER NAME).
Else display Provider Name, (PROVIDER NAME).

BACKGROUND VARIABLE ASSIGNMENTS

SETTING DELETE FLAGS:

If HHS1 - PROFPROB=3/HomeHealthEnteredInError, then set the following flags:

- 1) Set HERO.HERODFLG=1/Yes on previous round HERO.
- 2) (If there is no other Home Health visit linked to this event) and EVNT.PREVHERO ^= 1/Yes, set EVNT.EVNTDFLG=1/Yes on this EVNT:

DETERMINE WHETHER OR NOT ANOTHER HH VISIT IS LINKED TO THIS EVENT:

If there is a HERO where (HERO.HEROEVT=this EVNT.EVNTNUM and HERO.HERORND ^= previous round & HERO.HERODFLG ^= 1/Yes and (HERO.OTHMEALS ^= empty or HERO.HELPUNIT ^= empty)), then there is a Home Health visit linked to this event.

| Variable Name | Assignment Instructions |
|---------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| HERODFLG | If HHS1 - PROFPROB=3/HomeHealthEnteredInError, set HERO.HERODFLG=1/Yes on HERO where HERO.HERORND=previous round. |
| EVNTDFLG | If HHS1 - PROFPROB=3/HomeHealthEnteredInError and there is no other Home Health visit linked to this event and EVNT.PREVHERO ^= 1/Yes, set EVNT.EVNTDFLG=1/Yes. |

BOX HHS2

BOX INSTRUCTIONS

IF SP RECEIVED HOME HEALTH CARE FROM AT LEAST ONE FRIEND OR RELATIVE DURING THE PREVIOUS ROUND, GO TO BOX HHS2A.

ELSE GO TO BOX HHS6.

OTHER PROGRAMMING INSTRUCTIONS

DESIGN NOTES

Begin Loop 2: Collect current round Home health information regarding each Home Health friend/relative visit from previous round.

BOX HHS2A

BOX INSTRUCTIONS

CREATE CURRENT ROUND HERO RECORD FOR HH PROVIDER BEING ASKED ABOUT
GO TO HHS2 - FRNDPROB.

OTHER PROGRAMMING INSTRUCTIONS

BACKGROUND VARIABLE ASSIGNMENTS

Home Health events are stored on EVNT and HERO.

EVNT Key = EVNT.EVNTBASE + EVNT.EVNTNUM

EVNT.EVNTNUM = number of Home Health Event.

EVNT.EVNTPROV = number of Home Health Provider associated with event.

Round specific Home Health event details are stored on HERO. Each Home Health event from the previous round will automatically have a current round HERO generated:

HERO key = HERO.HEROBASE + HERO.HEROEVNT + HERO.HERORND

HERO.HEROEVNT = EVNT.EVNTNUM for Home Health Event.

HERO.HERORND = current round.

Set HERO variables as instructed below.

| Variable Name | Assignment Instructions |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| HEROEVNT | HERO.HEROEVNT = EVNT.EVNTNUM. |
| HERORND | HERO.HERORND=current round. |

HHS2

Yes/No

QUESTION TEXT

We recorded that [you/(SP)] had received personal care or help with daily needs at home from (someone from) [READ PROVIDER BELOW] between (SUMMARY REFERENCE DATE) and (REFERENCE DATE). [Have you/Has (SP)] received personal care or help with daily needs at home from (anyone from) [READ PROVIDER BELOW] (since REFERENCE DATE/between REFERENCE DATE and DATE OF DEATH/ INSTITUTIONALIZATION)?

FIELD 1: FRNDPROB**FIELD 1 ROUTING**

| Value | Label | Route |
|-------|---------------------------------------------------|----------|
| 1 | YES | BOX HHS3 |
| 2 | NO | BOX HHS5 |
| 3 | HOME HEALTH ENTERED IN ERROR IN PREVIOUS ROUND | BOX HHS5 |
| | Don't Know | BOX HHS5 |
| | Refused | BOX HHS5 |

FIELD 1 ATTRIBUTES

| Cheshire Name | Answers Allowed |
|---------------|-----------------|
| HERO.FRNDPROB | 1 |

OTHER PROGRAMMING INSTRUCTIONS**REPORT DISPLAY**

Display Provider and Subprovider Names for the first/next Home Health provider currently being asked about.

Column 1, header = DO NOT DISPLAY A HEADER

Column 1, display =

If someone works for this provider, display Provider Name, (PROVIDER NAME), followed by

Subprovider Name, PROV.SUBPROV, in parenthesis.
 Ex: PROVIDER NAME (SUBPROVIDER NAME).
 Else display Provider Name, (PROVIDER NAME).

BACKGROUND VARIABLE ASSIGNMENTS

SETTING DELETE FLAGS:

If HHS2 - FRNDPROB=3/HomeHealthEnteredInError, then set the following flags:

- 1) Set HERO.HERODFLG=1/Yes on previous round HERO.
- 2) (If there is no other Home Health visit linked to this event) and EVNT.PREVHERO ^= 1/Yes, set EVNT.EVNTDFLG=1/Yes on this EVNT:

DETERMINE WHETHER OR NOT ANOTHER HH VISIT IS LINKED TO THIS EVENT:

If there is a HERO where (HERO.HEROEVT=this EVNT.EVNTNUM and HERO.HERORND ^= previous round & HERO.HERODFLG ^= 1/Yes and (HERO.OTHMEALS ^= empty or HERO.HELPUNIT ^= empty)), then there is a Home Health visit linked to this event.

| Variable Name | Assignment Instructions |
|---------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| HERODFLG | If HHS2 - FRNDPROB=3/HomeHealthEnteredInError, set HERO.HERODFLG=1/Yes on HERO where HERO.HERORND=previous round. |
| EVNTDFLG | If HHS2 - FRNDPROB=3/HomeHealthEnteredInError and there is no other Home Health visit linked to this event and EVNT.PREVHERO ^= 1/Yes, set EVNT.EVNTDFLG=1/Yes. |

BOX HHS3

BOX INSTRUCTIONS

IF TYPE OF HOME HEALTH PROVIDER ORGANIZATION IS A MEAL PROGRAM, GO TO HHS3 - OTHMEALS.

ELSE GO TO BOX HH1BB.

OTHER PROGRAMMING INSTRUCTIONS

DESIGN NOTES

If Provider is not a meal program, BOX HHS3 is routed directly to BOX HH1BB in the HH section to collect current round Home Health event details.

HHS3

Yes/No

QUESTION TEXT

Since (REFERENCE DATE), has (PROVIDER NAME) provided any services to [you/(SP)] other than delivering meals?

FIELD 1: OTHMEALS**FIELD 1 ROUTING**

| Value | Label | Route |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1 | YES | BOX HH1BB |
| 2 | NO | BOX HHS5 |
| | Don't Know | BOX HHS5 |
| | Refused | BOX HHS5 |

FIELD 1 ATTRIBUTES

| Cheshire Name | Answers Allowed |
|----------------------|------------------------|
| HERO.OTHMEALS | 1 |

OTHER PROGRAMMING INSTRUCTIONS**DESIGN NOTES**

If the Home Health Provider Organization provided any other services other than meals, HHS3 is routed directly to BOX HH1BB in the HH section to collect current round Home Health event details.

BOX HHS5

BOX INSTRUCTIONS

IF ASKING ABOUT HOME HEALTH PROFESSIONALS FROM THE PREVIOUS ROUND, THEN

IF SP RECEIVED CARE FROM ANOTHER HOME HEALTH PROFESSIONAL DURING THE PREVIOUS ROUND, GO TO BOX HHS1A.

ELSE GO TO BOX HHS2.

ELSE IF ASKING ABOUT HOME HEALTH CARE FROM A FRIEND OR RELATIVE FROM THE PREVIOUS ROUND, THEN

IF SP RECEIVED HOME HEALTH CARE FROM ANOTHER FRIEND OR RELATIVE DURING THE PREVIOUS ROUND, GO TO BOX HHS2A.

ELSE GO TO BOX HHS6.

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OTHER PROGRAMMING INSTRUCTIONS

DESIGN NOTES

BOX HHS5 serves as an End Loop Box for Loop 1 and Loop 2.

If asking about Home Health professionals from BOX HHS1, BOX HHS5 will route back to BOX HHS1A for the next Home Health professional from the previous round. Otherwise BOX HHS5 will route to BOX HHS2 to check for previous round Home Health Friends/Relatives.

Else if asking about Home Health Friends/Relatives from BOX HHS2, BOX HHS5 will route back to BOX HHS2A for the next Home Health friend/relative. Otherwise BOX HHS5 will route to BOX HHS6 to complete HHS section.

BOX HHS6

BOX INSTRUCTIONS

GO TO NEXT SECTION