

Changes to timely filing requirements coming in October

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In the effort to simplify our processes, align with industry standards, and better support coordination of care, Anthem Blue Cross (Anthem) is changing professional agreements to adopt a common time frame for the submission of claims. **Notification was sent June 21, 2019, to providers of applicable networks and contracts.**

Effective **for all claims received by Anthem on or after October 1, 2019**, all impacted contracts will require the submission of all professional claims within ninety (90) days of the date of service. This means claims **submitted on or after October 1, 2019** will be subject to a ninety (90) day timely filing requirement, and Blue Cross will refuse payment if submitted more than ninety (90) days after the date of service¹.

If you have any questions, email our Network Relations staff at CAContractSupport@anthem.com.

¹If Plan is the secondary payor, the ninety (90) day period will not begin until Provider receives notification of primary payor's responsibility.

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