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TITLE 186 HEALTH REGISTRIES AND RELEASE OF INFORMATION

CHAPTER 6 OUTPATIENT SURGICAL PROCEDURES DATA

001. SCOPE AND AUTHORITY. The regulations set the procedures for reporting by hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers pursuant to Nebraska Revised Statutes (Neb. Rev. Stat.) §§ 81-6,111 to 81-6,119.

002. DEFINITIONS. Definitions set out in Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 81-6,111 to 81-5,119 apply to this chapter.

003. DATA REQUIREMENTS. Every hospital or ambulatory surgical center licensed under the Health Care Facility Licensure Act must report outpatient surgical and related information to the Department as required by Neb. Rev. Stat. § 81-6,114.

003.01 DATA FORMAT. The information must be submitted in an electronic format that meets the requirements of Attachment 1.

004. CONFIDENTIALITY AND RELEASE OF INFORMATION. All information reported pursuant to this chapter is subject to the confidentiality requirements set out in Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 81-6,115 through 81-6,117.

005. FAILURE TO REPORT. A late fee of \$50 per day, to a maximum of \$1000 may be imposed for failure to report.

ATTACHMENT 1

Nebraska Hospitals and Ambulatory Surgery Centers Data Dictionary.
This precise format is necessary.
Please follow the instructions for preparing the data.

REQUIRED	VARIABLE NAME	VARIABLE LABEL OR CODE	DATA TYPE	LENGTH	Row one of the text file may have the field names as column headings but should not have a case record.
1	Facility	Hospital or Ambulatory Surgery Center name. Full name of Hospital or Ambulatory Surgery Center	Char	35	Column A, repeat for each record
2	State License	License number issued by Nebraska DHHS alpha-numeric Example ASC099	NUM		Column B, repeat for each record
3	License	The national provider identifier number. It is an alpha-numeric consisting of 10 characters	NUM	10	Column C, repeat for each record
4	Charges	Facility portion of billed charges associated with primary procedure performed. Facility portion of billed charges should not include professional fees. 18 digits numeric unsigned 15 positions for whole dollar, 1 position for decimal and 2 positions for cents.	NUM	18	Column C, no \$ sign, no comma separator, numeric only, use decimal point and "00" if whole dollar charge. No need for leading zeroes.
5	County	County Name (Residence)	CHAR	35	Column D, leave blank if unknown
6	State	Patient State Code (Residence). Two letters postal code of the state name	CHAR	2	Column E, two letter postal code only - ALL CAPS
7	ZIP5	5-Digit patient zip code (Residence). 5-Digits numeric zip code	NUM	5	Column F, 5-Digit only
8	PROC	Primary outpatient surgical procedure performed for each patient encounter at the facility, reported by Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) codes or Health Care Financing Administration Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) codes Procedure codes. Refer to CPT or HCPCS coding manual.	CHAR	5	Column G, alpha-numeric
9	DATE	The date the procedure was performed MM/DD/YYYY	NUM	10	Column I, exactly this format, use "/", not "-", use leading zeroes. Use four digit year.

10	PAYERCD	Payer Code 1 – Medicare 2 – Medicaid 3 – Commercial Insurance 4 – Self Pay 5 – Other Government 6 – Workers Compensation	CHAR	2	Column H. One digit of number. No insurance name, please.
11	GENDER	Gender of the patient Male = M Female = F Unknown = U	CHAR	1	Column J, one letter only
12	AGE	Age of the patient in years at the time of procedure. If less than 1 year, age = 0	NUM	3	Column K, numbers only
OPTIONAL					
13	DOB	Date of patient birth MM/DD/YY	NUM	10	Column L, exactly this format, use "/" not "-", use leading zeroes. Use four digit year.
14	DIAG1	Primary ICD-10 Diagnosis Code Diagnosis Codes. Refer to ICD-10-CM coding manual	CHAR/NUM	7	Column M, ICD Code only 1st character is alpha (not U); 2nd & 3rd characters are numeric; 4th, 5th & 6th characters can be any combination of alpha & numeric; 7th character (extension character) can be alpha or numeric
15	DIAG2	Secondary ICD-10 Diagnosis Code Diagnosis codes. Refer to ICD-10-CM coding manual	CHAR/NUM	7	Column N, ICD Code only 1st character is alpha (not U); 2nd & 3rd characters are numeric; 4th, 5th & 6th characters can be any combination of alpha & numeric; 7th character (extension character) can be alpha or numeric
16	DIAG3	Tertiary ICD-10 Diagnosis Code Diagnosis codes. Refer to ICD-10-CM coding manual	CHAR/NUM	7	Column O, ICD Code only 1st character is alpha (not U); 2nd & 3rd characters are numeric; 4th, 5th & 6th characters can be any combination of alpha & numeric; 7th character (extension character) can be alpha or numeric

17	DIAG4	Fourth ICD-10 Diagnosis Code Diagnosis codes. Refer to ICD-10-CM coding manual	CHAR/NUM	7	Column P, ICD Code only 1st character is alpha (not U); 2nd & 3rd characters are numeric; 4th, 5th & 6th characters can be any combination of alpha & numeric; 7th character (extension character) can be alpha or numeric
18	DIAG5	Fifth ICD-10 Diagnosis Code Diagnosis codes. Refer to ICD-10-CM coding manual	CHAR/NUM	7	Column Q, ICD Code only 1st character is alpha (not U); 2nd & 3rd characters are numeric; 4th, 5th & 6th characters can be any combination of alpha & numeric; 7th character (extension character) can be alpha or numeric
19	DIAG6	Sixth ICD-10 Diagnosis Code Diagnosis codes. Refer to ICD-10-CM coding manual	CHAR/NUM	7	Column R, ICD Code only 1st character is alpha (not U); 2nd & 3rd characters are numeric; 4th, 5th & 6th characters can be any combination of alpha & numeric; 7th character (extension character) can be alpha or numeric
20	DIAG7	Seventh ICD-10 Diagnosis Code Diagnosis codes. Refer to ICD-10-CM coding manual	CHAR/NUM	7	Column S, ICD Code only 1st character is alpha (not U); 2nd & 3rd characters are numeric; 4th, 5th & 6th characters can be any combination of alpha & numeric; 7th character (extension character) can be alpha or numeric

21	DIAG8	<p>Eight ICD-10 Diagnosis Code</p> <p>Diagnosis codes. Refer to ICD-10-CM coding manual</p>	CHAR/NUM	7	<p>Column T, ICD Code only</p> <p>1st character is alpha (not U); 2nd & 3rd characters are numeric; 4th, 5th & 6th characters can be any combination of alpha & numeric; 7th character (extension character) can be alpha or numeric</p>
22	DIAG9	<p>Ninth ICD-10 Diagnosis Code</p> <p>Diagnosis codes. Refer to ICD-10-CM coding manual</p>	CHAR/NUM	7	<p>Column U, ICD Code only</p> <p>1st character is alpha (not U); 2nd & 3rd characters are numeric; 4th, 5th & 6th characters can be any combination of alpha & numeric; 7th character (extension character) can be alpha or numeric</p>
23	DIAG10	<p>Tenth ICD-10 Diagnosis Code</p> <p>Diagnosis codes. Refer to ICD-10-CM coding manual</p>	CHAR/NUM	7	<p>Column V, ICD Code only</p> <p>1st character is alpha (not U); 2nd & 3rd characters are numeric; 4th, 5th & 6th characters can be any combination of alpha & numeric; 7th character (extension character) can be alpha or numeric</p>
24	E-CODE	<p>E-code</p> <p>External cause of Injury and poisoning (E-code)</p> <p>Refer to ICD-10-CM coding manual</p>	CHAR/NUM	7	<p>Column W, E-Code only</p> <p>1st character is alpha (not U); 2nd & 3rd characters are numeric; 4th, 5th & 6th characters can be any combination of alpha & numeric; 7th character (extension character) can be alpha or numeric</p>