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Southern California - Prior to 2003

If your Provider Type is:	Sole Proprietorship	Solo Practitioner Incorporated (Inc., LLC., Professional Association)	Group Practice
You will need NPI Type	Type 1 NPI Only	Type 1 & Type 2 NPI	Type 1 - Individual Physicians Type 2 - For Group / Locations
Action Required	None	Provider must complete an 855-I form to be issued a PPIN and Group/Entity number to ensure NPI matching.	Verify all group participants have obtained a Type I NPI.
Billing Information	Provider would enter Type 1 NPI in item 33A. (If you obtained a Type II also due to the use of an EIN, you do not need it for billing Medicare.)	Provider would enter: Type 1 NPI in Item 24J Type 2 NPI in Item 33A	Group would enter Individual / Rendering Type 1 NPI in Item 24J and Group / Location Type 2 NPI in Item 33A

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You will need NPI Type	Type 1 NPI Only	Type 1 & Type 2 NPI	Type 1 - Individual Physicians Type 2 - For Group / Locations
Action Required	None	Provider must verify that both a PPIN and Group/Entity number were issued and are still active. If a provider number has been deactivated, the provider must complete new 855-I form to be issued a PPIN and Group number to ensure prompt claims processing and NPI matching.	Verify Group participants obtained an NPI.
Billing Information	Provider would enter Type 1 NPI in item 33A. (If you obtained a Type II also due to the use of an EIN, you do not need it for billing Medicare.)	Provider would enter: Type 1 NPI in Item 24J Type 2 NPI in Item 33A	Group would enter Individual / Rendering Type 1 NPI in Item 24J and Group / Location Type 2 NPI in Item 33A

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Action Required	None	Provider must complete new 855-I form to be issued a PPIN and Group/Entity number to ensure prompt claims processing and NPI matching.	Verify Group participants obtained an NPI as well complete 855-I and 855-R applications to attach Individual Physician to each Group Location (If Applicable)
Billing Information	Provider would enter Type 1 NPI in item 33A. (If you obtained a Type II also due to the use of an EIN, you do not need it for billing Medicare.)	Provider would enter: Type 1 NPI in Item 24J Type 2 NPI in Item 33A	Group would enter Individual / Rendering Type 1 NPI in Item 24J and Group / Location Type 2 NPI in Item 33A

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Action Required	None	Provider must verify that both a PPIN and Group/Entity number were issued and are still active. If a provider number has been deactivated, the provider must complete a new 855-I form to reactivate either the PPIN or Group number to ensure NPI matching.	Verify Group participants obtained an NPI, completed 855-I to enroll in the program, and the 855-R application to reassign benefits to each Group Location (If applicable)
Billing Information	Provider would enter Type 1 NPI in item 33A. (If you obtained a Type II also due to the use of an EIN, you do not need it for billing Medicare.)	Provider would enter: Type 1 NPI in Item 24J Type 2 NPI in Item 33A	Group would enter Individual / Rendering Type 1 NPI in Item 24J and Group / Location Type 2 NPI in Item 33A