

# IOWA MEDICAID PILOT TESTING NOTIFICATION

10/28/2011

The pilot testing site for Iowa Medicaid is now available and will remain open until **11/11/2011**, beyond the original date of 10/31/2011. We still encourage submission as soon as possible to allow for adequate planning if programmatic changes are required. Test cases and test results tracking documents can be found under the NCPDP D.0 section of our website: [http://www.ghsinc.com/payer\\_sheets](http://www.ghsinc.com/payer_sheets). We do not require certification but we do require submission of a completed test results summary.

Please contact the POS Tech Support helpdesk if you are encountering any technical issues preventing submission of your test claims. We are also eliciting feedback if you have already attempted to submit claims or a timeline on when you intend to submit test claims. If your testing will be conducted by a corporate office or by your software vendor, please provide that information as well.

If you would like to schedule a time to test with our helpdesk, feel free to submit that request.

**NOTE: Please do not reverse your submitted test claims unless the reversal is due to a documented test case. The PCN: IATEST is strictly a pilot testing system and does not require reversals of accepted claims. We are capturing all results for full system integration testing with Iowa's enterprise wide systems.**

## General Information

1. The IOWA Medicaid POS test system will be available until **11/11/2011**.
2. We will not require certification.
3. For testing purposes and questions regarding D.0 testing, contact:  
[POSTechSupport@ghsinc.com](mailto:POSTechSupport@ghsinc.com) or call **877-553-8455**  
Phone support will be available Monday thru Friday from 9 AM EDT to 5 PM EDT.
4. Information regarding pilot testing will be posted at [http://www.ghsinc.com/payer\\_sheets](http://www.ghsinc.com/payer_sheets). Please check back often for updates.
5. All future notices regarding NCPDP D.0 implementation will be posted at:  
[http://www.ghsinc.com/payer\\_sheets](http://www.ghsinc.com/payer_sheets).

## Test Claims

1. The "implementation date" of the pilot testing site will be set to: **09/18/2011**
2. You will use the following BIN for testing: **015863**
3. Testing PCN to be used: **IATEST**
4. You will be testing with your current NPI, which should be on file with GHS.
5. You will use active members for all patient information submitted, which should be on file with GHS.
6. For test cases requiring TPL, please choose members with active TPL status.
7. If fields/segments are provided that are not required in the payer sheet, there will be no editing of the data contained within these fields/segments.
8. For those test scenarios that your pharmacy system does not allow you to configure or submit, please exclude from your testing and note inability to test in your test results summary.
9. For Reversal and Rebill Claims, valid claims with Date of Service up to **09/16/2011** can be used.