

New NAIC Code for SEPA Region Facility Claims Effective January 1, 2024

Effective 1/1/2024, Highmark will be expanding its in-network hospital system to include coverage in Southeastern Pennsylvania. As a result, a new payer ID, 54771S, has been added for institutional claims submission from this "SEPA" region.

Trading Partners that will be submitting 54771S claims will need to update their Trading Partner profile to allow for the new code by completing an *Update Claims Transactions* request form to enable the new payer code.

The Highmark Companion Guide has also been updated (dated 'November 2023' in the Resources Section of this site) to include 54771S references.

A copy of a recent bulletin to Highmark providers can be found by clicking [here](#).