Operations, Maintenance, and Enhancements for OCSS Systems

Electronic National Medical Support Notice

Appendix A

Software Interface Specification

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e-NMSN Version Number Record Layout

All file types submitted to the e-NMSN system must contain the first record as a version number.

Chart A‑1 contains the e-NMSN Version Number Record layout.

| Chart A‑1: e-NMSN Version Number Record Layout | | | | |
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| Field Name | Length | Location | A/N | Comments |
| Record Identifier | 4 | 1–4 | A | Required.  The record identifier for the version number of the records being submitted to the e‑NMSN system.  Valid value: VRSN – Version. |
| Version Number | 4 | 5–8 | A/N | Required.  The version number for the record layout sent to OCSS.  Valid Value: V1.0 |
| Filler:  State Request  Part-A Response  Part-B Response | Varies:  2762  1195  2898 | Varies:  9–2770  9–1203  9–2906 | A/N | Optional.  The filler length varies based on the associated file. |