



Encounter Data Connect:Direct Form

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Contact Information

Contact the Customer Service Support Center (CSSC) Help Desk with any questions using the following contact information:

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Network Mapping Values

In order to set up network mapping entry by the submitter, the following values are provided. Palmetto GBA uses Secure Point of Entry (SPOE) to enforce data security. The CSSC Help Desk will provide the Network Address Translation (NAT) IP Address and Listener Port to the submitter during the connectivity testing phase.

Node ID	SCA.A70NDM.MC
System Platform	OS390, z/OS

Data Submission Information

Listed below are values needed by the submitter in order to code Connect:Direct scripts. The CSSC Help Desk will provide the Submitter ID value that will be used in the Data Set Name (DSN).

DSN	MAB.PROD.NDM.PROD.EDST.<submitter id>(+1)
DSN TEST	MAB.PROD.NDM.TEST.EDST.<submitter id>(+1)
DISP	(NEW,CATLG,DELETE)
UNIT	SYSDG
SPACE	(CYL,(100,100),RLSE)
DCB	(RECFM=FB,LRECL=80,BLKSIZE=27920)

Submitter's Network Mapping Values

Provide the following network mapping values to establish bi-directional data transfers with Palmetto GBA.

NAT IP Address (Obtain from the Network Service Vendor)	
Listener Port	
Node ID	
System Platform	☐ Mainframe ☐ AS/400 ☐ Server

Additional Information

If submitting data files, the Production ID is required. If the submitter's system requires login credentials to receive data files, provide the Login ID.

Production ID	
Login ID	
Technical Contact Name	
Phone Number	
E-mail Address	

Dataset Names

To receive multiple data files and prevent overwriting existing files, it is recommended that Generational Data Group (GDG) dataset names (mainframe platform only) or dataset names containing date and timestamp (any platform) are provided.

Frequency = Daily

Invalid Response	
Format	DSORG=PS,LRECL=80,RECFM=FB
Dataset Name	

TA1 Acknowledgement Response	
Format	DSORG=PS,LRECL=80,RECFM=FB
Dataset Name	

999A Acknowledgement Response	
Format	DSORG=PS,LRECL=80,RECFM=FB
Dataset Name	

999R Acknowledgement Response	
Format	DSORG=PS,LRECL=80,RECFM=FB
Dataset Name	

277CA Acknowledgement Response	
Format	DSORG=PS,LRECL=80,RECFM=FB
Dataset Name	

MAO-001 Data Duplicates Report	
Format	DSORG=PS,LRECL=287,RECFM=FB
Dataset Name	

MAO-001 Data Duplicates File	
Format	DSORG=PS,LRECL=287,RECFM=FB
Dataset Name	

MAO-002 Data Processing Status Report	
Format	DSORG=PS,LRECL=154,RECFM=FB
Dataset Name	

MAO-002 Data Processing Status File	
Format	DSORG=PS,LRECL=154,RECFM=FB
Dataset Name	

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Medicare Advantage Dental Validation Report	
Format	DSORG=PS,LRECL=133,RECFM=FB
Dataset Name	

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