Subject: EVV AHCCCS Aggregator – EVV Vendor Communication RE: Summary of

Fixes [November 20, 2025]



This communication is directed to EVV Software Vendors

AHCCCS is sending this email to vendors **to outline temporary and permanent fixes** that have been completed since the transition to EVV 2.0. Additionally, the purpose of this communication is to **ensure vendors have the relevant directions** to streamline resolution and mitigate visit data acceptance delays.

It is important to note that some fixes are temporary, but more permanent fixes will be put in place mirroring the same result as the temporary fix for vendors and providers.

AHCCCS has also made some updates to the technical specifications found <u>here</u>. Notable updates have been reflected in the matrix below and noted with a "*", but vendors are encouraged to review the updates in their entirety.

Issue	Fix	Vendor Directions
AHCCCS requires all visit data	Temporary: If a visit (without	When updating a visit, send
submissions to be complete	errors) is updated with the	all the required visit data
in order to be accepted.	same visit other ID, the	including the data that is
Previously, if adjustments	previous visit is put into omit	being updated for the same
were needed, vendors were	(do not bill) status.	visit other ID. Do not just
able to send just the updated		send the updated
information		information.
The entire batch was	Permanent: The fix will allow	Only send back records with
rejected even though only	acceptance of records	errors. Do not send all the
some (1 or more) of the	without errors from the	records in the payload, only
records had errors.	payload. AHCCCS is able to	those with errors.
	accept records in the batch	
	that meet the criteria and	
	reject only those with errors.	

Vendors acknowledging	Permanent: AHCCCS created	Only acknowledge visit
exceptions when sending the	a one-pager outlining the	exceptions once the
visit, the first time*	visit exception handing	aggregator has sent an error
	process	for the visit
Visits for the following	Temporary: AHCCCS is	Vendors do not need to do
services had a verified state	automatically applying the	anything. MCOs are re-
in the aggregator, but claims	required unit rule / matching	submitting the claims
were denying.	rule for MCOs when they are	validation requests.
	requesting claims validation.	
S5181 - Respiratory Therapy		
S9128 - Speech Therapy		
S9129 - Occupational Therapy		
S9131 - Physical Therapy		
T1021 - Home Health Aide		
S5151 - Respite (per diem)		
S5136 - Companion Care (per		
diem)		
*Previously, only the	Permanent: AHCCCS will not	Vendors can send any two
modifiers listed in the	be validating modifiers, only	characters long modifiers (up
specification could be sent.	validating the value being	to 4) that providers intend to
	sent is two characters.	use for billing purposes.
*Client address field was	Permanent: AHCCCS updated	
limited	the client address field size to	
	60.	

Outstanding Visits

There are still a number of providers who have unresolved visits (visits not in a verified/processed status) prior to the 10/01 transition. The historical data is available in the aggregator and providers can utilize the aggregator look up functions and reports to identify those visits. Without resolution, those visits will not pass EVV claims validation and will not be payable.

Communication will be going out directed to providers to highlight this issue and provide guidance on how they can identify these visits. They will, however, need direction from their vendors on how to either resolve the visit or how to enter a manual visit in the event they were using a different EVV vendor prior to 10/01 than they use now.

The EVV 2.0 FAQ has information on how to address these outstanding visits.

Visits that require manual entry must comply with the documentation standards outlined in the Visit Maintenance and Documentation FAQ.

Providers may utilize the "Visit Listing" Aggregator report to identify visits that are not in a verified state (visits in approved or incomplete status). Details on the report can be found in the EVV Aggregator Provider User Manual.

Communication with Providers

AHCCCS is requesting assistance from vendors to help inform providers of fixes and updates that impact them, including ways you and your system can be used to resolve any outstanding issues. AHCCCS will continue to send communications directed at providers, but vendors are in the best position to explain what the updates mean and how they apply to the EVV system they are using.

The following are ways that you can help us better support you.

- Please try and submit a ticket to the HelpDesk for one issue. If multiple issues are being reported on one ticket, it can make it difficult to assign the ticket for review and resolution especially when each issue requires a different SME's attention.
- Make sure you are submitting a ticket to the right HelpDesk.
 - Vendors: All inquiries and questions should be directed to the <u>AHCCCS Solutions</u>
 <u>Center Helpdesk</u>. Please refer to the <u>AHCCCS Solutions Center User Manual</u> for instructions on how to access, submit and monitor support tickets.

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