

## Notification of Updates to HL7 Submission Guide and Provider Request for Compliance Plans

As outlined in Provider Bulletins [25-17](#) and [25-26](#), providers must utilize the [HL7 Submission Guide](#) to ensure the correct messaging format is used when submitting results on the required screening tools for the following performance measures:

- ➔ [Social Needs Screening and Intervention \(SNS-E\)](#)
- ➔ [Depression Screening and Follow-up for Adolescents and Adults \(DSF-E\)](#)
- ➔ [Depression Remission or Response for Adolescents and Adults \(DRR-E\)](#)
- ➔ [Postpartum Depression Screening and Follow-up \(PDS-E\)](#)

Submission of screening results began on September 2, 2025. Providers who have not yet submitted a compliance plan to [CBH.PIP@phila.gov](mailto:CBH.PIP@phila.gov) must do so by **Monday, March 16, 2026**.

The HL7 Submission Guide has been updated to provide additional clarity and instructions for a successful submission of screening results. A brief summary of changes is listed below:

Section	Summary of Change
5.1.1	The Social Needs Screening section was updated to provide clarity on required submission expectations.
5.2.1	PHQ-9M and PHQ-2 instructions were added to the Depression Screening and Follow-up (DSF-E) measure.
6.2	A new column was added to all Segments (MSH, PID, PV1, OBR, OBX, NTE, DG1, PR1) to indicate if the field is required or optional
6.2.2	The example in field PID.3 was updated to more closely reflect submission of the PA MA ID
6.2.5	Section 6.2.5 OBX.15 was updated to indicate usage of the 6-Digit CBH CHILD ID
6.3	Section 6.3 was updated and replaced to provide additional clarity for proper LOINC and SNOMED CT coding in the OBR and OBX segments
8.2	Optionality/Comments descriptions were updated to indicate required or optional
11.2	The FAQ document from the HL7 Submission Provider Training was added into the FAQ section.
Appendices	Appendices added to provide additional information on SNS-E (A), DSF-E and DRR-E (B), and PDS-E (C)
Attachments	CPT and HCPCS codes were removed from Attachment B to reflect updated HEDIS standard requirements and applicability to the CBH provider network for HL7 messaging submission.
All	Examples throughout the HL7 Submission Guide were updated for accuracy