

## Exhibit F

### FORMAT and FILE SPECIFICATIONS for MIRCaI ONLINE TRANSMISSION ED & AS DATA Effective with encounters occurring on and after October 1, 2014 Revised January 1, 2014

#### SUMMARY OF CHANGES

##### Title Page

Changed Effective Date from January 1, 2009 to October 1, 2014

Changed Revision Date from March 20, 2008 to January 1, 2014

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###### Standard Record Format

Column headings: Replaced 'Start' with 'From'; replaced 'Through' with 'End'; and replaced 'Format/Field' with Type & Size'

Principal E-Code: Replaced 'E-Code' with External Cause of Morbidity<sup>\*</sup>

Other E-Codes: Replaced 'E-Codes' with External Causes of Morbidity<sup>\*</sup>

Changed 'Principal Language Spoken' to 'Preferred' Language Spoken<sup>\*</sup>

Data element re-named from 'Principal Language Spoken' to 'Preferred Language Spoken'

*\* Reference: AB 1382, Chapter 599, Statutes of 2013 Health and Safety Code, Section 128736 and 128737. Data element names have been updated to reflect ICD-10 terminology. The update is in terminology only, the two terms have the same meaning. The content of the data elements is not changed. These changes will not cause any confusion as the statutory changes were made to follow nomenclature of the industry. Because the terminology update does not change the proposed ICD-10 reporting requirements the changes are nonsubstantive changes as defined in Title 1, CCR, Section 40.*

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###### Footnotes

For Principal and Other Diagnoses and External Causes: Deleted existing footnotes and replaced with text that specifies to begin reporting ICD-10-CM codes on and after October 1, 2014; and specifies ICD-10-CM reporting format.

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###### Disposition of Patient

Code 04: Deleted 'an intermediate care facility (ICF)' and replaced with 'a facility that provides custodial or supportive care (includes Intermediate Care Facility)'

Code 05: Deleted 'to another type of institution not defined elsewhere in this code list' and replaced with 'a designated cancer center or children's hospital'

Added Code 21: 'Discharged/transferred to court/law enforcement'

Added Code 70: 'Discharged/transferred to another type of health care institution not defined elsewhere in this code list'

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## Principal Diagnosis

Data Length: Deleted '(Allows for future reporting of ICD-10-CM)'

Codes: Replaced 'International Classification of Diseases, 9th Revision, Clinical Modification' with 'ICD-10-CM code set'

Special Instructions:

Replaced 'The ICD-9-CM code' with 'Codes'

Replaced 'code' with 'include' and added 'in the data file'

Deleted: 'Example: Code the diagnosis as '80521 '. (The last 2 positions are spaces.)'

'Do not include E-codes or M-codes. The default value is all spaces'

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### Other Diagnoses

Record Position: Replaced 'Field' with 'code'

Data Length: Deleted '(Allows for future reporting of ICD-10-CM)'

Codes: Replaced 'International Classification of Diseases, 9th Revision, Clinical Modification' with 'ICD-10-CM code set'

Special Instructions:

Added: 'Codes must be left-justified and space-filled'

Replaced 'code' with 'include' and added 'in the data file'

Added: 'When there are no Other Diagnoses, the default value is all spaces'

Added 'Do not include External Cause codes in Other Diagnoses fields'

Deleted: 'Example: for position 52-58, code the diagnosis as '80521 '. (The last 2 positions are spaces.)'

'Do not include E-codes or M-codes. When there are no Other Diagnoses, the default value is all spaces.'

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### Principal External Cause of Morbidity

In data element title, replaced '**INJURY E-CODE**' with '**MORBIDITY**'<sup>\*</sup>

*Reference: AB 1382, Chapter 599, Statutes of 2013 Health and Safety Code, Section 128736 and 128737. Please refer to the explanation on page 1.*

Data Length: Deleted '(Allows for future reporting of ICD-10-CM)'

Codes: Replaced 'International Classification of Diseases, 9th Revision, Clinical Modification' with 'ICD-10-CM code set'

Special Instructions:

Replaced 'The ICD-9-CM code with 'Code'

Deleted 'Code the 'E' on the file, but do not code the decimal point.' and replaced with 'Do not include the decimal point in the data file'

Deleted 'Example: Code the cause of injury as 'E8799 '. (The last 2 positions are spaces.)'

Replaced 'E-Code' with 'External Cause code'

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### Other External Causes of Morbidity<sup>\*</sup> *Please refer to the explanation on page 1*

In data element title, added 's' to 'Cause' and replaced '**INJURY E-CODE**' with '**MORBIDITY**'

Record Position:

Replaced 'E-Code field' with 'External Cause of Morbidity code'

Replaced 'E-Code fields' with 'External Cause codes'

Data Length: Deleted '(Allows for future reporting of ICD-10-CM)'

Codes: Replaced 'International Classification of Diseases, 9th Revision, Clinical Modification' with 'ICD-10-CM code set'

Special Instructions:

Replaced 'The ICD-9-CM code with 'Codes'

Deleted 'Code the 'E' on the file, but do' and replaced with 'Do not include the decimal point in the data file'

Deleted 'Example: In field 567-573, code as 'E8490 '. (The last 2 positions are spaces.)

Replaced 'E-Codes' with 'External Cause codes' *\*Please refer to explanation on page 1'*

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### Principal Procedure

Codes: Added 'CPT-4 code set'; deleted "Fourth Edition (CPT-4)" and replaced with '4<sup>th</sup> Edition)

Special Instructions: Added 'When there is no Principal Procedure,' changed 'The' to 'the'

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### Other Procedures

Record Position:

Replaced 'fields' with 'code'

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Codes: Added 'CPT-4 code set'; deleted "Fourth Edition (CPT-4)" and replaced with '4<sup>th</sup> Edition)

Special Instructions: Added 'When there are no Other Procedures,' and changed 'The' to 'the'

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### National Provider Identifier (NPI)

In data element title, deleted 'NUMBER' and replaced with '(NPI)'

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### Preferred Language Spoken

Data element re-named from 'Principal Language Spoken' to 'Preferred Language Spoken' \*

*\*Please refer to explanation on page 1*

*Reference: AB 1382, Chapter 599, Statutes of 2013 Health and Safety Code, Section 128736.*

Codes: Deleted 'for a list of valid codes, refer to the Definitions of Data elements Principal Language Spoken,' and replaced with 'Refer to'

Special Instructions:

Deleted 'To be reported on discharges occurring on or after January 1, 2009.'

Deleted 'Enter either one 3-digit value, or if the Principal Language Spoken is not one of the codes listed in the Reporting Manual, then enter the Principal Language Spoken, up to 24 characters. The default value is all spaces.'

Replaced deleted text with:

'Enter one 3-character PLS code listed in Section 97267 of the ED & AS Reporting Manual

If the Preferred Language Spoken is not one of the codes listed, enter the full name of the language, up to 24 characters'

Added '3-character PLS Codes from the ISO 639-2 Code List are also accepted'