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Updated versions of the IPF Clinical Data and Non-Measure XML file layouts version 1.0a are available for download from the QualityNet [IPF Specifications Manuals](#) webpage. The update provides clarification in the description for the <provider-id> XML element.

The Hospital Quality Reporting (HQR) system does not associate alpha numeric CCNs with the eligibility status of participating IPFs. Therefore, Inpatient Psychiatric Facilities (IPFs) and their vendors must ensure that the <provider-id> tag in all XML files uploaded into the *HQR Secure Portal* are only numeric 6-digit CCNs. If you are an IPF or vendor that will voluntarily upload XML file data for the IPFQR Program into the *HQR Secure Portal* by the August 15, 2022 deadline, then ensure the software is coded to convert the IPF unit CCN to the following numeric CCNs in the XML files:

- Acute care hospital: Replace “S” in the third position with “0” (XXS001 → XX1001)
- Critical access hospital: Replace “M” in the third position with “1” (XXM001 → XX1001)
- Long term care hospital: “SA” in the third and fourth positions becomes “20” (XXSA01 → XX2001)
- The CCN for free-standing IPFs are already numeric and no changes are needed.

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