X12N/TGB/WG1 – Benefit Information

Purpose
The X12N Business Task Group (TGB) Benefit Information Work Group 1 (WG1) reports to the Business Task Group.

The group is responsible for:
- Creating, reviewing and maintaining (if applicable) business requirements that result from industry submitted change requests in addition to other X12N or X12N/TGB harmonization efforts as it relates to the eligibility and benefit information exchanged by or between any of the following: providers, clearinghouses, vendors and/or payers.

Scope

The Work Group’s principal responsibilities are to:
- Support and adhere to Task Group B expectations as they relate to delivery, documentation, timeliness and quality of work as it relates to the Benefit Information workgroup.
- Review, discuss, prioritize and approve enhancements to Benefit Information workgroup developed business requirements. TGB/WG1 will strive to meet consensus on all voting items, and use “majority” as the basis for measurement.
- Incorporate details based on feedback from X12N/TGB/WG1 constituents, and industry stakeholder representatives.
- Collaborate with X12N/TGC/WG3 (Solution Development) and X12N/TGC/WG4 (Technical Design) workgroups regarding X12N/TGB/WG1 functional and non-functional business requirements surrounding, primarily, the Eligibility and Benefit Request and Response transaction within the purview of the Benefit Information workgroup.
- When and where necessary, cross collaborate with other X12N/TGB workgroups to develop a complete set of business requirements addressing the identified needs.
- Ensure business requirements are valid and complete, providing traceability to the TR3 changes.
- Where and when needed, create and maintain Type 2 Technical Reports.
- Encourage continued participation in the development of Benefit Information business requirements by promoting the structured exchange of communication achieving improved quality and added value to the TR3 development process.
• Participate in efforts driven by or in support of 12N, such as the Data Maintenance, Code Maintenance and Request for Interpretation process.
• Collaborate with other X12 Subcommittees where and when needed.
• Participate in external efforts when requested by X12N and/or TGB.
• Where and when needed, respond to regulatory and legislative demands as they apply to the Benefit Information workgroup and its deliverables.
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