

X12N/TGC/WG5 – Harmonization

Purpose

The X12N Technical Task Group (TGC) Harmonization Work Group 5 (WG5) reports to the Technical Task Group.

The group is responsible for the development and maintenance of X12N work products by:

- Ensuring the efficient exchange of business information for insurance including, but not limited to, Health Care and Property & Casualty.
- Ensuring compliance with X12 standards, design rules, and guidelines.
- Satisfying the functional business requirements established by other X12N Task Groups.
- Coordinating with the X12N liaisons where assigned and with other X12 Subcommittees, if applicable.

Scope

The Work Group shall adhere to the applicable X12 Organization and Procedures Manual, Standing Documents, and X12N procedures. The highest-level documents of X12 or X12N shall govern in the event of conflict.

The Work Group's principal responsibilities are to:

- Maintain standard publication formats for X12N technical reports;
- Maintain technical report Common Content;
- Maintain guidelines for consistent use of segments, data elements, codes, situational rules, and notes in X12N technical reports;
- Review technical reports to identify harmonization opportunities and initiate change requests;
- Review code sources used in X12N technical reports and initiate updates as required;
- Maintain X12N data dictionary maintenance procedures;
- Maintain a standard publication format for X12N data dictionaries;
- Maintain guidelines for consistent use of data dictionary information in X12N work products;
- Register technical report projects;
- Provide technical report development training;
- Provide guidance on publication formats and consistency to technical report developers;
- Provide format-related direction to the technical report publisher;
- Act as X12N's liaison to X12J for technical report format issues.

Document History

New versions of this document are effective on the approval date unless otherwise designated.

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