

Department of Health and Human Services

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services

Center for Medicare Management

	Part A	Part B
What is it?	Hospital Insurance	Medical Insurance
Who is concerned?	All >65 years old & people with certain disabilities	Same but premiums are required
What is Covered?	Institutional services ➤ Hospital ➤ SNF ➤ Hospice ➤ Rehab ➤ Dialysis ➤ Rural Health Centers	Professional Practitioner Services ➤ Physicians & other professional services ➤ DME ➤ Ambulance ➤ Home Health ➤ Outpatient hospital
Name of Regional Contractors	“ Intermediaries”	“Carrier”
Billing Form	“UB-92” (paper/electronic)	CMS 1500 (paper/electronic)

* Exceptions: There are always exceptions. Institutional services which are bundled (hospice) or paid prospectively (SNF or DRG’s) may include some professional services.