

# NPI Compliance Timeline

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## NPI Phase I: 10/2/2006

Providers, begin using NPI (optional) along with legacy provider ids on ANSI professional and institutional transactions to all payors.

Providers, begin submitting professional paper claims on HCFA 1500 rev 08/05 (optional) to commercial payors.

Providers, begin using NPI (optional) along with legacy provider ids on HCFA 1500 rev 08/05 to commercial payors.

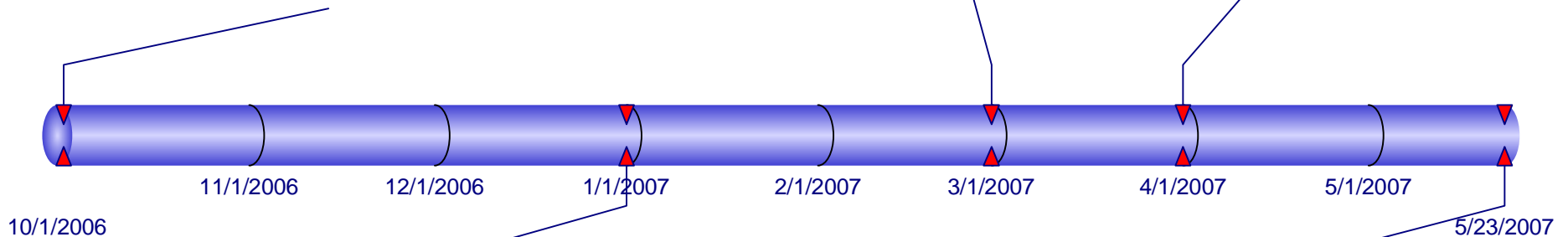
## NPI Phase IV: 4/1/2007

Mandatory use of HCFA 1500 rev 08/05 for all professional paper claims to Commercial and Medicare payors. (1)

## NPI Phase III: 3/1/2007

Optionally begin submitting institutional paper claims on UB-04 to all payors.

Optionally begin using NPI along with legacy provider ids on UB-04 to all payors.



## NPI Phase II: 1/1/2007

Optionally begin submitting professional paper claims on HCFA 1500 rev 08/05 to Medicare payors.

Optionally begin using NPI along with legacy provider ids on HCFA 1500 rev 08/05 to Medicare payors.

## NPI Phase V: 5/23/2007

Mandatory use of UB-04 for all institutional paper claims to all payors.

Mandatory use of NPI on ANSI transactions for all payors.

Mandatory use of NPI on HCFA 1500 rev 08/05 for all professional paper claims to Commercial and Medicare payors. (1)

Mandatory use of NPI on UB-04 to all payors.

Legacy provider ids no longer accepted on either electronic or paper claims. Claims will be rejected and payment denied if NPI absent.

(1) While all Medicaid payors are required to meet compliance to the NPI rule we have not yet been able to confirm when and how each state will implement this rule.