CAQH Committee on Operating Rules for Information Exchange (CORE)
CORE Code Combinations Task Group Call Summary
Tuesday, 08/05/2025, 3:00 - 3:15 pm ET

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Time	Agenda Item	Discussion Item or Action Required
3:00	1. Antitrust Guidelines	*Discussion*
3:02	2. Topics • Approve minutes from May 13, 2025, CCTG meeting. • Review results of July CBR Initial Straw Poll and adjudicate recommendations to: – Add three code combinations that received high support for addition (>65%) to *CORE Code Combinations* – Conduct a Follow-up straw Poll considering combinations written in on the Initial Straw Poll • Next steps **Goal: Publish *CORE Code Combinations v3.9.2 October 2025 by October 1, 2025.***	*Discussion*
3:05	3. Recap of Last Minutes • Summary 05/13/2025 Task Group Call (Doc #2) • Reviewed results of CBR Follow-up Straw Poll and discuss: – ***Recommendation to ADD five code combinations considered on the follow-up straw poll.*** – ***Solicited industry feedback on claim rejection versus claim denial or pended claim workflows for missing or invalid claim attachments.***	*Action Required* • Approved 05/13/2025 Call Summary.
3:10	4. July 2025 CBR ISP Results • July 2025 CBR Follow-up Straw Poll Results Overview (Doc #3) • **Section I: *CORE Code Combinations* (835)** – *Approved* the addition of three code combinations considered on the initial straw poll. – **Conduct a Follow-up Straw Poll** (FSP) to consider written-in combinations.	*Action Required* • Agreed to **ADD three** code combinations to the *CORE Code Combinations*. • Agreed to conduct FSP considering three write-in combinations.
3:15	5. Next Steps • CORE Code Combinations Task Group Call Schedule (See CCTG Timeline) – Next Call: Tuesday, 09/16/2025, at 3:00 pm ET. • CORE Combinations Task Group Participants: – Plan to attend upcoming Task Group calls. – Submit rationale in support/not in support of code combinations to be included in the CBR Follow-up Straw Poll. – Complete CBR Follow-up Straw Poll. • CORE Staff & Co-Chairs: – Draft and Publish Rationale Submission Form and Follow-up Straw Poll. – Draft call summary and distribute to Task Group Participants. – Publish *CORE Code Combinations v3.9.2 October 2025*, by October 1, 2025.	*Action Required* • Agreed to next steps.