

Wisconsin Department of Employee Trust Funds RFI-ETC0022
Supplemental Information Request for Self Insurance
Question Responses Set 2: April 26, 2013

#	Question	Response
1	In Section C. 5.3 a. and b., can you better clarify the information you are requesting? In a. is the type of provider contract the discount arrangement or like physician, hospital, etc.?	The information requested is intended to allow for an assessment of differences in existing discounts for your covered region and financial arrangement versus a broader region. Provider discount arrangements can be with physicians and/or facilities. Please answer the questions with these distinctions in mind.
2	Also, it appears to us the requested information in Section D. 1.4 and 1.5 is the same as above. Or is this just describing how Exhibit 2 should be completed? Please clarify this for us.	Questions 1.4 and 1.5 in Section D requires more detail than above.
3	Under 3.1 is there anything specific you are looking for as an answer? It is a pretty complex question which is fine but I wanted to see if there was something specifically you were trying to get at?	Please answer the questions as asked to the best of your ability.
4	When using data to populate some of the requests, should we be using calendar year 2012 data?	Calendar year 2012 data should be used to populate all exhibits.
5	When completing the Repricing Exercise should we only be including contracted providers?	That is correct - only providers who participate in the discount arrangements should be included.
6	On page 7, 3.2, b. When you say reviewed claims do you mean audited claims?	Please answer the questions as asked to the best of your ability.

7	<p>In the repricing exercise table 2d the instructions at the top state the following: "COMPLETE THE TABLE BELOW WITH YOUR AVERAGE NETWORK OUTPATIENT FACILITY REIMBURSEMENT LEVELS ("ALLOWED AMOUNT")."</p> <p>However, the tables below are labeled like this: "OP Facility Average Discount from Charges"</p> <p>I think this is meant to refer again to Allowed Amount, but can clarify this for us? Also, is this an aggregate allowed amount, or amount/day, per year, or per episode? I haven't been able to find a clear description.</p>	<p>Aggregate allowed amount, with the line that follows in table 2d the average % discount.</p>
8	<p>In Table 2d, row 9 states: "Complete the table below with your average network outpatient facility reimbursement levels ("allowed amount")."</p> <p>Row 15 states OP Facility Average Discount from Charges. Which amount should be populated in the cells B15, 16, etc., the allowed amount or the average discount?</p>	<p>Row 15: Allowed amounts. Row 16: Average discount.</p>
9	<p>We are still struggling with the geo access reports. Exhibit 1 references zip codes found in section E. I do not see a section E or a zip code listing. All the geo access software that we are aware of is based on zip codes.</p> <p>We will provide the information based on access by county. This will not translate into member access though simply access in that county.</p>	<p>Please see the zip code attachment called "WETF Supplemental Information Request - Zip Codes for GeoAccess" for the zip codes that should be used for each County. We have selected a single zip code to represent each County. When completing the analysis, populate each County's zip code with the number of individuals living in the full county (from the initial information provided).</p>