

## How to Access the Suspended Claim Report in eXPRS

(updated 10/14/2021)

There are many reasons why a claim may suspend in eXPRS, and often, it is when the claim suspends that the Provider or CME first discovers there is an issue or problem that needs resolution.

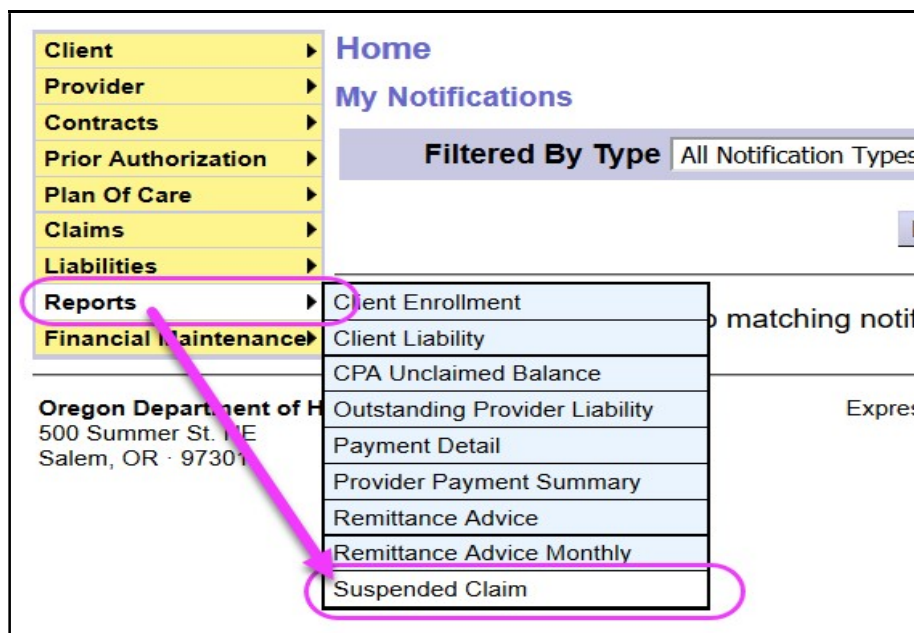
### **IMPORTANT THINGS TO REMEMBER ABOUT SUSPENDED CLAIMS:**

- A suspended claim will not be paid until the suspension reason is resolved.
- Claims and Service Delivered (SD) entries are processed through system validation edits separately. A suspended claim can have SD billings within it that are approved.

To help identify when claim suspensions occur, and the reason for the suspension so you can begin problem-solving the issue, you can utilize the **SUSPENDED CLAIM** report in eXPRS to see what claims have suspended and for what reason.

### **To access the *SUSPENDED CLAIM* report in eXPRS:**

1. Log in to eXPRS.
2. From the left-hand yellow navigation menu click on **Reports** → **Suspended Claims**. Your menu may not have as many reports listed as shown below, but the Suspended Claim report is always the last report on the menu.



- In the search criteria options available, enter the criteria you need to return a list of suspended claims. Red asterisk (\*) indicates a required field.

**Suspended Claim Report Criteria**

For the criteria selected, will return a summary list of suspended claims by service element, and then suspense rule ID (suspense reason).

*	<b>Start Date:</b>	07/01/2021	
*	<b>End Date:</b>	06/30/2023	
	<b>DHS Contract Num:</b>		
*	<b>Provider ID:</b>	1****4	
	<b>Service Element:</b>	All	
	<b>Format:</b>	HTML	

- For the search criteria entered, if there are suspended claims in eXPRS, the report will return a list of those claims grouped by suspension rule.

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Oregon Department of Human Services  
Express Payment & Reporting System (eXPRS)

**Suspended Claim**  
From 2021-07-01 to 2023-06-30

**Rule Description: 33** No approved claim found for day prior to absence claim for same service

Service Element: 50

DHS Contract: 1\*\*\*\*6 Oregon County  
Provider: 1\*\*\*\*4 Agency Provider Inc

Claim ICN	Client Prime	Claim Modifier	Service Begin	Service End	Claim Submit	Claim Create	Exception
2021*****4001	xyz0000a	FAM	9/6/2021	9/6/2021	10/14/2021	9/13/2021	

Service Element 50 for rule 33 total: 1

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*Annotations:*  
 - Pink arrow points to "1 of 4" in the top navigation bar.  
 - Pink cloud callout "Suspension Reason" points to the Rule Description.  
 - Pink cloud callout "Claims suspended for that reason" points to the Exception column in the table.

- The suspension rule is the same **Rule Descriptions** and **Exception text** that are found in the **Exceptions** section on the individual claim.

**Claim View**

ICN:	2021*****4001	Status:	Suspended	Type:	Fee For Service
Service Element:	50	Proc Code:	ORAGH	Svc Modifier Cd:	All
Client Prime:	xyz000a	Client Name:	ELLA VADER		
Provider ID:	1***4	Provider:	Agency Provider Inc		
Service Location:		Claim Modifier Reason:	Family Visit		
Updated By:	eXPRS Scheduled System Process	Updated Date:	10/14/2021 12:31:35 AM PDT		

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▼ Exceptions

Rule Description	Exception Text	Overridden	Exception Code	Suspense Location
No approved claim found for day prior to absence claim for same service		false	33	TimeLimit

► Exception History

6. There are a variety of reasons a claim may suspend. Below is listed a few of the more common suspense **Rule Descriptions** (reasons why a claim is suspended) and its explanation.

Suspense Rule Description	Exception (shown on claim details)	What it really means
<b><i>Fails higher level prior auth;</i></b>	<b><i>Insufficient funds [\$0.00 on mm/dd/yyyy] for provider</i></b>	This is the suspense rule that applies to CM RFFS claims only (for SE48/148/248), and means the claim is suspended because there is <b><i>“insufficient funds rationed for Provider.”</i></b> A RFFS claim with this suspense reason is waiting processing for payment in a scheduled RFFS processing cycle. The claim is suspended because funds to pay it have not been released yet, thus the reason <b><i>“insufficient funds.”</i></b>
<b><i>Awaiting payment cycle</i></b>		This means the claim has been processed to approved but is waiting for the scheduled payment cycle for the type of claim to be run to process for payment.

<p><b><i>Client Awaiting Service Eligibility</i></b></p>	<p><b><i>Client waiting on service eligibility.</i></b>  <b><i>Svc Cat:</i></b> [DDC]  <b><i>Title XIX Cd:</i></b> [N]</p>	<p>This means there is a conflict between the individual's service category (aka: waiver) code and their Medicaid eligibility code. For example: if an individual has a service category code of DDC (meaning they are enrolled to the DD comp waiver) and a TXIX eligibility code of "N" (meaning "no, not TXIX eligible") for the date of the claim/encounter, it will suspend. An individual must have TXIX eligibility (code is "Y", for yes) to be enrolled to a waiver (have the waiver code of DDC). If it says "N" with a DDC, that is a coding conflict; the system doesn't know how to process the claim or encounter and will suspend it until the coding is adjusted to a combination that will allow approval.</p>
<p><b><i>Suspected Duplicate.</i></b>  <b><i>Date range or portion of the date range overlaps an approved claim.</i></b></p>	<p>Will show the ICNs for the other claims that overlap.</p>	<p>Just as it states; there is one or more date(s) in the suspended claim that overlaps with another claim that has already been approved and paid. We can't pay twice for the same day/dates of service, so the second claim will suspend as a suspected duplicate to avoid duplicate payment.</p>
<p><b><i>Funding formula for claim not found</i></b></p>	<p><b><i>Funding formula not found for:</i></b>  [DDC Y M3  7/20/2021 to  7/31/2021]</p>	<p>Each claim must be paid according to a funding rule established for the specific service procedure code and client eligibility combination to ensure we are claiming the appropriate percentage of federal match funding. If this suspense reason is given, the system has not found an appropriate funding rule in the system to use to fund this claim.</p>

<b><i>Provider is not active</i></b>	<b><i>Provider is not an active Panel Member</i></b>	All providers authorized and paid via POC authorized services must be listed on the authorizing CDDP or Brokerage's POC panel. This means the provider's record has been inadvertently removed from the authorizing CDDP/Brokerage's panel and must be re-added for the claim to successfully process for payment.
<b><i>A payee has not been designated for:</i></b>	[Name of provider & SPD ID#]	Providers who are not paid via the FMAS payroll vendor (ie: PSWs), they must have a DHS payee record established to facilitate payment directly from eXPRS/DAS before the claim will successfully process for payment.
<b><i>Client not enrolled in Case Management</i></b>	<b><i>Client not enrolled in Case Management</i></b>	All I/DD clients must have an active authorization for CM services that covers the dates any other services authorized in eXPRS can be successfully authorized and paid.
<b><i>Invalid Provider Service or License</i></b>	<b><i>Provider credential dates not within the time period claimed.</i></b>	All providers must have an "approved to work" credential date range(s) that covers all the dates being claimed for payment.
<b><i>No approved claims for day prior to absence claim for same service.</i></b>		An individual must have attended (been present and received) the claimed residential service before an absence payment for that same service can be approved. We will not pay an absence claim for the first day of actual service (not been in this service with any provider prior to the absence claim).

<p><b><i>Claim Modifier consecutive days limit exceeded.</i></b></p>	<p><b><i>Consecutive day limit 45 exceeded for claim modifiers [MED, CRS, NFS, PSY] [client prime] MED</i></b></p>	<p>Absences from a 24-hour residential service that ODDS will pay absence claims for are limited (see the applicable Service Element Standards and Procedures for specific time limits for that service). eXPRS knows what each time-limit is, and if absence claims are submitted that exceed those limits, they will suspend. The individual must have returned to and received the service for at least one day for the absence claim time-limits to re-set.</p>
<p><b><i>System error occurred during processing.</i></b></p>	<p><b><i>Processing aborted ...</i></b></p>	<p>There was a system error or processing interruption that occurred and prevented the claim or encounter from successfully completing the submission process.</p>

The ***SERVICE DELIVERED PROBLEM SOLVING MATRIX, CLAIMS PROBLEM SOLVING MATRIX*** or the ***ENCOUNTER or RFFS PROBLEM SOLVING MATRIX***, available on the [eXPRS HELP](#) menu, may be of additional assistance in problem solving suspended claims. Please see those documents for more information.