ADDITIONAL MITS RESOURCE DOCUMENTS NOW AVAILABLE

The departments have continued to update the **MACSIS and MITS Claims Processing in State Fiscal Year 2013** website (http://mentalhealth.ohio.gov/what-we-do/protect-and-monitor/macsis/macsis-mits-claims-processing.shtml) as information comes available and documents are created to support the transition to MITS for dates of service July 1, 2012 and beyond. In addition to all of the MITS Bits, you can also find information related to EDI, including companion guides and comparison between MACSIS and MITS, trading partner resources, Third Partly Liability training and resources and eligibility verification services. The website is also being updated to include the following documents which are also included as attachments to this edition of the MITS Bits:

- Valid Behavioral Health ICD-9-CM Codes Considered for Payment in MITS Effective 7/1/2012
- Valid HIPAA Compliant Modifier Codes For Community Behavioral Health Services
- Community Alcohol and Other Drug Treatment Services Procedure Codes and Modifier Combinations
- Community Mental Health Services Procedure Codes and Modifier Combinations
- HIPAA Compliant Place of Service Codes – As in Effect on July 1, 2012

Updates for Agencies Pursuing Trading Partner Status

In response to the needs of behavioral health providers testing to become a Medicaid trading partner, ODJFS has **tripled the number of daily testing cycles for electronic data files**.

Beginning today, ODJFS will run test files **three times each business day at 10 am, 2 pm and 6 pm**. Trading Partners will receive a response after submitting each file and will then have time to review the file and resend it or a different file for the next cycle. With this change in place, **trading partners will have the opportunity to send in files three times each business day**. In this way each submission will count towards Trading Partner certification as long as each file is submitted at a different time. Please **note** that ODJFS will send only one 835 at the end of the day for all files submitted throughout that day.

This improvement should greatly help Trading Partner applicants to reach the certification threshold of three files of at least 50 claims with a 90 percent payment rate. If you have questions about your agency's Trading Partner application, the Trading Partner testing process, or your EDI test files contact the EDI Testing Team at MITS_CGTESTING@jfs.ohio.gov