

# Clarifications on the Submission of Konsulta XML-formatted Data and Filling Out eKonsulta Mandatory Fields

To assist Konsulta Providers and to facilitate the submission of Konsulta XML-formatted data, the following clarifications are provided, to wit:

A. Submission of XML-formatted data of First Patient Encounters (FPEs) for the 1<sup>st</sup> Tranche

Per Annex I of PhilHealth Circular No. 2022-0005, submission of XML files of a particular month is done every 1<sup>st</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> calendar day of the immediately succeeding month. To ensure that all data are successfully uploaded and patient records are updated on time, all Konsulta Providers shall submit the required XML files **daily OR if done weekly, must be on Fridays of the applicable month.**

B. Errors in uploading XML-formatted data

To minimize errors encountered in the submission of Konsulta XML-formatted data, please be advised that the registration master list can be provided by the Local Health Insurance Offices (LHIOs) or downloaded from the HCI Portal and then uploaded to the eKonsulta system.

C. Z-Score data

Per Annex J of PhilHealth Circular No. 2022-0005, the z-score is one of the requirements for the FPE. While awaiting technical input from the National Nutrition Council for the standard z-score computation, the following mandatory data fields shall be filled out for pediatric Konsulta beneficiaries aged 0-60 months:

Age	Sex	Length/Height	Weight
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D. Blood pressure (BP) reading

The BP part in the eKonsulta system is a mandatory field. For adult beneficiaries, the resultant BP reading must be typed in accordingly. For pediatric age groups, BP determination is only done **if clinically indicated** and the reading is likewise typed into the corresponding data field. Otherwise, a **value of 1/1** is typed into the BP data field to continue with the clinical assessment.

For your guidance and compliance.

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