

## 42 C.F.R. § 424.40

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### Request for payment effective for more than one claim.

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- (a) *Basic procedure.* A separate request for payment statement prescribed by CMS and signed by the beneficiary (or by his or her representative) may be included in claims by reference, in the circumstances specified in paragraphs (b) through (d) of this section.
- (b) *Claims filed by a provider or nonparticipating hospital—(1) Inpatient services.* A signed request for payment statement, included in the first claim for Part A services furnished by a facility (a participating hospital or SNF, or a nonparticipating hospital that has elected to claim payment) during a beneficiary's period of confinement, may be effective for all claims for Part A services the facility furnishes that beneficiary during that confinement.

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