PROVIDER EDI INSTRUCTION SHEET

In order to make the billing process more convenient for all participating providers, El Paso Health has signed an agreement for services with AVAILITY.

AVAILITY is an electronic claims and information network (also known as a **clearing house**) available to all providers and their billing agents in the El Paso healthcare community. AVAILITY is a central clearing house enabling physicians, hospitals and ancillary providers to file patient claims electronically to El Paso Health. Filing electronic claims directly to AVAILITY will allow you to reduce administrative costs, accelerate claims payment, increase accuracy and simplify daily administration.

El Paso Health has provided you with a Payer ID Grid that AVAILITY will be publishing. If you are using another clearinghouse other than AVAILITY your clearinghouse center should provide you with their Payer ID numbers and they will direct all claims through AVAILITY to El Paso Health.

Please fill out the attached enrollment form and fax to the **Provider Relations at 915-532-2877** to begin the process of your EDI enrollment. Following the submission of your enrollment form you may proceed with your first file. Should you have submission issues, it is recommended you contact your clearinghouse first, and then El Paso Health to assist you with any claims submissions. You may contact our PR TEAM at 915-532-3778 ext: 1507 for further assistance.

AVAILITY PAYER ID

Payer Name	Payer ID #
El Paso Health - STAR	**EPF02**
El Paso Health - CHIP	**EPF03**
Preferred Administrators-TPA - UMC	**EPF10**
Preferred Administrators-TPA - EPCH	**EPF11**
HealthCare Options	**EPF37**