## Content for Exercise 1 – Create your first page

**Title:**

**Status of Mandated EFT & ERA Operating Rules**

**Body:**

On March 23, 2011, NCVHS sent a [letter](http://ncvhs.hhs.gov/110323lt.pdf) to the Secretary of HHS making a recommendation to name "CAQH CORE in collaboration with NACHA – The Electronic Payments Association as the candidate authoring entity for operating rules for all healthcare EFT and ERA transactions..."

On August 1, 2011, CAQH CORE and NACHA jointly submitted a [letter](http://www.caqh.org/Reform/NCVHS_EFTERA_Letter8-1-11.pdf) to the Co-Chairs of the National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics (NCVHS) Subcommittee on Standards, an advisory body to the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), to provide an update on progress developing healthcare operating rules for EFT & ERA, including links to rules.

On December 7, 2011, NCVHS sent a [letter](http://www.ncvhs.hhs.gov/111207lt.pdf) to Secretary Sebelius, HHS, making a recommendation the Secretary adopt the set of five operating rules submitted to NCVHS by CAQH CORE and NACHA, conditional on the authoring entities making certain revisions to the proposed operating rules. A key condition was that the rules should not require CORE Certification, which they do not.

On August 10, 2012, HHS issued an Interim Final Rule with Comment (IFC) adopting the complete Phase III CAQH CORE EFT & ERA Operating Rules, including the CORE v5010 Master Companion Guide Template, to fulfill the ACA Section 1104 Federal mandate for national EFT & ERA Operating Rules. (NOTE:CAQH CORE requirements pertaining to the use of Acknowledgements are not included for adoption.) CAQH CORE developed a model comment letter for CORE Participating Organizations to submit, [the letter can be viewed here](http://www.caqh.org/pdf/FINAL_EFT_ERA_Model_Letter.pdf).

In April 2013, CMS [issued a notice](http://www.caqh.org/pdf/CMSEFTERAFinalRuleAnnouncement.pdf) adopting CMS-0028-IFC as a Final Rule. Industry implementation efforts should be well underway for the January 1, 2014 effective date for implementation of the federally mandated CAQH CORE EFT & ERA Operating Rules. This notice also urged stakeholders to get involved in the [CAQH CORE Code Combinations Maintenance Process](http://www.caqh.org/CORECodeCombinations.php).

#### Exercise 3 – Using the rich text editor in Drupal

##### Accordion Content

Use the following content when creating your accordion:

###### First section header

This is the body of the first accordion section. You can use any of the other formats or content features in an accordion.

###### Another section header

This is the body of the second section of the accordion. We will keep it simple but you might add a table or image to this section. We will cover adding images and tables later in the training.

###### Last section header

This is the body of content for the last accordion section.

##### Long List Text Format List

This is content for the alternative bullet list format – Long text list.

* As the proposed administrator of the HIPAA Credential, CAQH CORE initiated a transparent and collaborative industry-wide effort to develop forms designed to meet the needs of the HIPAA Credential as described in the NPRM. In February 2014, CAQH CORE published the initial draft HIPAA Credential Forms on its website, developed based upon the proposed requirements in the NPRM. From May through June, 2014, CAQH CORE solicited industry input on the clarity and content of the forms and received more than 250 comments from both CORE and non-CORE Participating Organizations.
* Human Services (HHS) has not published a final rule on the Affordable Care Act (ACA)-mandated health plan certification. CAQH CORE’s intent in publishing these draft forms is to give the industry, especially health plans, a general sense of the type of documentation that may be required to complete the HIPAA Credential application process, according to recently proposed regulation.
* Industry stakeholders are encouraged to join CORE as Participating Organizations to contribute to this process. CORE Participating Organizations include health plans, providers, technology companies, government entities, trade associations, vendors, financial institutions, and standard-setting organizations. For information on how to become a CORE Participating Organization, please see the CORE Participant Application Form or contact [core@caqh.org](mailto:core@caqh.org).

##### Tables

Here is a sample table to use for the creation of a table in the body of your content. Use a width of 650.

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| \*CAQH CORE Body | CAQH CORE Requirements for Rules Approval |
| Level 1: CAQH CORE Subgroups | Not addressed in governing procedures, but must occur to ensure consensus building. |
| Level 2: CAQH CORE Work Groups | Work Groups require for a quorum that 60% of all organizational participants are voting. Simple majority vote (greater than 50%) by this quorum is needed to approve a rule. |

#### Exercise 6 – Creating your first new block

##### Resource List Block

Title: CORE Resources

Description: <Initials> - CORE Training Block

Body:

* CAQH CORE Phase I Rules </core/caqh-core-phase-i-rules>
* CAQH CORE Phase II Rules </core/caqh-core-phase-ii-rules>
* CAQH CORE Phase III Rules </core/caqh-core-phase-iii-rules>

#### Exercise 7 – Creating and Managing Section Landing Page Cards

##### Create a card

Card Header: Important CORE Updates

Card Title: CORE Reaches Another Landmark