Near Match Potential Duplicate Form

Near match conditions happen for several reasons:

- A slight difference and/or typo in one of the six key identifiers Last Name, First Name, Date of Birth (DOB), Social Security Number (SSN), Medicare Beneficiary ID (MBI) or Gender
- Common names that match other patients already in the ESRD Quality Reporting System (EQRS)
- Foreign Nationals who have no SSN

If you override the near match, you will likely be creating a duplicate patient record, so we recommend the use of this form. Please complete the following and fax back to the Network at 463-209-0062.

Patient Information	
Last Name:	First Name:
DOB:	Gender: Male Female
SSN (mark N/A if none exists	s):
MBI (mark N/A if none exists):
Dialysis Information	
Clinic's Medicare CCN:	Admit Date:
Dialysis Setting:	Modality:
Home	Hemodialysis
In-Center	(Sessions per week / Hours per session)
SNF/Long-Term Care F	acility Peritoneal Dialysis
Attending Doctor's Name:	
Transplant Information	
Transplant Center CCN:	Transplant Date:
Admission Date:	
Donor Type: Deceased	d Living Related Living Unrelated
To receive a notification of c	ompletion with the patient's EQRS Patient ID for reference, please
provide an email address	
Because of protected health information (PHI) restrictions, we cannot accept this form via email and are required by Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) policy to delete them immediately.	

Fax the completed form to 463-209-0062



