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3	1	Hos_ID	4	Provider Organization ID (IdOrgFiler)	7	DPH hospital number is replaced with HCF Organization ID assigned by DHCFP. See Hospital Organization ID table, page 19 for values.
3	2	MultiSiteN	1	Site Organization ID (IdOrgSite)	7	Multi-site number replaced with HCF Organization ID assigned by DHCFP. See Outpatient Observation Data Submission Specification Manual page 19 for Hospital Organization ID values.
4	10	Race	1	Race 1	6	New race values. See Outpatient Observation Code Table, page 14, of Outpatient Observation Data Submission Specification Manual for new race values.
4	11	Zip Code		No name change		Value for foreign zip code using 7's has been deleted and report 0's when country is not 'US'. New address requirements for country and temporary US street, city, town, and state.
5	14	End Date		No name change		Edit clarified that End Date "Must not be earlier than Quarter Begin Date or later than Quarter End Date
5	15	Obs_Time		No name change		Edit clarifies range from 0000 to 2359 (previously 2400)
7	24	Surgeon		No name change		Clarification: description now states patient's surgeon for the principal procedure (previously stated "for this visit"). Also added "Must be present if Principal Procedure is present"

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10	47-49	New		Permanent Patient Street, City/Town, State	See specs	New Fields
11	50	New		Patient Country	2	New field requiring International Standards Organization (ISO-3166) 2-digit country code.
11	51-54	New		Temporary US Patient Street, City/Town, State and Zip Code	See specs	New fields.
11	55	New		Hispanic Indicator	1	New field. See Outpatient Observation Code Table, page 18, in Outpatient Observation Data Submission Manual.
11	56	New		Race 2	6	New field. See Outpatient Observation Code Table, page 14, of Outpatient Observation Data Submission Specification Manual for new race values.
11	57	New		Other Race	15	New field.
11	58	New		Ethnicity 1	6	New field. See ethnicity code values, page 29, of Outpatient Observation Data Submission Specification Manual.
12	59	New		Ethnicity 2	6	New field. See ethnicity code values on page 29 of Outpatient Observation Data Submission Specification Manual.
12	60	New		Other Ethnicity	20	New field (character).
12	61-66	New		Condition Present on Observation for Principal Diagnosis and Assoc. Diagnosis I - V	1	New field (Y/N/U/A indicator). See Outpatient Observation Code Table, page 18, of Outpatient Observation Data Submission Specification.

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13	67	New		Homeless Indicator	1	New field. See Outpatient Observation Code Table, page 18, of Outpatient Observation Data Submission Specification.
13	68	New		Transfer Hospital Organization ID	7	HCF Organization ID (assigned by DHCFP) required for transferred discharges with Source of Observations: 4 - transfer from acute care or 7 - Hospital ER transfer. . See Hospital Organization ID table, page 19 for values.
13	69-71	New		Surgeon for Associated Procedures I-III (BORIM)	6	New fields.

Please note: This summary highlights most of the changes. Please refer to specifications manual for complete requirements.