Appendix A-7: XML Schema Layout for MassHealth Data Deletion Request File

XML Element	Attributes	Description	Data Element	Valid Values	Data Types	Field Size	Data Required (MassHealth)
A header is required at the beginning of each XML file as follows: <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" ?>							
<submission>	Opening tag is required.						
	type	Describes the setting for which data is being submitted.	N/A	DELETE-REQUEST	Character	20	Yes
	data	Describes the type of data being submitted.	N/A	IDENTIFICATION	Character	20	Yes
	version	The version of the file layout.	N/A	1.0	Character	20	Yes
	action-code	Describes the intended action of the file being submitted. - **DELETE-CLINICA**L is used for requesting deletion of Clinical Cases that have been uploaded successfully as 'MEASURE' data.	N/A	DELETE-CLINICAL	Character	20	Yes
<provider-id> sub-element of the submission element	Each element must have a closing tag that is the same as the opening tag but with a forward slash. **Example with data:** **<provider-id>**123456**</provider-id>**						
	None	Used to identify the provider. This will be either a valid Medicare provider ID or valid Medicaid provider ID and must match the Provider ID used in the clinical measure submission.	Provider ID	Valid 6 or 10 digit id	Character	10	Yes
<patient> sub-element of the submission element	Opening tag for patient	**Note**: This tag is required in the XML document. However, it contains no data.					
<episode-of-care> sub-element of the patient element	Each element must have a closing tag that is the same as the opening tag but with a forward slash. **Example with data:** **<episode-of-care>PN</episode-of-care>**						
	None	The code for the episode of care submitted.	Episode of Care	CCM SUB MAT-4 NEWB-3	Character	22	Yes
<admit-date> sub-element of the episode-of-care element	Each element must have a closing tag that is the same as the opening tag but with a forward slash. **Example with data:** **<admit-date>**04-02-2007**</admit-date>**						
	None	The month, day, and year of admission for inpatient care	Admission Date	MM-DD-YYYY (Must be a valid date and cannot equal UTD)	Date	10	Yes
<discharge-date> sub-element of the episode-of-care element	Each element must have a closing tag that is the same as the opening tag but with a forward slash. **Example with data:** **<discharge-date>**04-06-2007**</discharge-date>**						
	None	The month, day, and year the patient was discharged from acute care, left against medical advice, or expired during this stay.	Discharge Date	MM-DD-YYYY (Must be a valid date and cannot equal UTD)	Date	10	Yes

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\<patient-id\> sub-element of the patient element	Each element must have a closing tag that is the same as the opening tag but with a forward slash. **Example with data:** **\<patient-id\>**74185296374185296385**\</patient-id\>** **Please Note:** the data contained in this field must match the patient-id in clinical data that has already been successfully submitted as "MEASURE" data to the web portal and has been successfully accepted.						
	None	Identifier used to identify the patient at the hospital. Please note that the data contained in this field must match the hospital-patient-id in the data submitted in the corresponding clinical measure file.	Patient Identifier	Up to 40 characters	Character	Up to 40	Yes
\<birthdate\> sub-element of the patient element	Each element must have a closing tag that is the same as the opening tag but with a forward slash. **Example with data:** **\<birthdate\>**08-06-1964**\</birthdate\>**						
	None	The month, day and year the patient was born	Birthdate	MM-DD-YYYY (Must be valid a birthdate and cannot equal UTD)	Date	10	Yes
\</patient\>	Closing tag for patient	**Note:** This tag is required in the XML document. However, it contains no data.					
\</submission\>	Closing tag for submission	**Note:** This tag is required in the XML document. However, it contains no data.					