

**871—24.3(96) Social security number needed for filing.** The correct social security number must be provided by the claimant. The correct social security number is essential in the processing of the claim. Therefore, if the claimant has a social security card, the number must be taken from that card or be provided by the claimant. If the claimant has two or more social security numbers, the claim shall be held until the claimant ascertains which number is correct.

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