

Dear Valued Partner,

Starting May 19, 2025, Kroger will implement changes to its Purchase Order (PO) Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) message. For technical details, please see the attached letter.

What Do We Need from You?

• Please reach out to your organization's EDI specialist to ensure they have updated your organization's mapping as outlined in the attached letter.

Why Must Your EDI Specialist Confirm the Mapping is Correct?

- Failure to correctly map to the new reference number format can result in rejection of POs.
- The updated field will include the 11-digit, One Network Shipment Number that could help comply with Kroger's upcoming requirement to send location and temperature data into One Network. (LINK)
 - o Please visit kroger.onenetwork.com for additional information.
 - This will promote increased end-to-end supply chain visibility and order accuracy.

Questions?

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- Please contact <u>vendorcompliance@kroger.com</u> with any business questions on this change.
- Please contact edi@kroger.com with any technical questions on this change.

Thank you for your attention and action in preparation for this mapping update,

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