Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

Special Open Door Forum:

Review Choice Demonstration for Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility Services

Tuesday, June 27, 2023

1:00 pm-2:30 pm Eastern Time

Conference Call Only

The Center for Program Integrity (CPI) will host a Special Open-Door Forum to provide an overview of the Review Choice Demonstration for Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility services and allow interested parties to ask questions.

The Review Choice Demonstration for Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) services ensures that Medicare beneficiaries continue to receive medically necessary care while protecting the Medicare Trust Funds from fraud, waste, and abuse. The demonstration establishes a review choice process for IRF services to test whether such a process improves methods for the investigation and prosecution of fraud, and provides flexibility for IRFs, as well as a risk-based approach to reduce burden on providers demonstrating compliance with Medicare requirements for IRF services.

Beginning August 21, 2023, CMS will implement the Review Choice Demonstration for IRF services in Alabama.

The link to the presentation will be available on our CMS webpage prior to the call: <https://www.cms.gov/research-statistics-data-systems/medicare-fee-service-compliance-programs/prior-authorization-and-pre-claim-review-initiatives/review-choice-demonstration-inpatient-rehabilitation-facility-services>

Feedback and questions on the Review Choice Demonstration for Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility services can be sent to: IRF\_RCD@cms.hhs.gov

We look forward to your participation.

**NEW and UPDATED Special Open Door Forum Participation Instructions:**

This call will be a Zoom webinar with registration and login instructions below.

Register in advance for this webinar:

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 833-568-8864 (Toll Free)

 Meeting ID: 160 359 5359

 Passcode: 000436

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar. You may also add the webinar to your calendar using the drop-down arrow on the “Webinar Registration Approved” webpage after registering. Although the ODFs are now a Zoom webinar, we will only use the audio function, no need for cameras to be on.

*Note: TTY Communications Relay Services are available for the Hearing Impaired. For TTY services dial 7-1-1 or 1-800-855-2880. A Relay Communications Assistant will help.*

A transcript and webinar recording of this Special ODF will be posted to the Podcast and Transcripts website at <https://www.cms.gov/Outreach-and-Education/Outreach/OpenDoorForums/PodcastAndTranscripts.html> for downloading.

 For automatic emails of Open Door Forum schedule updates (E-Mailing list subscriptions) and to view Frequently Asked Questions please visit our website at <http://www.cms.gov/OpenDoorForums/>.

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