



MEDICARE-MEDICAID COORDINATION OFFICE

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TO: Medicare-Medicaid Plans in Virginia

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SUBJECT: Revised Virginia-Specific Reporting Requirements and Value Sets Workbook

The purpose of this memorandum is to announce the release of the revised Medicare-Medicaid Capitated Financial Alignment Model Reporting Requirements: Virginia-Specific Reporting Requirements and corresponding Virginia-Specific Value Sets Workbook. These documents provide updated guidance, technical specifications, and applicable codes for the state-specific measures that Virginia Medicare-Medicaid Plans (MMPs) are required to collect and report under the demonstration. Given that the Virginia demonstration ended as scheduled on December 31, 2017, CMS and the state limited the revisions to only those that were necessary to align with updates from the applicable measure steward.

Please see below for a summary of the substantive changes to the Virginia-Specific Reporting Requirements. Note that the Virginia-Specific Value Sets Workbook also includes changes; Virginia MMPs should carefully review and incorporate the updated value sets, particularly for measures VA2.14, VA5.1, and VA5.4.

Virginia MMPs must use the updated specifications and value sets for all future submissions. Should you have any questions, please contact the Medicare-Medicaid Coordination Office at mmcocapsreporting@cms.hhs.gov.

SUMMARY OF CHANGES

Measure VA2.14

- Revised to align with updated specifications from the measure steward (NCQA/HEDIS).
- In the Notes section, clarified that reporting for this measure is limited to administrative data only.

Measure VA4.1

- Retired this measure effective as of Calendar Year 2017.

Measure VA5.4

- Revised to align with updated specifications from the measure steward (NCQA/HEDIS).