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Medicare Secondary Payer Mandatory Reporting Provisions in Section 111 of the Medicare, Medicaid, and SCHIP Extension Act of 2007 (MMSEA)
(See 42 U.S.C. 1395y(b)(7)&(b)(8))

ALERT

**Mandatory Total Payment Obligation to the Claimant (TPOC) Dollar
Thresholds for Workers' Compensation**

The mandatory TPOC thresholds for workers' compensation have been revised. Below is the schedule of the new dates and TPOC amounts.

Mandatory Thresholds for Workers' Compensation TPOC Settlements, Judgments, Awards or Other Payments		
Total TPOC Amount	TPOC Date On or After	Section 111 Reporting Required in the Quarter Beginning
TPOCs over \$5,000	October 1, 2010	January 1, 2011
TPOCs over \$2,000	October 1, 2013	January 1, 2014
TPOCs over \$300	October 1, 2014	January 1, 2015

The content of this Alert supersedes the content of the existing User Guide (Version 3.3) and will be incorporated into the next version of the User Guide. CMS will provide advance notice if there is any further change to these thresholds