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1. Introduction

1.1 What is the Medicare Part B Drug Average Sales Price (ASP) Application?

Section 303 (b) and (c) of the Medicare Modernization Act (MMA) of 2003 revised the payment methodology for the vast majority of Part B covered drugs and biologicals that are not priced on a cost or prospective payment basis (hereafter referred to as drugs). Per the MMA, beginning January 01, 2005, the ASP methodology is used to determine the payment limit for these drugs. Pricing for compounded drugs is performed by the local contractor. Additionally, beginning in 2006, the ASP methodology is used to determine the payment limit for all End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD) drugs furnished by both independent and hospital-based ESRD facilities, as well as specified covered outpatient drugs, and drugs and biologicals with pass-through status under the Outpatient Prospective Payment System (OPPS). The ASP methodology is based on quarterly data submitted to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) by drug manufacturers. CMS supplies the Medicare Fee-for-Service (FFS) claims processing contractors with the drug pricing files for Medicare Part B drugs on a quarterly basis.

In general, under the ASP methodology, the payment limits are based on the volume-weighted average of the manufacturers' ASP. However, in certain instances, the payment limits are based on the Wholesale Acquisition Cost (WAC). Further, the payment limits for some drugs continue to be based on the Average Wholesale Price (AWP) methodology. These data (WAC and AWP) are published in drug pricing compendia, such as Redbook, Medi-span and First Databank. A Medicare Contractor retrieves the data from drug pricing compendia and provides the pricing data to CMS on a quarterly basis.

In addition, other considerations impact the ASP methodology. Under certain circumstances, the ASP-based payment limits for certain drugs may be replaced with a payment limit identified by the Office of the Inspector General (OIG). If errors in either the ASP data or the payment limit calculation occur, revised drug pricing files may be implemented. If drug manufacturers do not report ASP data or do not report timely, the accuracy of the payment limits may be impacted.

1.2 Purpose of the ASP Application

The purpose of the ASP Application is to:

- Provide users with an Internet-based software application for automating the collection, editing and processing of drug product pricing data received from drug manufacturers on a quarterly basis
- Eliminate data entry errors, data formatting errors, incomplete submitted data and to greatly reduce the process cycle time and resource time needed to provide the pricing to contractors through automation of the manually intensive processes currently used
- Establish a relationship between the manufacturers' reported data and the billing codes used by Medicare providers to calculate a weighted average price for each billing code; prices established for billing codes are used for payment of Part B drugs on certain Medicare claims
- Accept, store, validate, and calculate drug pricing on Medicare Part B drug data received for the Center for Medicare Management (CM) stakeholders
1.3 ASP Business Process

Drug Manufacturers report ASPs by National Drug Codes (NDC), which are 11-digit identifiers that indicate the manufacturer of the drug, the product dosage form, and package size. Manufacturers must provide CMS with the ASP and volume of sales for each NDC on a quarterly basis in one of two methods. Drug product data may be submitted either by uploading a file or keying data into a predefined data entry screen. In both instances, data are edited and saved awaiting the manufacturer to certify the accuracy of the data. During the 30-day submission period after the end of the quarter, users will communicate the days remaining in the submission period to each manufacturer and whether the manufacturer is in compliance with the data submission requirements.

Thirty days after the beginning of each quarter (calendar year), manufacturers are required to submit pricing of their Medicare Part B (not paid on a cost or perspective payment basis) qualifying drugs. Once drug manufacturers are registered with the Medicare Part B ASP drug submission application, they need to choose either to submit their data online or upload the data via file transfer. A majority of the drugs are injectable drugs furnished by physicians and other qualified practitioners.

If the drug manufacturer decides to enter their Medicare Part B ASP drug information online, then they log on to the secure website and enter the required drug information into the online application. Validations and error messages ensure that the drug manufacturer is entering data in adherence to the application requirements.

If the drug manufacturer has a large amount of drug data to report to Medicare, they may decide to submit their Medicare Part B ASP drug information by uploading their data via file transfer. In this case, the ASP drug data are entered into a formatted file that is in compliance with Medicare’s specifications and it is uploaded. Along with the submission, the user can submit any pertinent information to share with CM regarding their drug product data submissions. CM reviews the assumptions and may respond to the user if necessary. The user can view and check their submitted file and resubmit, if necessary. If the file records do not meet the file transfer validations and edits, then they are rejected, and the drug manufacturer can resubmit the drug data through file transfer or enter it online. With both submission options, the drug manufacturer must certify the accuracy of the data at the time of submission in order for it to be accepted. Regardless, every instance a drug manufacturer submits data they must submit a drug certification along with their submission and they may submit multiple times within a submission time period. Once data have been submitted, the drug manufacturer can view all drug data certified in the current reporting period and view whether current and previous drug submissions are in compliance with the reporting requirements. With drug data corrections within the current reporting period, the user can correct the drug data via data entry or upload. If data needs to be reported after the quarter has ended, the drug manufacturer has the capability to report restated ASP data via upload or online for any reporting period (greater than or equal to Quarter 3 2004) to CM at any time.

CM assigns each drug to one or more billing codes and determine the billing units per billing code. The ASP for each billing code is calculated based on the weighted average of all ASPs within a billing code. Where a billing code does not exist, users submit a request for one to be established.

Updated ASP data are shared with each drug manufacturer. Either users, through quality review or drug manufacturers, may identify errors in the data. The drug manufacturer submits any corrected data so that users can re-calculate the ASP for any affected billing code.
Once the drug manufacturer submits the Reporting Manufacturer data and it is successfully received by CM/Division of Ambulatory Services (DAS), they process and prepare the data accordingly for the ASP calculation. If the ASP Reporting Manufacturer Data submission falls within the 30-day deadline, then, thereafter, the CM/DAS runs drug submission reports. These reports include Impact Analysis Report, Management Reports and Manufacturer Reports. A Drug Manufacturer also has the option to mail Medicare Part B drug data and restated drug data to CM. CM Personnel may key the data online or upload the data on behalf of the manufacturer. Along with the file sent by the manufacturer a letter of certification is sent to CMS. In this case, CMS confirms the written certification received with the file.

The user creates an output file to share with OIG, so they can complete ASP comparison studies. Updates with the Average Manufacturer Price (AMP) provided by OIG are added to the drug pricing file to replace the ASP for some billing codes. After pricing updates are completed, the application creates the following output:

- An impact analysis comparing price changes in support of briefing documents for the clearance process,
- Crosswalk of NDCs to billing codes,
- Part B pricing files for mainframe application for the fee for service contractors,
- Part B pricing files for the internet for CMS website,
- File of AMPs for not otherwise classified billing codes,
- File of Competitive Acquisition Pricing (CAP) data, and
- File of Outpatient and ASC Drug Pricing Data

### 1.4 ASP User Roles

The ASP Application is a role-based application. This means that certain application functions have been linked to specific “user role profiles.” The ASP Application user roles are as follows:

- **Drug Manufacturers**: Drug manufacturers can be either Submitters and Certifiers of data
- **CM Personnel**: Responsible for the calculation and quality of the Part B drug prices
- **Center for Medicaid and Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP) Services (CMCS)**: Future participant to provide AMP data for comparative analyses of the ASP to the AMP

### 1.5 ASP Reference Materials

The following additional reference materials are utilized in order to successfully submit and certify applicable data into the ASP data collection application:

- [EIDM User Guide](#)
- [ASP Data Reporting Templates](#)
- Contextual Help

Click on [EIDM Links](#) for any assistance with using the application and to view applicable videos
2. **ASP Application Access**

Users are required to access the CMS Portal at https://portal.cms.gov to begin the registration and role assignment process.

CMS has established the Enterprise Identity Management (EIDM) system to provide our Business Partners with a means to apply for, obtain approval, and receive a single User ID they can use to access one or more CMS applications. The EIDM Authentication System prompts the user to create a username and password that conforms to the system’s policies; this user ID and password is not affiliated with the user’s CMS User ID (Enterprise User Administration [EUA]) and password. After the user successfully creates a username and password, the user must create security questions and answers. The user must then re-log in with the new credentials and request the specific Fee-for-Service Data Collection System (FFSDCS) ASP Submitter or ASP Certifier role as applicable. FFSDCS is a system umbrella that houses various Fee-for-Schedule modules. ASP is one of the modules under the FFSDCS system.

As part of the role request process the EIDM Authentication System begins the Remote Identity Proofing (RIPD) process. RIPD is the process of validating sufficient information about the user (e.g., credit history, personal demographic information, and other indicators) to uniquely identify an individual. After the user’s identity is verified, the CMS Portal pushes the user’s data to CM to review the role request and approve it.

The registration process also involves Multi-Factor Authentication (MFA). This allows the user to authenticate their phone/tablet/PC/laptop, text message Short Message Service (SMS), Interactive Voice Response (IVR), E-mail, and One-Time Security Code.

For additional details on EIDM, review the EIDM User Guide.

2.1 **ASP Data Collection Application Access Process**

ASP users with an existing CMS Portal username and password can skip Section 2.1.1 and continue on to Section 2.1.2 Requesting ASP Application Access.

2.1.1 **Obtaining a CMS EIDM Username and Password**

A CMS EIDM username and password are required in order to access the ASP Application. Perform the following steps in order to receive the required credentials:

   
   The CMS Enterprise Portal Home Page is shown in Figure 2-1.
2. Click on the **New User Registration** button.

   The “Step #1: Choose Your Application” page opens, as shown in Figure 2-2.

![Figure 2-2: Step #1: Choose Your Application Page](image)

3. Select “FFSDCS: Fee-For-Service Data Collection System” from the dropdown list.

   The “Terms and Conditions” page opens, as shown in Figure 2-3.

![Figure 2-3: Terms and Conditions Page](image)
Note: Read through the Terms and Conditions on the page. The page states that you consent to monitoring while accessing and using this website. The page also details the reasons for collecting Personal Identifiable Information (PII), which are that it is only used to uniquely identify the new user who is registering with the application. The page provides links to the HHS Rules of Behavior and the CMS Privacy Act Statement.

4. If you agree to the terms and conditions, click the corresponding check box and click on the Next button.

Note: Users must agree to the terms and conditions to continue the registration process. The “Step #2: Register Your Information” page opens, as shown in Figure 2-4.

Figure 2-4: Step #2: Register Your Information Page

5. Enter your personal information in the required fields which are indicated by an asterisk (the additional fields are optional but may be required for further identity verification) and click on the Next button.

The “Step 3: Create User ID, Password & Challenge Questions” page displays as shown in Figure 2-5.
6. Enter your desired User ID in the "User ID" field. The User ID must be a minimum of 6 and a maximum of 74 alphanumeric characters. Allowed special characters are dashes (-), underscores (_), apostrophes ('), @ and periods (.).

7. Enter your desired password in the "Password" field. The CMS Portal password must conform to the following CMS Acceptable Risk Safeguards (ARS) Password Policy:
   a. Be changed at least every sixty (60) days;
   b. Be a minimum of eight (8) and a maximum of twenty (20) characters;
   c. Be changed only once every 24 hours;
   d. Contain at least one (1) letter, one (1) number, and (1) special character;
   e. Contain at least one (1) uppercase and one (1) lowercase letter;
   f. Not contain your User ID;
   g. Be different from your previous six (6) passwords.
   h. Not contain commonly used words; and
   i. The following special characters may not be used: ? < > ( ) ' " / \ &

8. Re-enter your desired password in the "Confirm Password" field.

   **Note:** The passwords must match before you can continue.
9. Select a Security Question from each of the three (3) dropdown lists for which the answer is known.

10. Enter the answers to the Security Questions in the corresponding “Answer” fields. The fields populate as shown in Figure 2-6.

**Figure 2-6: Step #3: Create User ID, Password & Challenge Questions Page Populated**

11. Click on the **Next** button to complete the registration process.

**Note:** You may click on the **Cancel** button to exit out of the registration process. New information or changes entered will not be saved.

The “Registration Summary” screen displays as shown in Figure 2-7.
12. Review, your information, make any necessary changes, and click on the Submit User button to complete the registration process.

A “Confirmation” message displays as shown in Figure 2-8.
13. Please wait at least 5 minutes before logging on to the CMS Portal with your new EIDM user ID and password.

2.1.2 Requesting ASP Application Access

Perform the following steps to request access to the ASP Application:

1. Enter the address for the CMS portal (https://portal.cms.gov/wps/portal/unauthportal/home/) into your web browser and click on the Enter button.

   The CMS Enterprise Portal Home Page is shown in Figure 2-9.

   **Figure 2-9: CMS Enterprise Portal Home Page**

   ![CMS Enterprise Portal Home Page](image)

2. Enter your UserID and Password and click on the Login button.

   The “My Portal” page displays as shown in Figure 2-10.

   **Figure 2-10: My Portal Page**

   ![My Portal Page](image)
3. Click on **Request/Add Apps**.

   The “Access Catalog” page displays as shown in Figure 2-11.

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**Figure 2-10: My Portal Page**

**My Portal**

*Use the below link to request access to CMS Systems/Applications.*

[Request/Add Apps]

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**Figure 2-11: Access Catalog Page**
4. Click on the **Request Access** button in the “FFSDCS” section.
   The “Request New System Access” page displays as shown in Figure 2-12.

   **Figure 2-12: Request New System Access Page**

5. There are two roles that are applicable for ASP quarterly data submission:
   a. ASP Submitter (who can only submit data; if you are the Submitter, select the “ASP End User” role).
   b. ASP Certifier (who can only certify data)
   If your role is to submit data, click on the “Role” dropdown list and select **ASP End User**.
   If your role is to certify, click on the “Role” dropdown list and select **ASP Certifier**.

6. If desired, enter any notes to the approver, and click on the **Submit** button.
   The “Identify Verification” page displays as shown in Figure 2-13.

   **Figure 2-13: Identify Verification Page**

7. Review the information and click on the **Next** button.
   The “Terms and Conditions” page displays as shown in Figure 2-14.
8. Review the information, click in the box next to “I agree to the terms and conditions,” and click on the Next button.

The “Your Information” page displays as shown in Figure 2-15.

Figure 2-15: Your Information Page

9. Review your information, complete any additional required fields, and click on the Next button.

The “Multi-Factor Authentication Information” page displays as shown in Figure 2-16.
10. Click on the **Next** button.

The “Register Your Phone, Computer, or Email” page displays as shown in Figure 2-17.

![Figure 2-17: Register Your Phone, Computer, or Email Page](image)

11. Select a device from the “MFA Device Type” dropdown list, enter any required information requested for the selected device, and click on the **Next** button.

A message displays that your device has been registered successfully displays, as shown in Figure 2-18.

![Figure 2-18: Successful MFA Registration Message](image)

12. Click on the **OK** button.

A “Request Acknowledgement” screen displays as shown in Figure 2-19.
13. Click on the **OK** button.

**Note:** After role submission, please wait up to 72 hours to receive an e-mail notification.

### 2.2 Points of Contact

#### 2.2.1 Tier 1 Support – FFSDCS (ASP) Application Helpdesk

- Email: [ASPHelpDesk@dcca.com](mailto:ASPHelpDesk@dcca.com)
- Phone: 844-876-0765
  - 9AM-6PM Eastern, Non-Peak
  - 9AM-9PM Eastern, Peak
    - Jan 1st – Jan 31st
    - Apr 1st – Apr 30th
    - Jul 1st – Jul 31st
    - Oct 1st - Oct 31st
- Tier 1 Issue examples:
  - Account Unlock
  - Password Reset
  - Registration process questions
  - Policy Question escalations
  - System Availability escalations
  - Other

#### 2.2.2 Tier 2 Support – CM Policy Support

- [sec303aspdata@cms.hhs.gov](mailto:sec303aspdata@cms.hhs.gov)
- Remedy/Service Now (SNOW) Service Tickets
2.2.3 Tier 3 Application/System Support (Data Computer Corporation of America [DCCA])

- Remedy/SNOW Service Tickets

2.2.4 Tier 4 Support

- Data Center SR Workflow
3. **ASP Application Home Page**

The ASP Application is comprised of numerous pages and pop-up windows to allow drug manufacturers to add, update, and view data entries (product data, financial data, certifications, re-statements, and compliance). The ASP Application uses a consistent layout across pages. The fields displayed on each page differ based on the type of user logged in and the privileges assigned to the user role for the logged in user. You can enter data into fields in the ASP Application unless the field displays with a gray background.

If the user is new to the application, the user is placed directly into the Home page (for Submitter [Figure 3-1] or Certifier [Figure 3-2]).

![Figure 3-1: ASP Application Home Page – ASP Submitter](image)

![Figure 3-2: ASP Application Home Page – ASP Certifier](image)
4. Manage NDC1/ALT ID - Submitter

Before a labeler (Submitter) can begin submitting Product and Financial data for their respective labeler codes (NDC1/ALT ID), they are required to assign those labeler codes to their unique user account.

To assign NDC1 or Alternate ID codes, they must first be listed in the “NDC1/ALT ID Listings” list. If the NDC1 or Alternate ID is not on the list, you must add them to the list. Once on the list, they can then be assigned. Perform the following steps to manage NDC1s and Alternate IDs.

1. Click on **Manage NDC1/ALT ID** from the menu on the left side of the screen.

   The “Manage NDC1/ALT ID” screen displays with the global list visible, as shown in Figure 4-1.

   ![Figure 4-1: Manage NDC1/ALT ID Screen](image)

2. To search for an NDC1, enter the partial or full NDC1 in the “Search/Filter:” field.

   The application filters the entered NDC1, as shown in Figure 4-2.

   ![Figure 4-2: Manage NDC/ALT ID - Filter](image)
3. To add an NDC1 to the global list, click on the “Add New NDC1” radio button and enter your new NDC1 in the “NDC1:” field.

The “NDC1:” field is populated, as shown in Figure 4-3.

**Figure 4-3: Manage NDC/ALT ID – NDC1 Field Populated**

4. Click on the **Add** button.

A message displays confirming that the new NDC1 was added successfully and the new NDC1 is listed at the top of the global list, as shown in Figure 4-4.

**Figure 4-4: Manage NDC/ALT ID – NDC1 Saved Successfully**

5. To add an Alternate ID to the global list, click on the “Add New ALT ID” radio button.

The “ALT ID:” field is populated, as shown in Figure 4-5.
6. Click on the **Add** button.

A message displays confirming that the new ALT ID was added successfully, and the new Alternate ID is listed at the top of the global list, as shown in Figure 4-6.

### Figure 4-6: Manage NDC/ALT ID – ALT ID Saved Successfully

7. To assign NDC1s and ALT IDs, select one or more items from the “NDC1/ALT ID Listings” field.

The selected item(s) are highlighted, as shown in Figure 4-7.
Figure 4-7: Manage NDC/ALT ID – Select NDCs/ALT IDs for Assignment

8. Click on the **Assign>>** button.

A message displays stating that the items were successfully assigned. The selected item(s) appear in the “Assigned NDC1/ALT ID Listings” field, as shown in Figure 4-8.

Figure 4-8: Manage NDC/ALT ID – NDC1/ALT ID Assigned Successfully
5. Compliance Summary - Submitter

The Compliance Summary features allow Drug Manufacturers to view whether their drugs are in compliance with the drug submission reporting requirements. Drug Manufacturers can access a compliance summary for all drugs using the Compliance Summary menu tab.

1. From the menu on the left side of the page, click on Compliance Summary.
   The “Compliance Summary Overview” page displays with the current reporting period as the default, as shown in Figure 5-1.

   **Note:** The “Compliance Summary Overview” screen lists the compliance summary for all manufacturers assigned to a Submitter by default.

   **Figure 5-1: Compliance Summary Overview Page: Submitter**

2. Select the desired reporting period from the “Reporting Period” dropdown list, the desired manufacturer from the “Manufacturer” dropdown list (optional), either a full or partial drug identifier (optional), and click on the View Compliance Overview Detail button to display the summary report.

   The drug information displays for the selected manufacturer for the selected reporting period as shown in Figure 5-2.

   **Figure 5-2: Manufacturer's Compliance Summary Report**
The Compliance Summary Overview screen displays statements whether or not the Drug Manufacturer is within compliance for the reporting period. Also listed is the percentage of drugs assigned to the user that are certified for the selected reporting period:

- Missing (go to step 3)
- Total New Drugs (go to step 6)

3. To view drugs that are not compliant because the financial data for the drug has not been submitted, click on the Missing panel.

The “Missing” report displays, as shown in Figure 5-3.

![Figure 5-3: Compliance Summary: Submitter - Missing](image)

Drug Manufacturers have the ability to enter financial data by clicking on the “Resolve” link for the specific drug identifier.

4. Click on the Resolve link.

The “Add/Edit Financial Data” screen displays for the drug identifier selected from the “Compliance Summary” screen, as shown in Figure 5-4.

![Figure 5-4: Compliance Summary: Submitter – Add/Edit Financial Data](image)
5. Enter the missing financial data and click on the **Save Financial Data** button. A message displays stating that the financial data were saved successfully, as shown in Figure 5-5. The drug identifier status will now be “SAVED”.

![Figure 5-5: Compliance Summary: Submitter – Financial Data Saved Successfully](image)

6. To view the product and financial information for new drugs that have been certified or saved, click on the **Total New Drugs** panel. The “Total New Drugs” report displays, as shown in Figure 5-6.

![Figure 5-6: Compliance Summary: Submitter – Total New Drugs](image)
6. Product Data

Drug manufacturers are required to submit quarterly drug data to the ASP application for ASP pricing using a file transfer process or through online data entry. Drug data consists of product data and financial data. The following subsections detail the steps required to submit drug product data using online data entry and through approved file uploads.

6.1 Add Product Data

Add Product Data allows drug manufacturers the ability to manually submit drug product data one at a time to CMS. To upload product data for multiple drugs at once from a file, skip to section 6.2.

1. Click on Product Data from the menu on the left side of the screen, and then click on Add Product Data.

The “Add Product Data” screen displays with the current reporting period as shown in Figure 6-1.

![Figure 6-1: Add Product Data Screen](image)

2. To add fields by NDC, select the “Add by NDC” tab and use the following requirements:

   **Note:** To add fields by Alternate ID, go to step 4.

   - **NDC1:** dropdown
     - **Note:** if the NDC1 desired is not in the dropdown list, click on Manage NDC1/ALT ID from the menu on the left side of the screen, and add and assign your NDC1.

   - **NDC2:** numeric
     - required
     - 4-digit entry
NDC3: numeric
required
2-digit entry

Manufacturer Name: required
limited to 250 characters

Note: When entering Product Data for the same Manufacturer more than once, be sure that the spelling is the same each time for that Manufacturer. If data were entered through “Upload Product Data,” the spelling must match that as well.

Has Brand Name?: checkbox
optional

Brand Name: field is only displayed if the “Has Brand Name?” box is checked
required if “Has Brand Name?” box is checked
limited to 250 characters

Generic Name: dropdown list
required

New Generic Name: displayed only if selecting “Add New Generic Name” from the “Generic Name” dropdown list
required
limited to 250 characters

Date of First Sale: MM/DD/YYYY format
required
cannot occur before the FDA approval date
must occur prior to the “Current Reporting Period” start date

Expiration Date of Final Lot Sold: MM/DD/YYYY format
optional

Strength of the Product: required
limited to 500 characters

Volume Per Item: required
limited to 250 characters

Number of Items per NDC: numeric
required
limited to 9 digits

FDA Approval Date: required
MM/DD/YYYY format
must be prior to “Current Reporting Period” start date
**FDA Application Number/Registration Number:** required alphanumeric up to 9 characters can have up to 2 more optional entries by clicking on the “Add New Application Numbers” link

**FDA Approval Type:** required dropdown list

**FDA Application Supplement Number:** alphanumeric optional up to 9 characters can have up to 2 more optional entries by clicking on the “Add New Application Numbers” link

The field windows populate with the entered data, as shown in Figure 6-2.

*Figure 6-2: Add Product Data – Fields Populated*

3. Click on the **Save** button.

The screen displays the confirmation that the product submission has been successfully saved, as shown in Figure 6-3.
4. To add fields by Alternate ID, select the “Add by Alternate ID” tab, and use the following requirements:

   - **Alternate ID:** required dropdown
     
     **Note:** if the Alternate ID you want to use is not in the dropdown list, you must click on **Manage NDC1/ALT ID** from the menu on the left side of the screen, and add and assign the Alternate ID.

   - **Manufacturer Name:** required
     limited to 250 characters
     
     **Note:** When entering Product Data for the same Manufacturer more than once, be sure that the spelling is the same each time for that Manufacturer. If data were entered through “Upload Product Data,” the spelling must match that as well.

   - **Has Brand Name?:** checkbox
     optional

   - **Brand Name:** field is only displayed if the “Has Brand Name?” box is checked
     required if “Has Brand Name?” box is checked
     limited to 250 characters

   - **Generic Name:** dropdown list
     required

   - **New Generic Name:** only displayed when selecting “Add New Generic Name” from the “Generic Name” dropdown list
     required
     limited to 250 characters
Date of First Sale:  MM/DD/YYYY format
numeric
cannot occur before the FDA approval date
must occur prior to the “Current Reporting Period” start date

Expiration Date of Final Lot Sold:  MM/DD/YYYY format
optional

Strength of the Product:  required
limited to 500 characters

Volume Per Item:  required
limited to 250 characters

Number of Items per Alternate ID:  numeric
required
up to 9 digits allowed

FDA Approval Date:  optional
MM/DD/YYYY format
must be prior to “Current Reporting Period” start date

FDA Application Number/Registration Number:  optional
alphanumeric
up to 9 characters
can have up to 2 more optional entries by clicking on the “Add New Application Numbers” link

FDA Approval Type:  optional
dropdown list

FDA Application Supplement Number:  optional
alphanumeric
up to 9 characters
can have up to 2 more optional entries by clicking on the “Add New Application Numbers” link

The fields populate with the entered data, as shown in Figure 6-4.
5. Click on the **Save** button.

The screen displays the confirmation that the product submission has been successfully saved, as shown in Figure 6-5.

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### 6.2 Upload Product Data

ASP provides drug manufacturers the ability to submit Medicaid Part B drug data to CMS. Perform the following steps to upload drug product data using the file transfer process.

1. Click on **Product Data** from the menu on the left side of the screen, and then click on **Upload Product Data**.
The “Upload Product Data” screen displays with the current reporting period showing, as shown in Figure 6-6.

![Figure 6-6: Upload Product Data Screen](image)

2. To upload data, click on the **Browse...** button.

The file directory opens, as shown in Figure 6-7.

![Figure 6-7: File Directory Window](image)

3. Select a file and double-click on it.

The “Browse...” field is populated, as shown in Figure 6-8.

![Figure 6-8: Upload Product Data Browse Field Populated](image)

4. Click on the **Upload** button.

A message displays confirming that the product data were saved successfully, and the drug data are listed, as shown in Figure 6-9.
Note: Errors will be displayed in the “Status” column detailing what you will have to change in the Upload File.

Note: If there are errors in uploading the document where leading zeros are removed from the NDC and date field values, the file will need to be edited and certain columns reformatted. To do this, open your file and continue with Step 5. To be certain of file column formatting, click on the “Click here for acceptable file formats” link, or follow the criteria below.

5. Open the “Upload Product” file, as shown in Figure 6-10.

Figure 6-10: Upload Product File
6. To reformat a column, right-click on a column header. The “Column Editing” dropdown displays, as shown in Figure 6-11.

Figure 6-11: Upload Product Data Column Editing Dropdown

7. Select “Format Cells.” The “Format Cells” window displays, as shown in Figure 6-12.

Figure 6-12: Upload Product Data Format Cells Window
8. Make the following changes according to the below criteria:

**Note:** For NDC1, NDC2, and NDC3 columns, select “Number” and then “Custom.”

- **NDC1:** Type 5 0s (00000), click on the **OK** button, and repeat from Step 6 for any other column changes
- **NDC2:** Type 4 0s (0000), click on the **OK** button, and repeat from Step 6 for any other column changes
- **NDC3:** Type 2 0s (00), click on the **OK** button, and repeat from Step 6 for any other column changes

**Figure 6-13: Upload Product Data Format Cells Custom Editing Example**

**Note:** For the Expiration Date, Date of First Sale, and FDA Approval Date columns, select “Date” and then “Custom.”

- **Expiration Date:** Type MM/DD/YYYY, click on the **OK** button, and repeat from Step 6 for any other column changes
- **Date of First Sale:** Type MM/DD/YYYY, click on the **OK** button, and repeat from Step 6 for any other column changes
- **FDA Final Pre-Marketing Approval Date:** Type MM/DD/YYYY, click on the **OK** button, and repeat from Step 6 for any other column changes
9. Save the file and go back to Step 2.

**Note:** Be sure that you do NOT change any of the column headers, as that will invalidate the upload.

**Note:** Any time that you have to retrieve a file to edit, you will have to perform Steps 5 through 7 again, before you resave the file.

### 6.3 Update Product Data

Update Product Data allows drug manufacturers the ability to update drug product data to CMS.

1. Click on **Product Data** from the menu on the left side of the screen, and then click on **Update Product Data**.

   The “Update Product Data” screen displays with the current reporting period showing, as shown in Figure 6-15.
2. To update fields by NDC, select the “Update by NDC” tab.
   **Note:** To update fields by Alternate ID, go to step 6.

3. Select Drug Identifier: dropdown menu required

   All of the fields automatically populate, as shown in Figure 6-16.

   **Figure 6-16: Update Product Data Screen, Update by NDC Tab Fields Populated**
4. Make any updates using the following criteria.

   Has Brand Name?: checkbox
      optional

   Brand Name: field is only displayed if the “Has Brand Name?” box is checked
      required if “Has Brand Name?” box is checked
      limited to 250 characters

   Generic Name: dropdown list
      required

   New Generic Name: displayed only if selecting “Add New Generic Name” from the
      “Generic Name” dropdown list
      required
      limited to 250 characters

   Date of First Sale: MM/DD/YYYY format
      required
      cannot occur before the FDA approval date
      must occur prior to the “Current Reporting Period” start date

   Expiration Date of Final Lot Sold: MM/DD/YYYY format
      optional

   Strength of the Product: required
      limited to 500 characters

   Volume Per Item: required
      limited to 250 characters

   Number of Items per NDC: numeric
      required
      limited to 9 digits

   FDA Approval Date: required
      MM/DD/YYYY format
      must be prior to “Current Reporting Period” start date

   FDA Application Number/Registration Number: required
      alphanumeric
      up to 9 characters
      can have up to 2 more optional entries by clicking on the “Add New Application Numbers” link

   FDA Approval Type: required
      dropdown list
FDA Application Supplement Number: optional
- alphanumeric
- up to 9 characters
- can have up to 2 more optional entries by clicking on the “Add New Application Numbers” link

The fields populate with the entered data.

5. Click on the **UPDATE** button.

The screen displays the confirmation that the product submission has been saved, as shown in Figure 6-17.

**Figure 6-17: Update Product Data Screen – Update by NDC Saved Successfully**

6. To update fields by Alternate ID, select the “Update by Alternate ID” tab, select an alternate ID from the dropdown list, and use the following requirements:

   Has Brand Name?: checkbox
   - optional

   Brand Name: field is only displayed if “Has Brand Name?” box is checked
   - required if “Has Brand Name?” box is checked
   - limited to 250 characters

   Generic Name: dropdown list
   - required

   New Generic Name: only displayed when selecting “Add New Generic Name” from the “Generic Name” dropdown list
   - required
   - limited to 250 characters
Date of First Sale: MM/DD/YYYY format
required
cannot occur before the FDA approval date
must occur prior to the “Current Reporting Period” start date

Expiration Date of Final Lot Sold: MM/DD/YYYY format
optional

Strength of the Product: required
limited to 500 characters

Volume Per Item: required
limited to 250 characters

Number of Items per NDC: numeric
required
up to 9 digits

FDA Approval Date: optional
MM/DD/YYYY format
must be prior to “Current Reporting Period” start date

FDA Approval Type: optional
dropdown list

FDA Approval Date: optional
MM/DD/YYYY format
must be prior to “Current Reporting Period” start date

FDA Application Number/Registration Number: optional
alphanumeric
up to 9 characters
can have up to 2 more optional entries by clicking on the “Add New Application Numbers” link

FDA Approval Type: optional
dropdown list

FDA Approval Date: optional
MM/DD/YYYY format
must be prior to “Current Reporting Period” start date

FDA Application Supplement Number: optional
alphanumeric
up to 9 characters
can have up to 2 more optional entries by clicking on the “Add New Application Numbers” link

The fields populate with the entered data.

7. Click on the UPDATE button.

The screen displays the confirmation that the product submission has been saved, as shown in Figure 6-18.
6.4 View Submitted Drugs

Drug manufacturers have the ability to view drug data that has been submitted during the current reporting period. Drug manufacturers cannot update or edit drug data using this feature.

Perform the following steps to view submitted drug data:

1. Click on Product Data from the menu on the left side of the screen, and then click on View Submitted Drugs.

The “View Submitted Drugs” window displays, as shown in Figure 6-19.

![Figure 6-19: View Submitted Drugs Screen](image)

This can be used to scroll through the list of drugs displayed on the “View Submitted Drugs” page in order to view submitted drug data and status. This can also be used to enter the “Drug Identifier” field and click on the Search button to filter the results to view a particular drug’s data, using either a full or partial search of the drug identifier.
7. Financial Data

Drug manufacturers are required to submit quarterly drug data to the ASP application for ASP pricing using a file transfer process or through online data entry. Drug data consists of product data and financial data. The following subsections detail the steps required to submit drug financial data using online data entry and through approved file uploads.

7.1 Add/Edit Financial Data

The ASP application provides drug manufacturers the ability to submit Medicaid Part B drug financial data to CMS. Perform the following steps to add drug financial data manually using the online data entry process. To upload financial data for multiple drugs at once from a file, skip to section 7.2.

1. Click on Financial Data from the menu on the left side of the screen, and then click on Add/Edit Financial Data.

   The “Add/Edit Financial Data” page displays a listing all of the drugs that are assigned for the current reporting period, as shown in Figure 7-1.

   **Figure 7-1: Add/Edit Financial Data Screen**

2. Scroll through the list of drugs displayed on the “Add/Edit Financial Data” page in order to locate the drug(s) needing financial data added or updated, or enter the drug identifier in the “Drug Identifier” field, and click on the Search button to filter the results.

3. Enter the Manufacturer’s ASP, Number of ASP Units, Wholesale Acquisition Cost, and Number of CAP Units Excluded in the respective fields, using the following criteria:

   - **Manufacturer’s ASP**: numeric
     Must have three decimal places (i.e., XXXXXX.XXX).
     can be a positive number, a negative number, or be equal to 0.000

   - **Number of ASP units**: numeric
     must have three decimal places (i.e., XXXXXXXXXX.XXX).
     can be a positive number, a negative number, or be equal to 0.000
Wholesale Acquisition Cost: numeric
must have three decimal places (i.e., XXXXXX.XXX).
can be a positive number, a negative number, or be equal to 0.000

Number of Cap Units Excluded: optional
numeric
must have three decimal places (i.e., XXXXXXXXXXX.XXX).
can be a positive number or be equal to 0.000

The fields populate, as shown in Figure 7-2.

Figure 7-2: Add/Edit Financial Data Screen – Fields Populated

4. Click on the **Save Financial Data** button to add/update the Drug Identifier financial data.
   A message displays indicating that the Drug Identifier financial data have been saved to the ASP application and the status of the drug changes from “PENDING” to “SAVED,” as shown in Figure 7-3.

Figure 7-3: Add/Edit Financial Data Screen – Financial Data Saved

5. To view the product data for the Drug Identifier, click on the “Product” link in the “View Details” tab.
   The product data for the selected financial data displays, as shown in Figure 7-4.
7.2 Upload Financial Data

ASP provides drug manufacturers the ability to submit Medicaid Part B financial data to CMS. Perform the following steps to upload drug financial data using the file transfer process.

1. Click on Financial Data from the menu on the left side of the screen, and then click on Upload Financial Data.

   The “Upload Financial Data” screen displays with the current reporting period showing, as shown in Figure 7-5.

   ![Figure 7-5: Upload Financial Data Screen](image)

2. To upload data, click on the Browse... button.

   The file directory opens, as shown in Figure 7-6.

   ![Figure 7-6: File Directory Window](image)
3. Select a file and double-click on it.

The “Browse…” field is populated, as shown in Figure 7-7.

Figure 7-7: Upload Financial Data Browse Field Populated

4. Click on the **Upload** button.

A message displays confirming that the financial data were uploaded successfully, and the drug financial data are listed, as shown in Figure 7-8.

Figure 7-8: Upload Financial Data Saved Successfully

**Note:** Errors will be displayed in the “Status” column detailing what you will have to change in the Upload File.

**Note:** If there are errors in uploading the document where leading zeros are removed from the NDC and date field values, the file will need to be edited and certain columns reformatted. To do this, open your file and continue with Step 5. To be certain of file column formatting, click on the “Click here for acceptable file formats” link, or follow the criteria below.
5. Open the “Upload Financial” file, as shown in Figure 7-9.

![Figure 7-9: Upload Financial Data File](image)

6. To reformat a column, right-click on a column header.

   The “Column Editing” dropdown displays, as shown in Figure 7-10.

![Figure 7-10: Upload Financial Data Column Editing Dropdown](image)

7. Select “Format Cells.”

   The “Format Cells” window displays, as shown in Figure 7-11.
8. Make the following changes in the “Type” field according to the below criteria:

**Note:** For NDC1, NDC2, and NDC3 columns, select “Number” and then “Custom.”

- NDC1: Type 5 0s (00000), click on the **OK** button, and repeat from Step 7 for any other column changes
- NDC2: Type 4 0s (0000), click on the **OK** button, and repeat from Step 7 for any other column changes
- NDC3: Type 2 0s (00), click on the **OK** button, and repeat from Step 7 for any other column changes
**Note:** For Manufacturer's Average Sales Price, Number of ASP Units, Wholesale Acquisition Cost, and Number of CAP Units Excluded, select “Number.”

- Manufacturer's Average Sales Price: Change the number of decimal places to “3,” click on the **OK** button, and repeat from Step 7 for any other column changes.
- Number of ASP Units: Change the number of decimal places to “3,” click on the **OK** button, and repeat from Step 7 for any other column changes.
- Wholesale Acquisition Cost: Change the number of decimal places to “3,” click on the **OK** button, and repeat from Step 7 for any other column changes.
- Number of CAP Units Excluded: Change the number of decimal places to “3,” click on the **OK** button, and repeat from Step 7 for any other column changes.

**Figure 7-13:** Upload Financial Data Format Cells Number Editing Example

9. Save the file and go back to Step 2.

**Note:** Be sure that you do NOT change any of the column headers, as that will invalidate the upload.

**Note:** Any time that you have to retrieve a file to edit, you will have to perform Steps 6 through 8 again, before you resave the file.
8. Generate One Time Password (OTP) - Submitter

Once the ASP Submitter successfully enters all the Product and Financial Data for the first time into the ASP application, the ASP Submitter can generate a One Time Password (OTP) for each Manufacturer Name. Once the OTP is generated, the ASP Submitter can provide the OTP to the Certifier. The OTP expires after 7 days of being generated. If the OTP expires, the ASP Submitter can generate another OTP and once again provide the OTP to the ASP Certifier. There can only be one active Certifier for a manufacturer. If the Certifier changes, the Submitter has to share a new OTP with the new Certifier.

1. Click on **Generate One Time Password (OTP)** from the menu on the left side of the screen.

   The “Generate One Time Password (OTP)” screen displays, as shown in Figure 8-1.

   ![Figure 8-1: Generate One Time Password (OTP) Screen](image)

2. Select a Manufacturer name from the “Please select the Manufacturer Name*” dropdown list.

   The selected Manufacturer populates in the field, as shown in Figure 8-2.

   ![Figure 8-2: Generate OTP – Please select the Manufacturer name*: Field Populated](image)

3. Click on the **Generate One Time Password (OTP)** button.

   The OTP displays and is available for 7 days, as shown in Figure 8-3.

![Figure 8-3: OTP Available for 7 Days](image)
Figure 8-3: OTP Generated Successfully

![Image of the CMS XLC Generate One Time Password (OTP) - Submitter User Manual Version 2.0 page showing a successful OTP generated.

The image shows the interface for generating an OTP. The screen displays a message that the OTP has been generated successfully and expires on 11/12/2018. It also shows the manufacturer name as 'ELC' and the OTP code as 'irq118MSzy1Kz4xecr7A'.]
9. Verify OTP - Certifier

Once the ASP Submitter generates and provides an OTP for each Manufacturer Name to the Certifier, the Certifier must verify the OTP. The one-time password expires after 7 days of being generated. If the OTP expires, the ASP Submitter can generate another OTP and once again provide the OTP to the ASP Certifier.

1. Click on **Verify One Time Password (OTP)** from the menu on the left side of the screen.

   The “Verify One Time Password (OTP)” screen displays, as shown in Figure 9-1.

   ![Figure 9-1: Verify One Time Password (OTP) Screen](image)

2. Enter the OTP in the “Enter OTP provided by your data submitter*” field.

   The “Enter OTP provided by your data submitter*” field populates, as shown in Figure 9-2.

   ![Figure 9-2: Verify OTP – Enter OTP provided by your data submitter*: Field Populated](image)

3. Click on the **Verify** button.

   A message displays that the OTP has been verified and the data for that manufacturer is ready for certification, as shown in Figure 9-3.

   ![Figure 9-3: Verify OTP – OTP Verified Message](image)
10. Assumptions

10.1 Assumptions - Submitter

Drug Manufacturers can submit comments regarding their certifications to CMS. These comments may be submitted for either the current or prior reporting periods. Perform the following steps to submit certification assumptions to CMS.

1. Begin by clicking on Assumptions button on the left side menu.

   The “Assumptions” page displays showing the current report period, as shown in Figure 10-1.

   Figure 10-1: Assumptions Screen - Submitter

2. Select the desired reporting period from the “For Reporting Period” dropdown list and select the desired manufacturer name from the “Manufacturer Name” dropdown list.

   The “Assumptions” page is shown with the Manufacturer name populated, as shown in Figure 10-2.

   Figure 10-2: Assumptions – For Reporting Period Field Populated

3. Select the “Enter your assumptions / comments about a submission below” tab and enter your comment in the text field.

   The text field is populated, as shown in Figure 10-3.
4. Click on the **Submit** button.

A message displays that the assumption has been successfully saved, as shown in Figure 10-4.

**Figure 10-4: Assumptions Saved Successfully**

5. To upload an assumption, select a Manufacturer Name, select the “Upload your assumptions document (.doc,.docx,.txt,.pdf)” tab, and click on the **Browse** button.

The file directory window opens, as shown in Figure 10-5.
6. Select the document to upload, and click on the **Submit** button.

A message displays that the assumption has been successfully saved, as shown in Figure 10-6.

7. To view assumptions that have been added, select a Manufacturer Name and click on the “Assumptions” tab.

The added assumptions are listed, as shown in Figure 10-7.

The Assumptions can be viewed and opened by clicking the file link in the “File Name” column.
10.2 Assumptions – Certifier

Drug Manufacturers can submit comments regarding their certifications to CMS. These comments may be submitted for either the current or prior reporting periods. Perform the following steps to submit certification assumptions to CMS.

1. Begin by clicking on Certification from the menu on the left side of the screen, and then click on Assumptions.

   The “Assumptions” page displays showing the current report period, as shown in Figure 10-8.

   **Figure 10-8: Assumptions Screen - Certifier**

2. Select the desired reporting period from the “For Reporting Period” dropdown list and select the desired manufacturer name from the “Manufacturer Name” dropdown list.

   The “Assumptions” page is shown with the Manufacturer name populated, as shown in Figure 10-9.

   **Figure 10-9: Assumptions – For Reporting Period Field Populated**

3. Select the “Enter your assumptions / comments about a submission below” tab and enter your comment in the text field.

   The text field is populated, as shown in Figure 10-10.

   **Figure 10-10: Assumptions – Comments Field Populated**
4. Click on the **Submit** button.

A message displays that the assumption has been successfully saved, as shown in Figure 10-11.

**Figure 10-11: Assumptions Saved Successfully**

![Assumptions Saved Successfully](image)

5. To upload an assumption, select the “Upload your assumptions document (.doc,.docx,.txt,.pdf)” tab, and click on the **Browse** button.

The file directory opens, as shown in Figure 10-12.

**Figure 10-12: File Directory Window**

![File Directory Window](image)

6. Select the document to upload, and click on the **Submit** button.

A message displays that the assumption has been successfully saved, as shown in Figure 10-13.
To view assumptions that have been added select the “Assumptions” tab.

The added assumptions are listed, as shown in Figure 10-14.

The Assumptions can be viewed and opened by clicking the file link in the “File Name” column.
11. **Re-Statements**

11.1 **Add/Edit Restate Financial Data**

ASP provides drug manufacturers the ability to restate Medicaid Part B financial data to CMS. Perform the following steps to add or edit financial data.

1. Click on **Re-Statements** from the menu on the left side of the screen, and then click on **Add/Edit Restate Financial Data**.

   The “Add/Edit Restate Financial Data” screen displays with the current reporting period showing, as shown in Figure 11-1.

   ![Figure 11-1: Add/Edit Restate Financial Data Screen](image)

2. To add or edit data, select a reporting period from the dropdown menu in the “Select Re-Statement Period:" field and select a drug identifier.

   The “Select Re-Statement Period:" and “Please select the Drug Identifier*:" fields populate, as shown in Figure 11-2.

   ![Figure 11-2: Add/Edit Restate Financial Data – Select Re-Statement Period and Drug Identifier](image)
3. Add or edit the Manufacturer’s ASP, Number of ASP Units, Wholesale Acquisition Cost, and Number of CAP Units Excluded in the respective fields, using the following criteria:

   Manufacturer’s ASP: numeric
   - must have three decimal places (i.e., XXXXXX.XXX).
   - can be a positive number, a negative number, or be equal to 0.000

   Number of ASP units: numeric
   - must have three decimal places (i.e., XXXXXXXXXX.XXX).
   - can be a positive number, a negative number, or be equal to 0.000

   Wholesale Acquisition Cost: numeric
   - must have three decimal places (i.e., XXXXXXX.XXX).
   - can be a positive number, a negative number, or be equal to 0.000

   Number of Cap Units Excluded: optional numeric
   - must have three decimal places (i.e., XXXXXXXXXX.XXX).
   - can be a positive number or be equal to 0.000

   The fields populate, as shown in Figure 11-3.

   Figure 11-3: Add/Edit Restate Financial Data – Add/Edit Data

4. Click on the **Re-State** button.

   A message displays stating that the financial data have been saved, as shown in Figure 11-4.
11.2 **Upload Re-State Financial Data**

ASP provides drug manufacturers the ability to restate Medicaid Part B financial data to CMS. Perform the following steps to upload financial data using the file transfer process.

1. Click on **Re-statements** from the menu on the left side of the screen, and then click on **Upload Restate Financial Data**.

   The “Upload Restate Financial Data” screen displays with the current reporting period showing, as shown in Figure 11-5.

   **Figure 11-5: Upload Restate Financial Data Screen**

2. To upload data, select a reporting period from the dropdown menu in the “Select Re-Statement Period:” field.

   The “Select Re-Statement Period:” field populates, as shown in Figure 11-6.

### Table: Restate Financial Data

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Drug Identifier</th>
<th>Generic (Brand Name)</th>
<th>Manufacturer's ASP</th>
<th>Number of ASP units</th>
<th>Wholesale Acquisition Cost</th>
<th>Number of Cap Units Excluded</th>
<th>Status</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>46895.D03E.17</td>
<td>DR002046</td>
<td>7.11/7.15</td>
<td>2220 322</td>
<td>664.84,644</td>
<td>52333.333</td>
<td>RESTATE SAVED</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
3. Click on the **Browse** button.

The file directory opens, as shown in Figure 11-7.

![Figure 11-7: File Directory Window](image)

4. Select a file in the appropriate format and double-click on it.

The “Browse” field is populated, as shown in Figure 11-8.

![Figure 11-8: Upload Restate Financial Data Screen – Browse Field Populated](image)

5. Click on the **Upload** button.

A message displays confirming that the financial data were saved successfully, and the financial data are listed, as shown in Figure 11-9.
**Figure 11-9: Upload Restate Financial Data Screen – Re-Stated Financial Data Successfully**

![Image of the Upload Restate Financial Data Screen]

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Database</th>
<th>Field Name</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Internal Name</th>
<th>Date/Time</th>
<th>Success</th>
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<td>Financial Data</td>
<td>Data File</td>
<td>Upload</td>
<td>Financial Data</td>
<td>04/10/16</td>
<td>Completed</td>
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<tr>
<td>Financial Data</td>
<td>Data File</td>
<td>Upload</td>
<td>Financial Data</td>
<td>04/10/16</td>
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**Report of Restated Drugs via the Upload**

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<td>60909-0000-1546</td>
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<td>Uploaded Successfully</td>
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12. Drug Certification

Drug certification is a process where a drug manufacturer certifies the accuracy of the drug data. In this section, data are selected and marked for immediate certification or later certification. Selection may be one drug product item, a list of drug items or all drug items pending certification for a manufacturer. The Drug Manufacturer gathers required quarterly drug data and submits it to CM for ASP pricing. The Drug Manufacturer certifies that the data reported are correct.

With the appropriate user access, the ASP Application provides drug manufacturers the ability to certify the accuracy of drug data that have been previously submitted. This is for the Certifier to perform the following steps to certify drug data online.

1. Log into the application, click on Certification on the left of the screen, and then click on Drug Certification.

The “Drug Certification” screen displays showing the current reporting period and “Select Option” is defaulted to “Drug data pending certification.” The “Manufacturer Name” field is defaulted to “View All” and displays all of the drugs for the selected quarterly reporting period in the results, as shown in Figure 12-1.

![Figure 12-1: Drug Certification Screen](image)

2. Select a Reporting Period from the dropdown list (if not using the current one), select the desired manufacturer from the “Manufacturer Name” dropdown list, and click on the Submit button.

The status for the drug information for the selected quarter and manufacturer displays as “SAVED,” as shown in Figure 12-2.
3. Select the drugs to be certified by clicking the “Certify” check box of the individual drugs and clicking on the Certify Selected Data button, or by clicking on the Certify All Data button at the bottom of the page. If a drug is checked inadvertently, click on the Reset All Checked Drugs button to clear the drug check boxes.

A “Data Certification Statement” window displays, as shown in Figure 12-3.

Figure 12-3: Data Certification Statement

4. Review the statement, click on the checkbox next to “I agree to the above certification statement,” and click on the Proceed to Certify Data button.

A message displays stating that the data have been successfully certified, as shown in Figure 12-4.
### Figure 12-4: Drug Information Successfully Certified

![Drug Certification Screen](image)

A screenshot of the Drug Certification interface showing the successful certification of drug information. The table displays various columns such as Drug Name, NDC, and ASP (Average Sales Price) for different drugs. The interface indicates that the certification process has been completed successfully.

#### Table: Certification Results

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<tr>
<th>NDC</th>
<th>Drug Name</th>
<th>ASP (Average Sales Price)</th>
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<tr>
<td>0001</td>
<td>Drug 1</td>
<td>$100.00</td>
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<tr>
<td>0002</td>
<td>Drug 2</td>
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<td>Drug 3</td>
<td>$300.00</td>
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*Note: The screenshot is a visual representation of the certification process and the associated data.*
## Appendix A: Record of Changes

### Table A-1: Record of Changes

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<td>Maureen Campbell</td>
<td>Section 4.1: Add Product Data - Increased the requirements for “Strength of the Product” from 250 characters to 500 characters; made changes for requirements for “FDA Application Number,” “FDA Approval Type,” “FDA Approval Date,” and “Alternate ID.”</td>
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## Appendix B: Acronyms

Table B-1: Acronyms

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<td>Alternate Identification</td>
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<td>AMP</td>
<td>Average Manufacturer Price</td>
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<td>ARS</td>
<td>Acceptable Risk Safeguards</td>
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<td>Personally Identifiable Information</td>
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