

Provider Enrollment – Unlicensed Residents

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This MLN Matters Article is intended for unlicensed resident physicians who need to enroll in the Medicare program through Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs). The article is also intended for the providers for whom these residents will practice.

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

Effective as soon as possible but no later than June 17, 2018, MACs will process CMS Form-855O provider enrollment applications submitted for unlicensed residents if the application submission includes either, 1) a Residency Contract signed and dated by both an official of the institution and the Resident Physician or, 2) a letter, on institution letterhead, confirming the applicants status as a Resident Physician signed and dated by an official of the institution and containing at a minimum the name of the applicant.

MACs shall approve the enrollment if the applicant passes all screening requirements and provides proof of residency as described above.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

If you have questions, your MACs may have more information. Find their website at http://go.cms.gov/MAC-website-list.

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