

Participant Instructions to Ask Questions and Evaluate Sessions

Overview

The CMS 2016 Medicare Advantage and Prescription Drug Plan Audit & Enforcement Conference & Webcast will offer all participants an option to submit questions during the live conference in addition to offering interactive polling to evaluate each session.

Ask CMS Questions during “Live” Event

Participants attending the conference in-person will be able to ask questions directly to speakers during specified times in the agenda.

All participants will be able to ask their own questions by clicking here [2016 MA and PDP Audit & Enforcement Conference – Ask CMS Questions during Live Event](#).

Evaluate Sessions Using Interactive Polling Technology

Below are instructions on how to use Poll Everywhere® polling technology to evaluate the conference sessions. There are two options for participation. Select the link below based on your preference.

1. [Text Message](#) – Participants can respond from smart phones by sending a text message.
2. [Web Browser](#) – Participants can respond by accessing the unique Poll Everywhere® web page from any device (smart phone, tablet or computer) connected to the internet.

During the event, if you experience any technical issues relating to Poll Everywhere® polling technology, please submit them to tsanderson@provider-resources.com. All other issues and comments should be sent to CTEOTechSupport@cms.hhs.gov.

Important Note: Viewing Tips for Webcast Participants

Participants attending via webcast can view the conference via either USTREAM or You Tube.

Using an Ethernet connection instead of Wi-Fi may increase the webcast streaming speed and prevent delays.

Text Message Instructions

Joining Poll Everywhere®

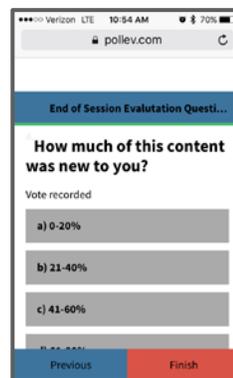
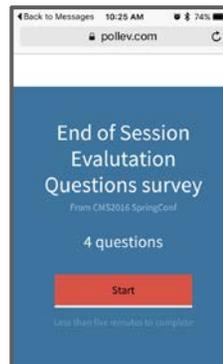
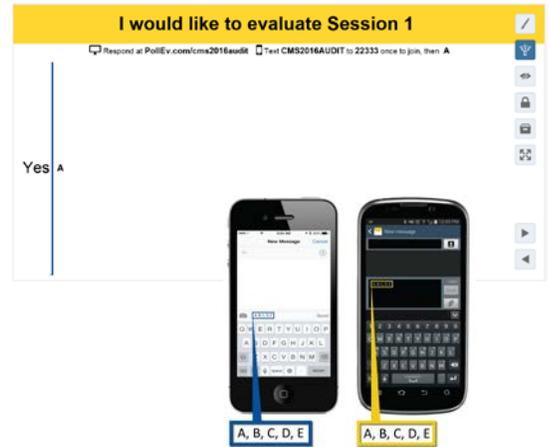
1. **Take out** your cell phone.
2. **Select** your text message screen.
3. **Create** a new message.
4. **Type 22333** into the recipient/to box.
5. **Type CMS2016AUDIT** into the message box (not case sensitive).
6. **Send** your message.
7. You will receive a response stating **“You have joined CMS2016AuditConf’s session.”** You are now connected and will remain connected for the entire conference.



Note: The session will remain open throughout the conference; however, you can only submit an answer when the moderator instructs participants to answer questions.

Responding to the End-of-Session Evaluation Questions via Text

1. When prompted by the moderator, **enter** your response “**A**” to the question: “I would like to evaluate the Session.”
2. **Send** your message.
3. You will receive via text the following message: “Hello. Please evaluate this session <https://pollev.com/surveys/G3B8-RBlj/intro.>”
4. **Click** the link and you will be taken to the Poll Everywhere® site.
5. **Choose “Start”** and you will be presented with the evaluation questions one at a time.
6. **Select your answer** and click “**Next**” to advance to each question.
7. **Submit** your survey by choosing “**Finish.**”



Note: To officially log out of polling for the day, type “**Leave**” into your message box and click send.

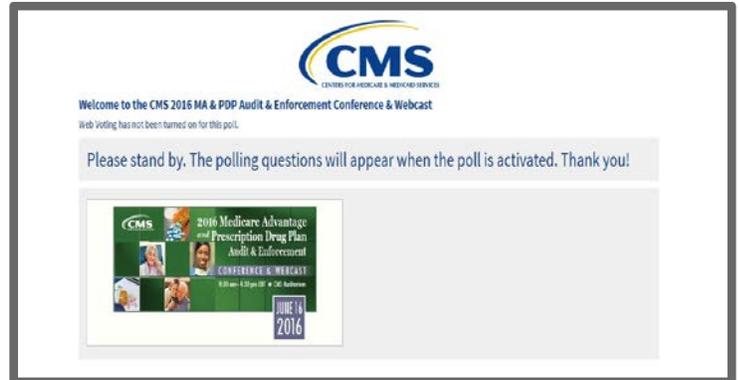
Web Browser Instructions

Joining Poll Everywhere® and Responding to Evaluations

1. Go to: <http://pollev.com/cms2016audit>

Welcome Page:

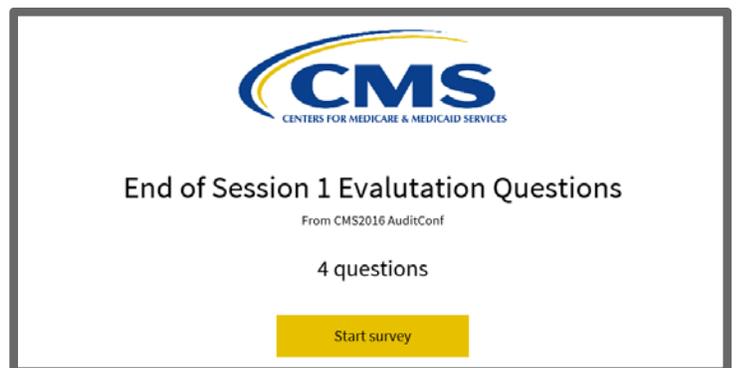
When you see this welcome page, **the poll is not in session**. Please wait for the moderator to open the poll.



2. When prompted by the moderator, **choose “Yes”** in response to the question: “I would like to evaluate the Session.” You will be presented with a link to evaluate the session. **Click** on this link (in the pop-up box).



3. **Choose “Start survey”** and you will be presented with the evaluation questions one at a time.



4. **Submit your answer** and click “Next” to advance to each question.

5. **Submit** your survey by choosing “Finish.”

