



## Participant Instructions to Ask Questions and Evaluate Sessions

### Overview

The CMS 2017 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 during presentations as well as 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 [2017 CMS MA and PDP Audit & Enforcement Conference & Webcast – Ask CMS Questions during Live Event](#).

### Using Polling Technology to Interact during Presentations & Evaluate Sessions

Below are instructions on how to use Poll Everywhere® polling technology to interact during presentations and 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 [tklagholz@provider-resources.com](mailto:tklagholz@provider-resources.com). All other issues and comments should be sent to [CTEOTechSupport@cms.hhs.gov](mailto:CTEOTechSupport@cms.hhs.gov).

### Important Note: Viewing Tip for Webcast Participants

Participants attending via webcast can view the conference via either USTREAM or YouTube. To view and access the webcast, use **Google Chrome**.

Using an Ethernet connection for a computer or laptop, 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 CMS2017AUDIT** into the message box (not case sensitive).
6. **Send** your message.
7. You will receive a response stating **“You have joined CMS2017AUDIT Conf’s session.”** You are now connected and will remain connected for the entire conference.

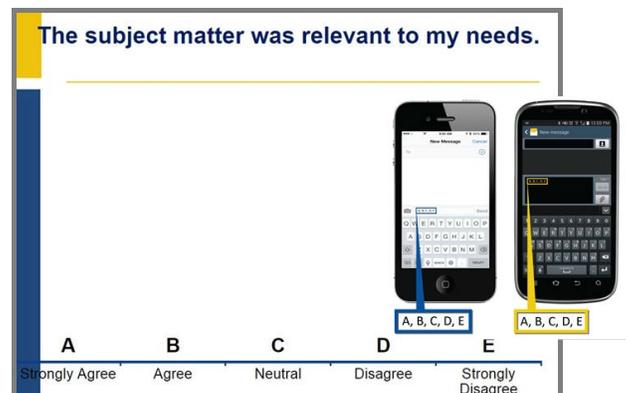


*Note:* The session will remain open throughout the conference; however, you can only submit an answer when the moderator/speaker is instructing participants to answer questions.

### *Responding to a Poll during the Presentation via Text*

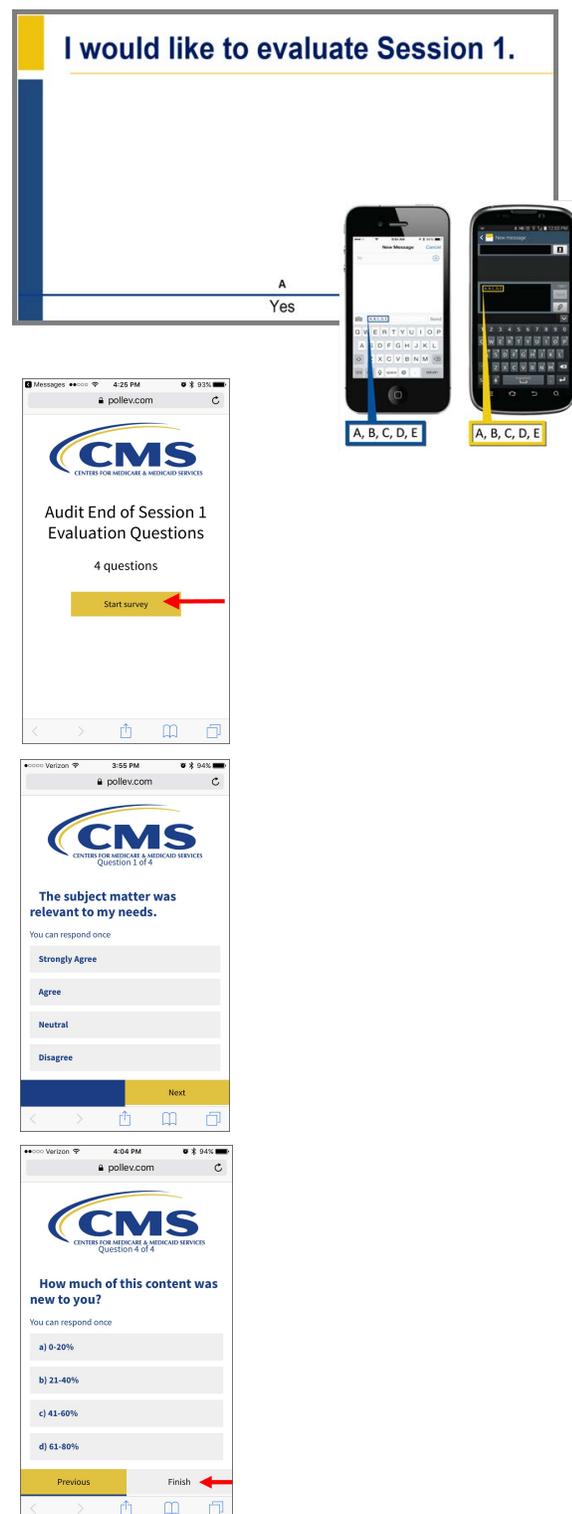
1. **Enter** your response each time the poll is conducted by typing the letter that corresponds (A, B, C, D, E).
2. **Send** your message.

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



## 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 response 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*

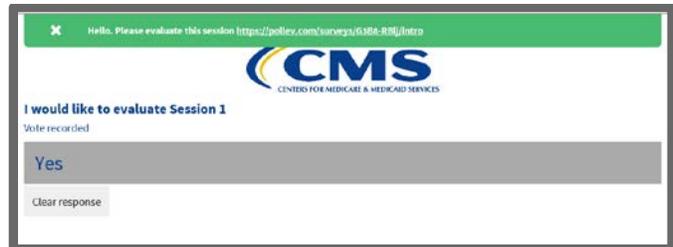
1. **Go to:** <http://pollev.com/cms2017audit>

#### 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.”**

