

**Quarterly Provider Update-Regulations  
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<a href="#">CMS-9935-N2</a>	HHS-Operated Risk Adjustment Methodology Meeting; March 31, 2016	01/27/2016	ALL Providers
<a href="#">CMS-3323-N</a>	Request for Information: Certification Frequency and Requirements for the Reporting of Quality Measures Under CMS Programs; Extension of Comment Period	02/02/2016	ALL Providers
<a href="#">CMS-5061-P</a>	Medicare Program: Expanding Uses of Medicare Data by Qualified Entities	02/02/2016	ALL Providers
<a href="#">CMS-1644-P</a>	Medicare Program; Medicare Shared Savings Program; Accountable Care Organizations--Revised Benchmark Rebased Methodology, Facilitating Transition to Performance-Based Risk, and Administrative Finality of Financial Calculations	02/03/2016	ALL Providers
<a href="#">CMS-9094-N</a>	Medicare and Medicaid Programs; Quarterly Listing of Program Issuances--October Through December 2015	02/04/2016	ALL Providers
<a href="#">CMS-6037-F</a>	Medicare Program; Reporting and Returning of Overpayments	02/12/2016	ALL Providers
<a href="#">CMS-6058-P</a>	Medicare, Medicaid, and Children's Health Insurance Programs; Program Integrity Enhancements to the Provider Enrollment Process	03/01/2016	ALL Providers
<a href="#">CMS-3310 &amp; 3311-F2</a>	Medicare and Medicaid Programs; Electronic Health Record Initiative Program--Stage 3 and Modifications to Meaningful Use in 2015 Through 2017; Corrections and Correcting Amendment	02/02/2016	ALL Providers
<a href="#">CMS-9937-F</a>	Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act; HHS Notice of Benefit and Payment Parameters for 2017	03/08/2016	ALL Providers
<a href="#">CMS-1670-P</a>	Medicare Program; Part B Drug Payment Model	03/11/2016	ALL Providers
<a href="#">CMS-6059-N4</a>	Medicare, Medicaid, and Children's Health Insurance Programs: Announcement of the Extended Temporary Moratoria on Enrollment of Ground Ambulance Suppliers and Home Health Agencies in Designated Geographic Locations	02/02/2016	Ambulance
<a href="#">CMS-3322-FN</a>	Medicare and Medicaid Programs: Continued Approval of the American Association for Accreditation of Ambulatory Surgery Facilities Rural Health Clinic Accreditation Program	02/25/2016	ASC

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<a href="#"><u>CMS-2348-F</u></a>	Medicaid Program; Face-to-Face Requirements for Home Health Services; Policy Changes and Clarifications Related to Home Health	02/02/2016	HHA
<a href="#"><u>CMS-6059-N4</u></a>	Medicare, Medicaid, and Children's Health Insurance Programs: Announcement of the Extended Temporary Moratoria on Enrollment of Ground Ambulance Suppliers and Home Health Agencies in Designated Geographic Locations	02/02/2016	HHA
<a href="#"><u>CMS-1659-N</u></a>	Medicare Program; Explanation of FY 2004 Outlier Fixed-Loss Threshold as Required by Court Rulings	01/22/2016	Hospital
<a href="#"><u>CMS-1661-NC</u></a>	Medicare Program; Request for an Exception to the Prohibition on Expansion of Facility Capacity Under the Hospital Ownership and Rural Provider Exceptions to the Physician Self-Referral Prohibition	02/02/2016	Hospital
<a href="#"><u>CMS-1660-N</u></a>	Medicare Program: Notice of Seven Membership Appointments to the Advisory Panel on Hospital Outpatient Payment	02/11/2016	Hospital
<a href="#"><u>CMS-1658-N</u></a>	Medicare Program; Inpatient Prospective Payment Systems; 0.2 Percent Reduction	03/18/2016	Hospital
<a href="#"><u>CMS-2345-FC</u></a>	Medicaid Program; Covered Outpatient Drugs	02/02/2016	Medicaid
<a href="#"><u>CMS-2348-F</u></a>	Medicaid Program; Face-to-Face Requirements for Home Health Services; Policy Changes and Clarifications Related to Home Health	02/02/2016	Medicaid
<a href="#"><u>CMS-2398-N</u></a>	Medicaid Program; Final FY 2013 and Preliminary FY 2015 Disproportionate Share Hospital Allotments, and Final FY 2013 and Preliminary FY 2015 Institutions for Mental Diseases Disproportionate Share Hospital Limits	02/02/2016	Medicaid
<a href="#"><u>CMS-2396-FN</u></a>	Basic Health Program; Federal Funding Methodology for Program Years 2017 and 2018	02/29/2016	Medicaid
<a href="#"><u>CMS-2333-F</u></a>	Medicaid and Children's Health Insurance Programs; Mental Health Parity and Addiction Equity Act of 2008; the Application of Mental Health Parity Requirements to Coverage Offered by Medicaid Managed Care Organizations, the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP), and Alternative Benefit Plans	02/30/2016	Medicaid
<a href="#"><u>CMS-9935-N</u></a>	HHS-Operated Risk Adjustment Methodology Meeting; March 25, 2016	01/11/2016	Meeting Notice

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<a href="#"><u>CMS-1660-N</u></a>	Medicare Program: Notice of Seven Membership Appointments to the Advisory Panel on Hospital Outpatient Payment	02/11/2016	Meeting Notice
<a href="#"><u>CMS-1637-N</u></a>	Medicare Program; Public Meetings in Calendar Year 2016 for All New Public Requests for Revisions to the Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) Coding and Payment Determinations	02/23/2016	Meeting Notice
<a href="#"><u>CMS-7040-N</u></a>	Health Insurance Marketplace\SM, Medicare, Medicaid, and the Children's Health Insurance Program; Meeting of the Advisory Panel on Outreach and Education (APOE)	02/25/2016	Meeting Notice
<a href="#"><u>CMS-3331-N</u></a>	Medicare Program; Meeting of the Medicare Evidence Development and Coverage Advisory Committee--April 27, 2016	02/26/2016	Meeting Notice
<a href="#"><u>CMS-7040-N2</u></a>	Health Insurance Marketplace\SM, Medicare, Medicaid, and the Children's Health Insurance Program; Cancellation of the March 23, 2016 Advisory Panel on Outreach and Education Meeting	03/22/2016	Meeting Notice
<a href="#"><u>CMS-1661-NC</u></a>	Medicare Program; Request for an Exception to the Prohibition on Expansion of Facility Capacity Under the Hospital Ownership and Rural Provider Exceptions to the Physician Self-Referral Prohibition	02/02/2016	Physician
<a href="#"><u>CMS-1631-F2</u></a>	Medicare Program; Revisions to Payment Policies Under the Physician Fee Schedule and Other Revisions to Part B for CY 2016; Corrections	03/08/2016	Physician
<a href="#"><u>CMS-5516-F2</u></a>	Medicare Program; Comprehensive Care for Joint Replacement Payment Model for Acute Care Hospitals Furnishing Lower Extremity Joint Replacement Services; Corrections and Correcting Amendments	02/02/2016	Supplier