

## **Medicare Shared Savings Program and Advance Payment Model**

### **Application Process National Provider Call**

*Monday, July 16; 1:30-3 pm ET*

On October 20, 2011, CMS issued a final rule under the Affordable Care Act to establish the Medicare Shared Savings Program (Shared Savings Program), along with a notice for the Advance Payment Model that will provide additional support to physician-led and rural Accountable Care Organizations (ACOs) participating in the Shared Savings Program. These two initiatives will help providers participate in ACOs to improve quality of care for Medicare patients.

On Monday, July 16, 2012, CMS is hosting a National Provider Call, where subject matter experts will provide an overview and updates to the Shared Savings Program application and Advance Payment Model application processes for the January 1, 2013 Shared Savings Program start date. A question and answer session will follow the presentations.

The [Shared Savings Program Application](#) and the [Advance Payment Model](#) web pages have important information, dates, and materials on the application process. Call participants are encouraged to review the applications and materials prior to the call.

*Target Audience:* Medicare Fee-For-Service (FFS) providers

*Registration Information:* In order to receive call-in information, you must register for the call on the [CMS Upcoming National Provider Calls](#) web page. Registration will close at 12pm on the day of the call or when available space has been filled; no exceptions will be made, so please register early.

*Presentation:* The presentation for this call will be posted prior to the call on the [FFS National Provider Calls](#) web page. In addition, a link to the slide presentation will be emailed to all registrants on the day of the call.