

- Inclusive of all options, the newly-awarded A/B MAC Jurisdiction L contract has a total estimated value of \$669,311,443 million.
- As Novitas is the incumbent contractor for A/B MAC Jurisdiction L, CMS anticipates that implementation of the new contract will go smoothly, with few (if any) disruptions in service for Medicare beneficiaries and providers.
- To support the performance of the newly-awarded MAC contract, Novitas will perform the contract from offices in Mechanicsburg, Pittsburg and Williamsport, PA, Jacksonville, FL, Milwaukee, WI, Dallas, TX and Columbus, GA.
- In addition to processing Medicare Part A and Part B provider claims in A/B MAC Jurisdiction L, Novitas will perform other critical Medicare functions, including enrolling and auditing Medicare providers, as well as educating these providers on Medicare coverage requirements.
- CMS has stringent standards for contract performance on these contracts and measures performance through a variety of processes, including on-site oversight, data reviews and protocol-driven quality assurance reviews, as well as independent audits. As CMS continues to use the competitive process to select claims administration contractors, technical approach and past performance will be major evaluation factors.
- Questions about the contract award should be directed to Mark Werder in CMS' Office of Acquisition and Grants Management. Mr. Werder may be reached at 410-786-7839 or at Mark.Werder@cms.hhs.gov.