



CMS Snapshot

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News Releases

*November 8- [ACF Announces \\$42 Million in Grant Awards to Build Economic Stability and Support Family Well-Being](#). The Administration for Children and Families (ACF) at the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services announced grant awards totaling approximately \$44 million across two ACF program offices – the Office of Community Services (OCS) and the Office of Child Support Services (OCSS) – to improve the financial well-being of children and families.

*November 10- [Statement from Secretary Xavier Becerra on New Data Showing Continued Low Uninsurance Rate](#). Today, U.S. Health and Human Services Secretary Xavier Becerra released the following statement about [newly released data - PDF](#) showing that the historic decline in the number of uninsured Americans on this Administration’s watch is holding steady.

*November 12- [Jeff Hild Announces Departure from HHS](#). Today, Jeff Hild, the senior official performing the duties of the Assistant Secretary for the Administration for Children and Families (ACF), will be leaving the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

*November 14- [HHS Launches a Nationwide Public Awareness Campaign to Promote the Maternal Mental Health Hotline \(1-833-TLC-MAMA\)](#). *Grocery stores, pharmacies, community organizations, and other institutions across the United States are uniting to raise awareness of the National Maternal Mental Health Hotline.* Today, the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), an agency of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), announced a new nationwide campaign to raise public awareness of the [National Maternal Mental Health Hotline](#) (1-833-TLC-MAMA). The National Maternal Mental Health Hotline is a cornerstone of the Biden-Harris Administration’s broader efforts to improve maternal health and supports HRSA’s ongoing initiative to reduce maternal mortality and health disparities. While mental health conditions are the leading cause of pregnancy-related deaths, more than 80 percent of pregnancy-related deaths are preventable according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

Fact Sheet

*November 8- [2025 Medicare Parts A & B Premiums and Deductibles](#). On November 8, 2024, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) released the 2025 premiums, deductibles, and coinsurance amounts for the Medicare Part A and Part B programs, and the 2025 Medicare Part D income-related monthly adjustment amounts.

Blog

*November 12- [How We're Making the Organ Transplant System Safe and Equitable](#). By: [Jean D. Moody-Williams RN, MPP](#), Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, [Ashley N. Spence MPA](#), Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services and [Suma Nair PhD, MS, RD](#), Health Resources and Services Administration. *Summary: The Organ Transplantation Affinity Group (OTAG), led by HRSA and CMS, is helping improve organ donation, procurement, and transplantation in the United States. Improving the U.S. organ transplant system continues to be a priority for the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).*