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**DATE:** August 13, 2013

**TO:** All **Parent Organizations** for Medicare Advantage Organizations, Medicare Advantage-Prescription Drug Organizations, Section 1876 Cost Contracts, and Prescription Drug Plan Sponsors

**SUBJECT:** CMS 2013 MA & PDP Fall Conference Webcast – [Seats Still Available for On-site Registrations](#)

The Center for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is pleased to announce that registration is open for the CMS 2013 Medicare Advantage & Prescription Drug Plan Fall Conference (Webcast). Join CMS experts for an all-day event designed for staff-level operations, mid-level management, and senior executives as CMS provides important new information for Sponsoring Organizations.

While this is a primarily a webcast, there are limited number of seats to attend in person. **We are accepting on a [first come first served basis two \(2\) representatives from each Parent Organization to attend this year's event in Baltimore, Maryland. All travel and lodging will be made at the expense of the Parent Organization.](#) Representatives are encouraged to register by [12pm EDT, Monday, August 19th.](#)**

**Session topics include:**

- CDAG/OGAG: Updates and Reminders
- General Policy Update
- Marketing, Surveillance & Update
- Overutilization Monitoring System – Updates and Lessons Learned
- Proposed MOC Revisions/Applicable Manual Updates
- Status of Encounter Data Collection

**Register Now**

The *CMS 2013 Medicare Advantage & Prescription Drug Plan Fall Conference Webcast* will be held **Wednesday, September 4, 2013, from 9:30 AM - 4:45 PM EDT.**

- **Important Message:** *This is primarily a webcast. Should on-site registration reach its capacity, please note that this event will also be administered virtually via a simultaneous webcast. A separate registration link to register for the webcast was on August 2<sup>nd</sup>. However, should you need to obtain this link we can provide this information to you upon request.*

**\*\*PLEASE NOTE: CMS Does Not Charge a Conference Fee\*\***

If you want to attend in person, participants must **use the link below** to register for this event. Participants who register in advance will receive a confirmation email with other event details. Registration is limited, so please register early to guarantee your spot.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR CMS ADOBE CONNECT USERS** – If you are registered CMS Adobe Connect Pro user and/or if you've taken and/or attended one of our webinar trainings using CMS Adobe Connect Pro and you created a password, you'll need to use that password along with your CMS Login ID and/or email address to register for this event.

However, if you have forgotten your CMS Adobe Connect password, you will be able to reset it by clicking on the "Forgot your password" link.

Registration passwords must conform to the following rules:

- Passwords must contain a number.
- Passwords must contain a capital letter.
- Passwords must be between 8 and 32 characters long.

**Register – CMS 2013 MA & PDP Fall Conference and Webcast - On-Site**

If this is your first time registering for this event, you will be prompted to enter a password.

Please use the following event password: **Fall2013. This password is case sensitive.**

**Changes/Cancellations**

If your organization's representative registered to attend this year's event in person and their plans to ATTEND should change, we would appreciate being informed of these changes as quickly as possible so that their seat may be given to another participant. Please email us at [CTEO@cms.hhs.gov](mailto:CTEO@cms.hhs.gov).

**Additional Conference Information**

If you have additional questions regarding the Fall conference, please contact CMS via email at [CTEO@cms.hhs.gov](mailto:CTEO@cms.hhs.gov).

**For Additional Information**

To learn more about this event, past events, and future events, please visit the [http://www.cms.gov/Outreach-and-Education/Training/CTEO/Compliance\\_Training\\_Education\\_and\\_Outreach.html](http://www.cms.gov/Outreach-and-Education/Training/CTEO/Compliance_Training_Education_and_Outreach.html)