

## HPMS E-Mail

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**Subject:** Online Enrollment Center (OEC) Application Programming Interface Changes

CMS has published updated OEC API documentation on HPMS. Plans can access the “HPMS Plan API Documentation” in both the API Key Management module and in the Documentation section of the HPMS landing page (<https://hpms.cms.gov>).

In the documentation, there are three sections related to the OEC API:

1. **Online Enrollment Center (sunsetting on 1/1/2023)** - This is the current OEC API guidance and can be used to retrieve both CY 2022 and 2023 enrollment requests received through 12/31/2022.
2. **Online Enrollment Center (for enrollment requests received between 10/1/2022 and 12/31/2022)** - This version uses the new OEC Plan API URL and can be used to retrieve both CY 2022 and 2023 enrollment requests. It does not support the new race and ethnicity fields. Plans have the option to use this OEC API guidance following the deployment of the CY 2023 OEC Management Module on 9/30/2022. Alternatively, plans can bypass this option and migrate directly to the third option for enrollment requests received on or after 1/1/2023.
3. **Online Enrollment Center (for enrollment requests received on or after 1/1/2023)** - This API guidance must be used beginning on 1/1/2023. This version uses the new OEC Plan API URL. It also supports the new race and ethnicity fields.

Questions regarding the updated API documentation should be directed to [hpmstechsupport@softrams.com](mailto:hpmstechsupport@softrams.com).