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To: All Medicare Advantage HMOs, Preferred Provider Organizations, 1876 Cost contractors, and Demonstrations

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Subject: REVISED Patient-level Data information available in HPMS HEDIS Module

The HEDIS measure *Special Needs Plans Enrollee Type* (SNP Enrollee Type) was inadvertently omitted from the 2008 Patient-Level Data File Specification (2007 Measurement Year) document. However, the SNP Enrollee Type must be reported for measurement year 2007.

Like last year, the SNP Enrollee Type should be reported in column 16 of the Patient-Level Data file detail record.

As a result of this change, the following documents have been revised to include this measurement:

- ***2008 Patient-Level Data File Specification (2007 Measurement Year)***—Version 1.1 April 3, 2008
- ***2008 Patient-Level Data Submission Instructions (2007 Measurement Year)*** -- Version 1.4 April 3, 2008
- ***2007 to 2008 Patient-Level Data File Specification Cross-Walk*** --- Version 1.2 April 2, 2008

These revised documents have been posted to HPMS and are available for download. Please disregard all prior versions of these documents.