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**TO:** Rhode Island Medicare-Medicaid Plan  
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**SUBJECT:** CMS Update on CY 2016 Medicare Quality Withhold Repayment for Rhode Island Medicare-Medicaid Plan

This memorandum provides the Medicare-Medicaid Plan (MMP) operating in the Rhode Island demonstration under the Medicare-Medicaid Financial Alignment Initiative with an update regarding repayment of the Medicare portion of the CY 2016 quality withhold.

The Medicare portion of the CY 2016 quality withhold will be repaid as part of the September 2018 capitation payment cycle. The payment will appear on the Plan Payment Report (PPR) on the "Special Adjustment" page with Adjustment Type "QWP."

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