

~ Updates on HPMS Memos ~

CMS Memo Title & Release Date	New Health Plan Management System Home Page – Dated 10/22/2021
Summary	CMS announces as of Friday, November 19, 2021 , the new homepage will launch for the Health Plan Management System (HPMS). The home page design has been updated to address end user feedback received as a result of our July 9, 2021 HPMS memorandum entitled “Invitation to Provide Feedback on the Health Plan Management System (HPMS) Home Page.”
Action	Applicable to PACE. Refer to memo for screenshots of changes.
CMS Memo Title & Release Date	2022 Resource and Cost-Sharing Limits for Low-Income Subsidy (LIS) – Dated 10/25/2021
Summary	The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services is releasing guidance on the updated resource limits for individuals who apply and qualify for the low-income subsidy (LIS).
Action	Informational to PACE.
CMS Memo Title & Release Date	2022 Medicare CAHPS® Survey – Dated 10/27/2021
Summary	CMS would like to remind all Medicare Advantage Organizations, 1876 Cost Contracts, Medicare-Medicaid Plans, and Part D sponsors about the CAHPS Survey, the procedures for requesting additional sample, and the rules regarding the number of supplemental items. This memo also includes information on administering the survey in other languages as well as the timeline and process for receipt of official CMS survey results.
Action	Refer to memo for details.
CMS Email Title & Release Date	2018 Benefit Year Closeout for the Coverage Gap Discount Program Invoicing Cycle – Dated 10/28/2021
Summary	This is a reminder of the upcoming closeout of the benefit year 2018 Coverage Gap Discount Program invoicing cycle which ends on January 31, 2022 . PDE records reporting gap discount amounts for benefit year 2018 that require submission, adjustment, or deletion for any reason must be submitted by this date to be included in the 2018 benefit year’s final CGDP invoice.
Action	Informational to PACE. Refer to the memo for complete details.

<p>CMS Email Title & Release Date</p>	<p>Medicare Part D Medication Therapy Management Program – Standardized Format – Dated 10/29/2021</p>
<p>Summary</p>	<p>CMS announces the Office of Management and Budget’s (OMB) approval of the Part D Medication Therapy Management (MTM) Program Standardized Format with changes effective January 1, 2022 through February 29, 2024. CMS has posted the MTM Standardized Format and technical instructions at the following link: https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Prescription-Drug-Coverage/PrescriptionDrugCovContra/MTM.</p>
<p>Action</p>	<p>Applicable to PACE. Refer to link for further detail and support.</p>
<p>CMS Memo Title & Release Date</p>	<p>Updates to Payment Year (PY) 2022 Model Output Reports – Dated 10/29/2021</p>
<p>Summary</p>	<p>This memo provides information regarding changes to the MORs that will be generated for the PY 2022 initial, midyear, and final reconciliation payments. CMS distributes two Model Output Data Files – one for Part C and one for Part D. Within the data files, there are Model Output Reports (MORs) with unique record types that correspond to each model being run for payment. We distribute these MORs to plans to identify the Hierarchical Condition Codes (HCCs) used to calculate risk scores for each of their enrolled beneficiaries.</p>
<p>Action</p>	<p>Applicable to PACE, although CMS will continue using the same record types for encounter data as was used in CY2021 for PACE plans.</p>
<p>CMS Memo Title & Release Date</p>	<p>Medicare Advantage/Prescription Drug System (MARx) November 2021 Payment – INFORMATION – Dated 10/29/2021</p>
<p>Summary</p>	<p>CMS released information about the August payment scheduled for November 1st, 2021 and may require plan action on the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medicaid Statuses on the August Monthly Membership Report (MMR) • 2020 Final Risk Adjustment Reconciliation • Sequestration • Changes to MARx Plan Transaction Processing • End of Year 2021 Part C Premium Processing (Transaction Code 78)
<p>Action</p>	<p>Applicable to PACE. Refer to the memo for items that are applicable to your plan.</p>

<p>CMS Memo Title & Release Date</p>	<p>CY 2022 Core Reporting Requirements for Medicare-Medicaid Plans – Dated 11/01/2021</p>
<p>Summary</p>	<p>CMS released the CY 2022 Medicare-Medicaid Capitated Financial Alignment Model Core Reporting Requirements. Refer to the memo for a summary of substantive changes that were made as compared to the CY 2022 reporting requirements released.</p>
<p>Action</p>	<p>Informational to PACE as PACE is not a Medicare-Medicaid Capitated Financial Alignment Model and is waived of the Part D reporting requirements.</p>
<p>CMS Memo Title & Release Date</p>	<p>Attestation of Prescription Drug Event (PDE) Data and Direct and Indirect Remuneration (DIR) Data related to the 2016 Reopening – Dated 11/01/2021</p>
<p>Summary</p>	<p>The purpose of this memo is to remind Part D sponsors to sign the <i>Attestation of Data Relating to CMS Payment to a Medicare Part D Sponsor</i>. The attestation will be available through the Health Plan Management System on November 1, 2021. Part D sponsors must electronically sign the attestation in HPMS by noon ET, November 8, 2021.</p>
<p>Action</p>	<p>Applicable to PACE. Refer to memo for complete details.</p>
<p>CMS Memo Title & Release Date</p>	<p>Announcement of June 26, 2022 Software Release - Disenrollment for Individuals Who Are Not Lawfully Present in the United States – Dated 11/02/2021</p>
<p>Summary</p>	<p>The purpose of this memorandum is to provide information about enrollment and disenrollment for individuals who are not lawfully present in the United States that will be effective June 26th, 2022.</p>
<p>Action</p>	<p>Refer to memo to determine if this may be applicable to your plan’s enrollees.</p>
<p>CMS Memo Title & Release Date</p>	<p>Announcement of June 26, 2022 Software Release - Disenrollment for Individuals Who Are Incarcerated in the United States – Dated 11/02/2021</p>
<p>Summary</p>	<p>The purpose of this memorandum is to provide information about enrollment and disenrollment for individuals who are incarcerated in the United States that will be effective June 26th, 2022.</p>

Action	Refer to memo to determine if this may be applicable to your plan’s enrollees.
CMS Memo Title & Release Date	Fall Actuarial User Group Call – Dated 11/04/2021
Summary	CMS will host an actuarial user group call on Thursday, November 18 th from 11-12 PM ET to discuss the Contract Year 2022 bidding and respond to questions.
Action	Informational to PACE. Refer to the memo for complete details on how to join.
CMS Memo Title & Release Date	Medicare Part C Reporting Requirements for 2021 Contract Year – Dated 11/04/2021
Summary	CMS announced OMB approval of the 2021 Part C Reporting Requirements. A link to the current documents is provided.
Action	Informational to PACE as PACE is excluded from Part C reporting requirements.

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