



Workers' Compensation Medicare Set-Aside (WCMSA) Attestation Enhancements Questions and Answers for beneficiaries and Self-Administrators

Below are answers to questions asked at the WCMSA Electronic Attestation Enhancements webinars held on October 30, 2019 for beneficiaries and Self-Administrators. The presentation from the webinar can be found on CMS.gov here – <https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Coordination-of-Benefits-and-Recovery/Workers-Compensation-Medicare-Set-Aside-Arrangements/Whats-New/Whats-New>.

Question 1: How do I submit a yearly attestation online?

Answer 1: Medicare beneficiaries can access the Workers' Compensation Medicare Set Aside Portal (WCMSAP) from <https://MyMedicare.gov> via the Medicare Set Aside (MSA) tab. Self-Account and Representative users of the WCMSAP can upload documentation directly if they are the identified administrator of the case. The link to the WCMSAP is <https://www.cob.cms.hhs.gov/WCMSA/login>. Details regarding submission of an attestation electronically is available in the WCMSAP User Manual, available under the Reference Materials link on the WCMSAP Sign In page.

Question 2: Will beneficiaries be required to submit yearly attestations online from now on?

Answer 2: No. While submission of an annual attestation electronically is more efficient, attestations can still be submitted via the mail. Submitting the attestation electronically will ensure Medicare has the most current state of an MSA at the earliest opportunity.

Question 3: Can an attestation be submitted online as soon as all the funds have been exhausted for the year or it has been exhausted completely?

Answer 3: Yes, once all the funds have been depleted the attestation should be submitted to ensure Medicare pays for medical claims appropriately.

Question 4: How are individual beneficiaries notified of their reporting requirements after settlement?

Answer 4: Attestation instructions are sent to the beneficiary with the WCMSA approval letter. Beneficiaries can also refer to the Self-Administration Toolkit at the below link for additional instructions:

https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Coordination-of-Benefits-and-Recovery/Workers-Compensation-Medicare-Set-Aside-Arrangements/Downloads/Self-Administration-Toolkit-for-WCMSAs-Version-1_3.pdf