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Subject: Computer-Based Training Series on Risk Adjustment: 2025 Calendar Year Updates

CMS is pleased to announce the next module of its computer-based training series on risk adjustment, which guides Medicare Advantage organizations, Part D Plan Sponsors, Program of All-Inclusive Care for The Elderly (PACE) Organizations and Demonstration Plans through the process of risk adjustment.

First released in 2021, the series began with a general overview (Module 1), followed by a deep dive into the risk score calculation process (Module 2), and a walkthrough of the detailed steps to calculate risk scores using each model type (Module 3). In Modules 4 and 5, the series provides sample calculations and covers an annual overview of the updates made to risk adjustment in calendar years 2023 and 2024, respectively.

The new module (Module 6) provides an overview of the updates for calendar year 2025 from the 2025 Rate Announcement.

View the full series on the CMS CSSC Operations Training page: [CSSC Operations - Risk Adjustment Methodology](#)