

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services  
Special Open Door Forum:  
The IMPACT Act and Standardized Patient Assessment Data Elements  
July 25, 2018  
2:00-3:00 pm Eastern Time  
Conference Call Only

This Special Open Door Forum (SODF) will provide information and solicit feedback pertaining to the Standardized Patient Assessment Data Elements (SPADE) work under the Improving Medicare Post-Acute Care Transformation Act of 2014 (commonly referred to as the [IMPACT Act](#)). This SODF will provide an update on the recent SPADE activities including progress on national field test data collection, early feedback from providers participating in the beta data collection, and upcoming stakeholder engagement activities that will help stakeholders remain engaged and informed during the upcoming year.

We invite questions, comments, and ideas from providers, patients, consumers, researchers, and advocates in advance or during the Forum.

Please submit questions, comments, and ideas to: [PACQualityInitiative@cms.hhs.gov](mailto:PACQualityInitiative@cms.hhs.gov).

The presentation is posted on the [IMPACT Act Downloads and Videos](#) webpage.

We look forward to your participation.

Special Open Door Participation Instructions:  
Participant Dial-In Number: 1-800-837-1935  
Conference ID #: 1298728

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