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CMS-3355-N	Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments of 1988 (CLIA) Proficiency Testing Regulations Related to Analytes and Acceptable Performance; Comment Period Extension	4/08/2019	All Providers
CMS-3371-FN	Approval of Application by the Accreditation Commission for Health Care, Inc. for CMS-approval of its End Stage Renal Disease Facilities Accreditation Program	4/10/2019	All Providers
CMS-4185-F	Medicare and Medicaid Programs; Policy and Technical Changes to the Medicare Advantage, Medicare Prescription Drug Benefit, Programs of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE), Medicaid Fee-For-Service, and Medicaid Managed Care Programs for Years 2020 and 2021	4/16/2019	All Providers
CMS-9115-N	Medicare and Medicaid Programs; Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act; Interoperability and Patient Access for Medicare Advantage Organization and Medicaid Managed Care Plans, State Medicaid Agencies, CHIP Agencies and CHIP Managed Care Entities, Issuers of Qualified Health Plans in the Federally-facilitated Exchanges and Health Care Providers; Supplement and Extension of Comment Period	4/23/2019	All Providers
CMS-9116-N	Medicare and Medicaid Programs; Quarterly Listing of Program Issuances--January Through March 2019	5/02/2019	All Providers
CMS-4185-N3	Medicare and Medicaid Programs; Risk Adjustment Data Validation	4/29/2019	All Providers
CMS-3368-P	Medicare Program; Accrediting Organizations--Changes to Change of Ownership	4/29/2019	All Providers
CMS-4174-F	Medicare Program; Changes to the Medicare Claims and Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage Determination Appeals Procedures	5/07/2019	All Providers
CMS-4187-F	Medicare and Medicaid Programs; Regulation To Require Drug Pricing Transparency	5/10/2019	All Providers

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<u>CMS-4188-FN</u>	Approval of Renewal of Deeming Authority of the Utilization Review Accreditation Commission (URAC) for Health Maintenance Organizations and Preferred Provider Organizations	5/21/2019	All Providers
<u>CMS-4180-F</u>	Modernizing Part D and Medicare Advantage to Lower Drug Prices and Reduce Out of Pocket Expenses	5/23/2019	All Providers
<u>CMS-4168-F</u>	Medicare and Medicaid Programs; Programs of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) Update	6/03/2019	All Providers
<u>CMS-4185-CN</u>	Policy and Technical Changes to the Medicare Advantage, Medicare Prescription Drug Benefit, Programs of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE), Medicaid Fee-For-Service, and Medicaid Managed Care Programs for Years 2020 and 2021; Correction	6/07/2019	All Providers
<u>CMS-6082-CN</u>	Request for Information; Reducing Administrative Burden To Put Patients Over Paperwork	6/11/2019	All Providers
<u>CMS-4189-P</u>	Medicare Program; Secure Electronic Prior Authorization for Medicare Part D	6/19/2019	All Providers
<u>CMS-9918-F</u>	Health Reimbursement Arrangements and Other Account-Based Group Health Plans	6/20/2019	All Providers
<u>CMS-4185-N4</u>	Medicare and Medicaid Programs; Risk Adjustment Data Validation	6/28/2019	All Providers
<u>CMS-1728-N</u>	Medicare Program; Rechartering and Appointment of New Members to the Medicare Advisory Panel on Clinical Diagnostic Laboratory Tests	6/28/2019	CDL
<u>CMS-6078-N2</u>	Prior Authorization Process for Certain Durable Medical Equipment, Prosthetics, Orthotics, and Supplies (DMEPOS) Items; Update to the Master List of Items Frequently Subject to Unnecessary Utilization	4/22/2019	DMEPOS
<u>CMS-1714-P</u>	FY 2020 Hospice Wage Index and Payment Rate Update and Hospice Quality Reporting Requirements	4/25/2019	Hospice

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CMS-3379-PN	Medicare and Medicaid Programs: Application by Accreditation Commission for Health Care for Continued CMS-Approval of Its Hospice Accreditation Program	6/28/2019	Hospice
CMS-3369-FN	Medicare and Medicaid Programs: Application From the American Association for Accreditation of Ambulatory Surgery Facilities, Inc. (AAAASF) for Its Outpatient Physical Therapy and Speech Language Pathology Services Accreditation Program	4/01/2019	Hospitals
CMS-1712-P	Medicare Program; FY 2020 Inpatient Psychiatric Facilities Prospective Payment System and Quality Reporting Updates for Fiscal Year Beginning October 1, 2019 (FY 2020)	4/23/2019	Hospitals
CMS-1710-P	Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility Prospective Payment System for Federal Fiscal Year 2020 and Updates to the IRF Quality Reporting Program	4/24/2019	Hospitals
CMS-1716-P	Medicare Program; Hospital Inpatient Prospective Payment Systems for Acute Care Hospitals and the Long-Term Care Hospital Prospective Payment System and Proposed Policy Changes and Fiscal Year 2020 Rates; Proposed Quality Reporting Requirements for Specific Providers; Medicare and Medicaid Promoting Interoperability Programs Proposed Requirements for Eligible Hospitals and Critical Access Hospitals	5/04/2019	Hospitals
CMS-1710-CN	Medicare Program; Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) Prospective Payment System for Federal Fiscal Year 2020 and Updates to the IRF Quality Reporting Program; Correction	5/29/2019	Hospitals
CMS-1708-N	Medicare Program; Explanation of Federal Fiscal Year (FY) 2004, 2005, and 2006 Outlier Fixed-Loss Thresholds as Required by Court Rulings	6/06/2019	Hospitals

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CMS-3295-RCN	Medicare and Medicaid Programs; Hospital and Critical Access Hospital (CAH) Changes To Promote Innovation, Flexibility, and Improvement in Patient Care; Extension of Timeline for Publication of the Final Rule	6/11/2019	Hospitals
CMS-1716-CN	Hospital Inpatient Prospective Payment System for Acute Care Hospitals and the Long-Term Care Hospital Prospective Payment System and Fiscal Year 2020 Rates; Correction	6/18/2019	Hospitals
CMS-2407-PN	Basic Health Program; Federal Funding Methodology for Program Years 2019 and 2020	4/02/2019	Medicaid
CMS-2345-F2 & CMS-2345-IFC2	Medicaid Program; Covered Outpatient Drug; Line Extension Definition; and Change to the Rebate Calculation for Line Extension Drugs	4/01/2019	Medicaid
CMS-2413-F	Medicaid Program; Reassignment of Medicaid Provider Claims	5/06/2019	Medicaid
CMS-1719-N	Medicare Program; Public Meeting on June 24, 2019 Regarding New and Reconsidered Clinical Diagnostic Laboratory Test Codes for the Clinical Laboratory Fee Schedule for Calendar Year 2020	4/01/2019	Meeting Notices
CMS-1725-N	Medicare Program; Meeting Announcement for the Medicare Advisory Panel on Clinical Diagnostic Laboratory Tests	4/01/2019	Meeting Notices
CMS-1726-N	Announcement of the Advisory Panel on Hospital Outpatient Payment (HOP Panel) Meeting in August 2019 and New Members	6/05/2019	Meeting Notices
CMS-7054-N	Announcement of the Advisory Panel on Outreach and Education (APOE) July 16, 2019 Meeting	6/27/2019	Meeting Notices
CMS-3365-N	Secretarial Review and Publication of the National Quality Forum 2018 Activities Report to Congress and the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services	6/26/2019	Other

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CMS-1718-P	Medicare Program; Prospective Payment System and Consolidated Billing for Skilled Nursing Facilities; Updates to the Quality Reporting Program and Value-Based Purchasing Program for Federal Fiscal Year 2020	4/25/2019	SNF