

HPMS E-Mail

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Subject: Update to the Technical Specifications for Part C Medicare Advantage and 1876 Cost Plan Reporting

CMS is pleased to release an update to the Part C Reporting Requirements Technical Specifications. This update only provides clarifying information and in no way changes the actual reporting requirements as they were approved under the OMB PRA process. This document will be posted on the external CMS website at the following link: http://www.cms.hhs.gov/HealthPlansGenInfo/16_ReportingRequirements.asp#TopOfPage and on the HPMS Plan Reporting site.

Comments or questions on all Part C Reporting Requirements should continue to be sent via email to partcplanreporting@cms.hhs.gov and include the title of the specific element to which your question applies in the subject line. Please be aware that due to the volume of questions this mailbox receives, individual responses to questions may not always be possible. Questioners should look to the next release of the Technical Specifications to provide the requested clarifying information.