

HPMS E-Mail**Date:** July 15, 2013**Subject:** Update to "Initial Pharmacy Risk Assessment –Comments Requested" Memo**Message:**

On June 21st, CMS released a memo entitled, “Initial Pharmacy Risk Assessment –Comments Requested.” In that memo, we requested general feedback, suggestions, and comments regarding the methodology used in the analysis and suggestions for ways that Part D sponsors could use the information to combat fraud, waste and abuse. Please email your feedback and comments to CPIMedicarePartD_data@cms.hhs.gov by Friday, August 2, 2013. CMS will review your feedback and comments as we prepare subsequent releases of data on pharmacies with a high risk assessment.