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To: Minnesota Senior Health Options (MSHO) Medicare Advantage Dual Eligible Special Needs Plans (D-SNPs) required to resubmit MOC for CY 2023

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Subject: CY 2023 Model of Care Requirements for MSHO D-SNPs

The purpose of this memorandum is to release the CY 2023 integrated CMS and state Model of Care (MOC) requirements to Minnesota Senior Health Options (MSHO) D-SNPs that are required to resubmit their MOCs for CY 2023. There have been some updates to the Minnesota-specific requirements for CY 2023. All state-specific requirements are designated in red font.

MSHO D-SNPs must submit their MOCs and completed matrix upload documents via HPMS no later than **February 16, 2022, at 8 pm EST**. MSHO D-SNPs must also provide a courtesy copy of the MOC and all supporting documentation to the State of Minnesota at sue.kvendru@state.mn.us by **February 16, 2022**. Documents provided to the state must be delivered as .zip files and should be exact copies of those materials submitted via HPMS.

The results of the state review will be provided at the same time as the National Committee for Quality Assurance results are made available in HPMS. Resubmissions to meet the CMS MOC requirements will be permitted consistent with CMS policy for SNP MOC approvals. Instructions for resubmitting to meet state-specific requirements will be included in the state comments.

Any questions regarding the contents of this memorandum should be directed to both the Medicare-Medicaid Coordination Office at MMCOCapsModel@cms.hhs.gov and to the State of Minnesota at sue.kvendru@state.mn.us.