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DATE: June 16, 2022

TO: All Part D Plan Sponsors, including PACE Organizations

FROM: Jennifer R. Shapiro, Director, Medicare Plan Payment Group

SUBJECT: Part D Summary 2021 DIR Report and Detailed 2021 DIR Report – Submission Reminder

This memorandum serves as a reminder that the deadline for submitting the Summary 2021 DIR Report and Detailed 2021 DIR Report is **11:59 PM Pacific Time (PT) on Thursday, June 30, 2022**. It is highly recommended that if you have not submitted the Summary 2021 DIR Report and Detailed 2021 DIR Report, you should do so immediately to ensure successful submission by the deadline. Please refer to the March 30, 2022 Health Plan Management System (HPMS) memorandum titled “Final Medicare Part D DIR Reporting Guidance for 2021” for the data submission instructions.

Part D sponsors must prepare and submit the Summary 2021 DIR Report to CMS even if they have no DIR to report for the contract year. Sponsors must also prepare and submit the Detailed 2021 DIR Report, with the exception of PACE organizations that report “\$0” in all DIR categories in the Summary 2021 DIR Report. Failure to successfully submit the DIR data by the deadline may result in compliance actions.

For technical assistance, sponsors can contact the HPMS Help Desk at either 1-800-220-2028 or hpms@cms.hhs.gov. For other questions regarding the 2021 submission of Summary and Detailed DIR data, sponsors can email the Payment Support Contractor at PartDPaymentSupport@acumenllc.com.

Thank you.