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To: Medicare Advantage (MA) Organizations and 2006 Risk Adjustment Submission Data Basic Training Participants

Re: Revisions to 2006 Risk Adjustment Submission Data Basic Training Materials

Periodic revisions to the 2006 Risk Adjustment Submission Data Basic Training Participant Guide and accompanying presentation slides will be based on updated policies, technical information or other enhancements, as necessary. CMS will provide these revisions to you periodically via the csscoperations.com website. Registered users of the csscoperations.com website will be notified via email when revisions are posted.

A revision is considered an update to a page in the 2006 Risk Adjustment Submission Data Basic Training Participant Guide or to the accompanying presentation slides. These revisions represent a complete reissue of a page or slide; all changed information is incorporated.

When there are revisions, a table entitled, "Revisions to 2006 Risk Adjustment Submission Data Basic Training Materials" is included and provides a detailed listing of all changes made to the training materials. This table will have the revision version and effective date identified. When revisions are issued, only the revised pages or slides are changed. Revised pages and slides will be numbered with the appropriate revision version identified, e.g., Page 2-7 A. It is not necessary to reprint the entire module or section of slides, rather you need only print the changed page/slide from the PDF file.

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