

## **Preliminary analysis of Medicare Advantage encounter data**

**ISSUE:** CMS requires Medicare Advantage (MA) organizations to submit encounter data for risk adjustment and other purposes. Encounter data include diagnosis and treatment information for all services and items provided to a plan enrollee.

**KEY POINTS:** We will present our initial analysis of MA encounter data for Part B services for 2012.

**ACTION:** Commissioners should provide direction and feedback on this work.

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