Appeal Information Cover Sheet



PLEASE INCLUDE THIS COMPLETED FORM WITH YOUR APPEAL. Improperly submitted requests may be dismissed

Provider/Supplier Name: Provider/Supplier Mailing Address:

National Provider Identifier (NPI):

Medicare ID Number (PTAN):

Provider/Supplier Email Address:

Provider/Supplier Fax Number:

Medicare Administrative Contractor: National Government Services, Inc.

This appeal submission is based on a(n): \Box Denial \Box Revocation \Box Effective Date \Box Opt-Out

Are you submitting both a Corrective Action Plan (CAP), Reconsideration Request, or both? CHOOSE <u>ALL</u> THAT APPLY:

Corrective Action Plan (CAP) – The CAP is an opportunity for the provider/supplier to correct the deficiencies (if possible) that resulted in the denial or revocation. A CAP may only be submitted for denials under 42 C.F.R. § 424.530(a)(1) or revocations under 42 C.F.R. § 424.535(a)(1).

Your CAP submission must:

- 1. Contain verifiable evidence that the provider/supplier is in compliance with Medicare requirements;
- 2. Be submitted within 35 days from the date of the denial or revocation notice;
- 3. Be submitted in the form of a letter that is properly signed and dated.

A decision will be issued within 60 days of receipt of the CAP.

The time to submit a reconsideration request runs concurrently with the time to submit a CAP. For example, if a CAP is submitted 20 days after the initial determination, there are 45 days remaining to submit a reconsideration request. These 45 days continue to elapse while the CAP is under consideration. <u>Please note that failure to timely request a reconsideration is deemed a waiver of all rights to further administrative review.</u>

 \Box Reconsideration Request – A reconsideration request is an opportunity for a provider/supplier to furnish evidence that demonstrates that there was an error made at the time of the initial determination affecting participation in the Medicare Program.

Your reconsideration request must:

- 1. State the issues, or the findings of fact with which you disagree, and the reasons for disagreement.
- 2. Be submitted within 65 days from the date of the initial determination;
- 3. Be submitted in the form of a letter that is properly signed and dated.

A decision will be issued within 90 days of receipt of the reconsideration request.

Your appeal submission must be <u>PROPERLY SIGNED</u> by the individual practitioner, an authorized or delegated official, or a legal representative.

- If the legal representative is an attorney, the appeal must also contain a statement that the attorney has the authority to act on behalf of the provider/supplier.
- If the legal representative is not an attorney, the appeal must contain written notice of the appointment of the nonattorney as legal representative signed by the individual practitioner or an authorized/delegated official.

You may submit your appeal by mail or email. Please send this completed form, the CAP and/or reconsideration request letter (signed and dated by the valid submitter), a copy of the initial determination letter, and all supporting documentation applicable to the appeal to the following address:

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services Provider Enrollment & Oversight Group ATTN: Division of Provider Enrollment Appeals 7500 Security Blvd. Mailstop: AR-19-51 Baltimore, MD 21244-1850

Or emailed to:

ProviderEnrollmentAppeals@cms.hhs.gov