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## **CENTER FOR MEDICARE**

**DATE:** July 9, 2025

**TO:** All Medicare Advantage Organizations, Prescription Drug Plan Sponsors, and

Medicare-Medicaid Plans (excluding PACE contracts, cost contracts, MSA

contracts, and employer-only plans)

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**SUBJECT:** 2025 Call Center Monitoring Performance Metrics for Accuracy and Accessibility

Study

The 2025 Performance Metrics for the Accuracy and Accessibility Study are now available for review.

CMS monitored Part C, Part D, and Medicare-Medicaid Plans' (MMPs') prospective enrollee beneficiary call center phone lines to determine (1) the availability of interpreters for individuals, (2) TTY functionality, and (3) the accuracy of plan information provided by Customer Service Representatives (CSRs) in all languages. This study was conducted from February 10, 2025 through May 30, 2025, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., in the plans' service area. Two data sets with detailed interpreter availability, TTY functionality, and accuracy rate data for your contract(s) are available in the Health Plan Management System (HPMS):

- The call center accuracy and accessibility performance metrics data, and
- The call-level raw data.

## **Instructions for Accessing Performance Metrics in HPMS**

The performance metrics data provides detailed results (e.g., number of calls by language, number of questions answered correctly, number of successful TTY and interpreter availability calls, C33 and D01 star ratings outcomes, etc.) and is available in the HPMS at the following paths:

For Part C results, from the HPMS home page (<a href="https://hpms.cms.gov">https://hpms.cms.gov</a>): Quality and Performance > Performance Metrics > Reports > Call Center Monitoring > Part C Prospective Beneficiary Customer Service > [choose Report Period (date range) for current study] > [enter the contract ID number]. Choose either "Create Report" or "Download" and then "Download to Excel."

2. For Part D results, from the HPMS home page (<a href="https://hpms.cms.gov">https://hpms.cms.gov</a>): Quality and Performance > Performance Metrics > Reports > Call Center Monitoring > Part D Prospective Beneficiary Customer Service > [choose Report Period (date range) for current study] > [enter the contract ID number]. Choose either "Create Report" or "Download" and then "Download to Excel" or select the document you wish to download.

## **Instructions for Accessing Call-level Raw Data in HPMS**

CMS provides dropdown options for the Accuracy and Accessibility Study technical notes, data dictionary for raw data, and the raw data itself. The raw data is available as an Excel download for a single contract, or for all contracts to which you have access under your parent organization identification code.

CMS advised Medicare Part C and Part D sponsors and MMPs of our call center monitoring efforts in a December 5, 2024, HPMS memorandum entitled "2025 Part C and Part D Call Center Monitoring - Timeliness and Accuracy & Accessibility Studies." **CMS encourages compliance officers to reference this memorandum for the tips for success or improvement on performance offered within.** 

Plans/sponsors may download and review their raw call data directly from HPMS to validate the results. We encourage plans/sponsors to contact CMS via <u>CallCenterMonitoring@cms.hhs.gov</u> if they believe an error occurred by September 16, 2025.

For more information, please contact the call center monitoring mailbox at CallCenterMonitoring@cms.hhs.gov by September 16, 2025.