

November 27, 2018

Subject: Discontinuation of Approval Process for SNP Health Risk Assessment Tool

Message:

Effective immediately, special needs plans (SNPs) will no longer be required to submit the Health Risk Assessment Tool (HRAT) to CMS for approval. SNPs are expected to document any changes and make the current HRAT available upon request.

This change will be incorporated into the next update to Chapter 5 of the Medicare Managed Care Manual. SNPs must continue to adhere to CMS policies regarding health risk assessment requirements. Please direct any questions to the Medicare Part C Policy Mailbox located at: <https://dpap.lmi.org>.