



2020 PRIORITIES

1. Medicare Post-Acute Care Reforms
 - a. Highlight Restrictions in Access to Rehabilitation Therapy Services in All Settings of Care
 - b. Call for Timely Release of Data on Rehabilitation Access and Utilization
 - c. Flexibility with the Three Hour Rule for IRFs (formerly H.R. 626)
 - d. Unified Post-Acute Payment Reform
 - e. IMPACT Act Implementation and IMPACT Act 2.0
 - f. Oppose Prior Authorization to Ensure Continued Timely Access to Care
 - g. Refining Documentation of IRF Medical Necessity
2. Protect Integrity of Essential Health Benefits (EHB) Package
 - a. Strengthening EHB and Insurance Protections through House ACA Legislation
 - b. Monitor HHS for Future Regulation on Rehabilitation Services and Devices
 - c. Respond to MA Call Letter and Letter to Issuers of ACA Plans
3. Access to Rehabilitation in Managed Care Including Medicare Advantage Plans
 - a. Address Overuse and Misuse of Prior Authorization and Proprietary Guidelines
 - b. Ensure Network Adequacy Requirements Are Met
 - c. Promote Use of and Access to Tele-Rehabilitation Services
4. Preserve Access to Rehabilitation in Medicaid Programs, Other Federal Programs, and Private Insurance (e.g., Elimination of Therapy Caps)
5. Consider Responses to Future Regulations
 - a. IRF PPS Proposed Rule
 - b. SNF PPS Proposed Rule
 - c. HHA PPS Proposed Rule

Monitor & Support

1. Jimmo Settlement and Implementation