

Revisions to Form CMS-2540-10 SKILLED NURSING FACILITY AND SKILLED NURSING FACILITY HEALTH CARE COMPLEX COST REPORT

The revisions to the Form CMS-2540-10:

1. New worksheets for SNF-based hospice worksheets to collect data to facilitate payment reform mandated by §3132 of ACA.

The overall burden to providers is estimated to remain unchanged as the proposed worksheets supersede worksheets currently in the cost report.

Changes

Issue #	Instructions Page #	Form Page #	Section	Old Package Form CMS-2540-10	New Package Form CMS-2540-10	Reason for the Change / Application of the instructions and accompanying worksheets	Burden Effect
1.	41-34	41-311	4107	S-5	S-5	Effective for cost reporting periods beginning on and after October 1, 2014, SNF-based FQHCs will no longer complete the Worksheet S-5.	N/A
2.	41-37 - 41-39.2	41-315	4110	S-8, Parts I and II	S-8, Parts I, II, III and IV	Effective for cost reporting periods beginning on or after October 1, 2015, SNF-based hospices will no longer complete section I & II instead will complete Parts III and IV.	N/A
3.	41-146 – 41-159	41-403 – 41-415	4164	K; K-1; K-2; K-3; K-4, Part I & II; K-5, Parts I, II, & III; and K-6	O; O-1; O-2; O-3; O-4; O-5; O-6, Parts I & II; O-7; and O-8	The forms and instructions are revised in accordance with the statutory requirement for hospice payment reform in §3132 of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (ACA). These forms replace the Worksheet K series forms.	N/A