

**Form CMS-222-17 RURAL HEALTH CLINIC COST REPORT APPLICATION  
FORMS AND INSTRUCTIONS**

The Form CMS-222-17, Rural Health Clinic (RHC) cost report replaces the RHC existing cost reporting Form CMS-222-92. The new forms are effective for cost reporting periods beginning on or after October 1, 2017. There were only minor changes to the cost report including:

1. Added Worksheets S-1, Parts I & II; S-2; S-3; and C-1.

The overall burden to RHCs is estimated at 55 hours compared to the existing burden associated with the CMS-222-92 of 50 hours.

<b>Issue #</b>	<b>Instructions Page #</b>	<b>Form Page #</b>	<b>Section</b>	<b>Old Package Form CMS-222-92</b>	<b>New Package Form CMS-222-17</b>	<b>Reason for the Change/ Application of the instructions and accompanying worksheets</b>	<b>Burden Effect</b>
1.	46-3 - 46-5		4600 - 4602			General Instructions	N/A
2.	46-6 - 46-7	46-303	4603 - 4603.3	Worksheet S, Parts I and II	Worksheet S, Parts I, II, and III	Modified Worksheet S to conform to other cost reports and reference this page as the certification and settlement summary page.	N/A
3.	46-7 - 46-9	46-304	4604 - 4604.1	Worksheet S, Part I	Worksheet S-1, Part I	This worksheet incorporates data previously included on the Worksheet S, Part I and added questions regarding malpractice insurance.	Increase
4.	46-10 - 46-11	46-305	4604.2	Worksheet S, Part III	Worksheet S-1, Part II	This worksheet incorporates some data previously included on the Worksheet S, Part III and added questions regarding malpractice insurance.	Increase
5.	46-12 - 46-17	46-306	4605		Worksheet S-2	This worksheet incorporates the Form CMS-339, Provider Reimbursement Questionnaire into the official cost report and eliminates the requirement to file a separate form.	Increase
6.	46-18 - 46-19	46-307	4606	Worksheet S, Part I	Worksheet S-3	This worksheet collects the number of medical and mental health visits by payer, and visits performed by interns and residents formerly collected on Worksheet S, Part I.	Increase
7.	46-20 - 46-24	46-308 & 46-309	4607	Worksheet A	Worksheet A	Added additional cost centers.	N/A

8.	46-25	46-310	4608	Worksheet A-1,	Worksheet A-6,	Renamed worksheet to be consistent with other cost report packages.	N/A
9.	46-25 - 46-26	46-311	4609	Worksheet A-2	Worksheet A-8	Renamed worksheet to be consistent with other cost report packages and added additional line descriptions.	N/A
10.	46-27 - 46-28	46-312	4610 - 4610.2	Worksheet A-2-1	Worksheet A-8-1	Renamed worksheet to be consistent with other cost report packages.	N/A
11.	46-28 - 46-30	46-313	4611 - 4611.2	Worksheet B, Parts I & II	Worksheet B, Parts I & II	Added a category for certified nurse midwife, subject to productivity standards.	N/A
12.	46-31 - 46-34	46-314	4612 - 4612.2	Worksheet C, Parts I & II	Worksheet C, Part I & II	Minimal changes made to this worksheet, added a few new lines to reflect demonstration payment adjustment amounts before and after sequestration and a line for protested amounts.	N/A
13.	46-35	46-315	4613		Worksheet C-1	This is a new interim payment worksheet.	Increase
14.	46-36	46-316	4614	Supplemental Worksheet B-1	Worksheet B-1	No change to this worksheet.	N/A