

**Supporting Statement for Updated
CMS HCPCS Level II Code Modification Application
(CMS-10224, OMB 0938-1042)**

Below are the changes beginning on page 5 of the application document, and the reasons for them. Please submit for 30-day comment period.

1) The CMS agency logo was changed (*not* the Center for Medicare logo) on the form. *Explanation – the application process is an agency one, and is not specific to any particular component of the agency.*

2) Application form title revised to read:

Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) Level II Code Modification Application

Attachment to Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) Level II Code Modification
Application Instructions

It previously read: **2020 Alpha-Numeric HCPCS Coding Recommendation Format**

3) Re-sequenced Question numbers 4, 5 and 6: *Reason – to group like questions.*

Move current Item # 4 (and all sub-questions) to below current Item #6, and renumber.

- Item 5 becomes Item 4;
- Item 6 becomes Item 5; and
- Item 4 becomes Item 6

4) Changes to Item #9: *Reason – Clarify responses for existing item 9*

- Add new item 9C: Specify what types of health care professionals may or may not prescribe or administer the product, in accordance with FDA label.

5) Changes to Item #12: *Reason – Eliminate information no longer required and clarify responses for existing item 12A.*

- Omit 2nd sentence in current item 12A
- Omit entire current item 12B
- Omit entire current item 12C
- Add new item 12B: Date of first sale (required information for drug and biological products only).

Note that we do not anticipate a changes in time or resources to complete the application based on these changes.