Existing Question	Proposed Question	Type of Change	Reason for Change	Burden Change
1. Some people who have Medicare also have other insurance to help pay for some of the costs of their health care. Do you have any other insurance that pays at least some of the cost of your health care?	1. Some people who have Medicare also have other insurance to help pay for some of the costs of their health care. Do you have any other insurance that pays at least some of the cost of your health care?	-	-	-
2. Please mark the box below for each type of health insurance that you have. 2a. Medigap, which may be identified on the front of your policy as "Medicare Supplemental Insurance" 2b. Employer, Union, or Retiree Health Coverage (insurance) 2c. Veteran's Benefits, also known as VA benefits 2d. Military Retiree Benefits, also known as Tricare 2e. Medicaid, also known as State medical assistance, which is for some persons with limited income and resources 2f. Any Prescription Drug Plan 2g. Other (Please write the name of the other health insurance you currently have on the line below.) 2h. I don't have health insurance other than Medicare.	2. Please mark the box below for each type of health insurance that you have. 2a. Medigap, which may be identified on the front of your policy as "Medicare Supplemental Insurance" 2b. Employer, Union, or Retiree Health Coverage (insurance) 2c. Veteran's Benefits, also known as VA benefits 2d. Military Retiree Benefits, also known as Tricare 2e. Medicaid, also known as State medical assistance, which is for some persons with limited income and resources 2f. Any Prescription Drug Plan 2g. Other (Please write the name of the other health insurance you currently have on the line below.) 2h. I don't have health insurance other than Medicare.			
3. In the last 6 months, did you have an illness, injury, or condition that <u>needed care right away</u> in a clinic, emergency room, or doctor's office?	3. In the last 6 months, did you have an illness, injury, or condition that <u>needed care right away</u> in a clinic, emergency room, or doctor's office?	-	-	-

away, how often did you get care as soon as you needed? 5. In the last 6 months, did you make any appointments for a check-up or routine care at a	4. In the last 6 months, when you needed care right away, how often did you get care as soon as you needed? 5. In the last 6 months, did you make any appointments for a check-up or routine care at a doctor's office or clinic?	-	-	-
6. In the last 6 months, how often did you get an	6. In the last 6 months, how often did you get an appointment for <u>a check-up or routine care</u> as soon as you needed?	-	-	-
went to an emergency room, how many times did you	7. In the last 6 months, <u>not</u> counting the times you went to an emergency room, how many times did you go to a doctor's office or clinic to get health care for yourself?	-	-	-
and exam room. In the last 6 months, how often did	8. Wait time includes time spent in the waiting room and exam room. In the last 6 months, how often did you see the person you came to see within 15 minutes of your appointment time?	-	-	-
• ,	9. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst health care possible and 10 is the best health care possible, what number would you use to rate all your health care in the last 6 months?	-	-	-
_	10. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to get the care, tests, or treatment you needed?	-	-	-
problem, or get sick or hurt. Do you have a personal	11. A personal doctor is the one you would see if you need a check-up, want advice about a health problem, or get sick or hurt. Do you have a personal doctor?	-	-	-
12. In the last 6 months, how many times did you visit your personal doctor to get care for yourself?	12. In the last 6 months, how many times did you visit your personal doctor to get care for yourself?	-	-	-

13. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor explain things in a way that was easy to understand?	13. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor explain things in a way that was easy to understand?	-	-	-
14. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor listen carefully to you?	14. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor listen carefully to you?	-	-	-
15. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor show respect for what you had to say?	15. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor show respect for what you had to say?	-	-	-
16. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor spend enough time with you?	16. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor spend enough time with you?	-	-	-
17. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst personal doctor possible and 10 is the best personal doctor possible, what number would you use to rate your personal doctor?	17. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst personal doctor possible and 10 is the best personal doctor possible, what number would you use to rate your personal doctor?	-	-	-
18. In the last 6 months, when you visited your personal doctor for a scheduled appointment, how often did he or she have your medical records or other information about your care?	18. In the last 6 months, when you visited your personal doctor for a scheduled appointment, how often did he or she have your medical records or other information about your care?	-	-	-
19. In the last 6 months, did your personal doctor order a blood test, x-ray or other test for you?	19. In the last 6 months, did your personal doctor order a blood test, x-ray or other test for you?	-	-	-
	20. In the last 6 months, when your personal doctor ordered a blood test, x-ray or other test for you, how often did someone from your personal doctor's office follow up to give you those results?	-	-	-
ordered a blood test, x-ray or other test for you, how	21. In the last 6 months, when your personal doctor ordered a blood test, x-ray or other test for you, how often did you get those results as soon as you needed them?	-	-	-

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22. In the last 6 months, did you take any prescription medicine?	22. In the last 6 months, did you take any prescription medicine?			
23. In the last 6 months, how often did you and your personal doctor talk about all the prescription medicines you were taking?	23. In the last 6 months, how often did you and your personal doctor talk about all the prescription medicines you were taking?	-	-	-
24. In the last 6 months, did you get care from more than one kind of health care provider or use more than one kind of health care service?	24. In the last 6 months, did you get care from more than one kind of health care provider or use more than one kind of health care service?	-	-	-
25. In the last 6 months, did you need help from anyone in your personal doctor's office to manage your care among these different providers and services?	25. In the last 6 months, did you need help from anyone in your personal doctor's office to manage your care among these different providers and services?	-	-	-
26. In the last 6 months, did you get the help you needed from your personal doctor's office to manage your care among these different providers and services?	26. In the last 6 months, did you get the help you needed from your personal doctor's office to manage your care among these different providers and services?	-	-	-
•	27. Specialists are doctors like surgeons, heart doctors, allergy doctors, skin doctors, and other doctors who specialize in one area of health care. Is your personal doctor a specialist?	-	-	-
28. In the last 6 months, did you make any appointments to see a specialist?	28. In the last 6 months, did you make any appointments to see a specialist?	-	-	-
29. In the last 6 months, how often did you get an appointment to see a specialist as soon as you needed?	29. In the last 6 months, how often did you get an appointment to see a specialist as soon as you needed?	-	_	_
30. How many specialists have you seen in the last 6 months?	30. How many specialists have you seen in the last 6 months?	-	-	-

saw <u>most often</u> in the last 6 months. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst specialist	31. We want to know your rating of the specialist you saw most often in the last 6 months. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst specialist possible and 10 is the best specialist possible, what number would you use to rate that specialist?	-	-	-
32. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor seem informed and up-to-date about the care you got from specialists?		-	-	-
33. How likely are you to change doctors if you are dissatisfied with the way you and your doctor communicate?	33. How likely are you to change doctors if you are dissatisfied with the way you and your doctor communicate?	-	-	-
34. How likely are you to tell your doctor when you disagree with him or her?	34. How likely are you to tell your doctor when you disagree with him or her?	-	-	-
doctor's office feeling that all of your concerns or	35. In the last 6 months, how often did you leave your doctor's office feeling that all of your concerns or questions were fully answered?	-	-	-
you understood the results of any medical test or	36. In the last 6 months, how often did you make sure you understood the results of any medical test or procedure such as x-ray, blood test, or EKG for heart conditions?	-	-	-
	37. In the last 6 months, did you get information or help from Medicare's customer service?	-	-	-
38. In the last 6 months, how often did Medicare's customer service give you the information or help you needed?	38. In the last 6 months, how often did Medicare's customer service give you the information or help you needed?	-	-	-

39. In the last 6 months, how often did Medicare's customer service staff treat you with courtesy and respect?	39. In the last 6 months, how often did Medicare's customer service staff treat you with courtesy and respect?	-		-
40. In the last 6 months, did Medicare give you any forms to fill out?	40. In the last 6 months, did Medicare give you any forms to fill out?	-	-	-
	41. In the last 6 months, how often were the forms from Medicare easy to fill out?	-	-	-
worst health plan possible and 10 is the best health plan possible, what number would you use to rate	42. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst health plan possible and 10 is the best health plan possible, what number would you use to rate Medicare?	-	-	-
	43. In general, how would you rate your overall health?	-	-	-
44. In general, how would you rate your overall mental or emotional health?	44. In general, how would you rate your overall mental or emotional health?	-	-	-
45. In the last 6 months, did you spend one or more nights in a hospital?	45. In the last 6 months, did you spend one or more nights in a hospital?	-	-	-
46. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to get the medicines your doctor prescribed?	46. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to get the medicines your doctor prescribed?	-	-	-

47. Do you have insurance that pays part or all of the cost of your prescription medicines?	47. Do you have insurance that pays part or all of the cost of your prescription medicines?	-	-	-
48. In the last 6 months, did you delay or not fill a prescription because you felt you could not afford it?	48. In the last 6 months, did you delay or not fill a prescription because you felt you could not afford it?	-	-	-
	49. Are you currently enrolled in a Medicare Part D plan (prescription drug plan)?	-	-	-
50. Are you enrolled in a Medicare Part D Medication Therapy Management program?	50. Are you enrolled in a Medicare Part D Medication Therapy Management program?	-	-	-
51. Did a health care provider, such as a pharmacist, call or meet with you to review your medications and answer your questions about your medications?	51. Did a health care provider, such as a pharmacist, call or meet with you to review your medications and answer your questions about your medications?	-	-	-
52. Did the review increase your understanding of your medications and how to use them?	52. Did the review increase your understanding of your medications and how to use them?	-	-	-
a medication action plan, and a personal medication	53. A printed summary of the review includes a letter, a medication action plan, and a personal medication list. Did you receive a printed summary of the review?	-	-	-
	54. How satisfied were you with the information in the printed summary of the review?	-	-	-

Therapy Management program provided by your	55. Overall, how satisfied are you with the Medication Therapy Management program provided by your Medicare Part D plan?	-	-	-
following conditions? 56a. A heart attack? 56b. Angina or coronary heart disease? 56c. Hypertension or high blood pressure? 56d. Cancer, other than skin cancer? 56e. Emphysema, asthma or COPD (chronic obstructive pulmonary disease)?	56. Has a doctor ever told you that you had any of the following conditions? 56a. A heart attack? 56b. Angina or coronary heart disease? 56c. Hypertension or high blood pressure? 56d. Cancer, other than skin cancer? 56e. Emphysema, asthma or COPD (chronic obstructive pulmonary disease)? 56f. Any kind of diabetes or high blood sugar?	-	-	-
57. Have you had a flu shot since July 1, 2017?	57. Have you had a flu shot since July 1, 2020?	-	-	-
shots? Two shots are usually given in a person's	58. Have you ever had one or more pneumonia shots? Two shots are usually given in a person's lifetime and these are different from a flu shot. It is also called the pneumococcal vaccine.	-	-	-
,	59. Do you now smoke cigarettes or use tobacco every day, some days, or not at all?	-	-	-
to quit smoking or using tobacco by a doctor or other	60. In the last 6 months, how often were you <u>advised</u> to quit smoking or using tobacco by a doctor or other health provider?	-	-	-
61. What is the highest grade or level of school that you have completed?	61. What is the highest grade or level of school that you have completed?	-	-	-

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62. Are you of Hispanic or Latino origin or descent?	62. Are you of Hispanic or Latino origin or descent?	-	-	-
63. What is your race? Please mark one or more.	63. What is your race? Please mark one or more.	-	-	-
64. How many people live in your household now, including yourself?	64. How many people live in your household now, including yourself?	-	-	-
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	65. Because of a health or physical problem are you unable to do or have any difficulty doing the following activities? (Please mark one response for each activity.) 65a. Bathing 65b. Dressing 65c. Eating 65d. Getting in or out of chairs 65e. Walking 65f. Using the toilet	-	-	-
66. Because of a physical, mental or emotional condition, do you have difficulty doing errands alone such as visiting a doctor's office or shopping?	66. Because of a physical, mental or emotional condition, do you have difficulty doing errands alone such as visiting a doctor's office or shopping?	-	-	-
67. Do you ever use the internet at home?	67. Do you ever use the internet at home?	-	-	-
68. The Medicare Program is trying to learn more about the health care or services provided to people with Medicare. May Medicare contact you again about the health care services that you received?	68. May the Medicare Program follow up with you to learn more about your health care, or to invite you to a group discussion or interview on topics related to health care?	Change in wording	Wording change to communicate the range of reasons CMS may follow up with a survey respondent	No

69. Did someone help you complete this survey?	69. Did someone help you complete this survey?	-	-	-
70. How did that person help you? Please mark one	70. How did that person help you? Please mark one	-	-	-
or more.	or more.			
70a. Read the questions to me	70a. Read the questions to me			
70b. Wrote down the answers I gave	70b. Wrote down the answers I gave			
70c. Answered the questions for me	70c. Answered the questions for me			
70d. Translated the questions into my language	70d. Translated the questions into my language			
70e. Helped in some other way	70e. Helped in some other way			

Existing Question	Proposed Question	Type of Change	Reason for Change	Burden Change
were covered by the plan named on the back page. Is	1. Our records show that in 2020 your health services were covered by the plan named on the back page. Is that right?	-	-	-
had in 2017 and complete the rest of the survey based on the experiences you had with that plan.	2. Please write below the name of the health plan you had in 2020 and complete the rest of the survey based on the experiences you had with that plan. (Please print)	-	-	-
or condition that <u>needed care right away</u> in a clinic,	3. In the last 6 months, did you have an illness, injury, or condition that <u>needed care right away</u> in a clinic, emergency room, or doctor's office?	-	-	-
4. In the last 6 months, when you <u>needed care right</u> away, how often did you get care as soon as you needed?	4. In the last 6 months, when you <u>needed care right</u> <u>away</u> , how often did you get care as soon as you needed?	-	-	-
appointments for a <u>check-up or routine care</u> at a	5. In the last 6 months, did you make any appointments for a check-up or routine care at a doctor's office or clinic?	-	-	-
· -	6. In the last 6 months, how often did you get an appointment for a <u>check-up or routine care</u> as soon as you needed?	-	-	-

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went to an emergency room, how many times did you	7. In the last 6 months, <u>not</u> counting the times you went to an emergency room, how many times did you go to a doctor's office or clinic to get health care for yourself?	-	-	-
and exam room. In the last 6 months, how often did	8. Wait time includes time spent in the waiting room and exam room. In the last 6 months, how often did you see the person you came to see within 15 minutes of your appointment time?	-	-	-
worst health care possible and 10 is the best health	9. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst health care possible and 10 is the best health care possible, what number would you use to rate all your health care in the last 6 months?	-	-	-
10. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to get the care, tests or treatment you needed?	10. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to get the care, tests or treatment you needed?	-	-	-
• *	11. A personal doctor is the one you would see if you need a check-up, want advice about a health problem, or get sick or hurt. Do you have a personal doctor?	-	-	-
	12. In the last 6 months, how many times did you visit your personal doctor to get care for yourself?	-	-	-
13. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor explain things in a way that was easy to understand?	13. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor explain things in a way that was easy to understand?	-	-	-
14. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor listen carefully to you?	14. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor listen carefully to you?	-	-	-

15. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor show respect for what you had to say?	15. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor show respect for what you had to say?	-	-	-
16. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor spend enough time with you?	16. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor spend enough time with you?	-	-	-
17. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst personal doctor possible and 10 is the best personal doctor possible, what number would you use to rate your personal doctor?	17. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst personal doctor possible and 10 is the best personal doctor possible, what number would you use to rate your personal doctor?	-	-	-
18. In the last 6 months, when you visited your personal doctor for a scheduled appointment, how often did he or she have your medical records or other information about your care?	18. In the last 6 months, when you visited your personal doctor for a scheduled appointment, how often did he or she have your medical records or other information about your care?	-	-	-
19. In the last 6 months, did your personal doctor order a blood test, x-ray or other test for you?	19. In the last 6 months, did your personal doctor order a blood test, x-ray or other test for you?	-	-	-
ordered a blood test, x-ray or other test for you, how	20. In the last 6 months, when your personal doctor ordered a blood test, x-ray or other test for you, how often did someone from your personal doctor's office follow up to give you those results?	-	-	-
ordered a blood test, x-ray or other test for you, how	21. In the last 6 months, when your personal doctor ordered a blood test, x-ray or other test for you, how often did you get those results as soon as you needed them?	-	-	-
22. In the last 6 months, did you take any prescription medicine?	22. In the last 6 months, did you take any prescription medicine?	-	-	-

23. In the last 6 months, how often did you and your personal doctor talk about all the prescription medicines you were taking?	23. In the last 6 months, how often did you and your personal doctor talk about all the prescription medicines you were taking?	-	-	-
24. In the last 6 months, did you get care from more than one kind of health care provider or use more than one kind of health care service?	24. In the last 6 months, did you get care from more than one kind of health care provider or use more than one kind of health care service?	-	-	-
25. In the last 6 months, did you need help from anyone in your personal doctor's office to manage your care among these different providers and services?	25. In the last 6 months, did you need help from anyone in your personal doctor's office to manage your care among these different providers and services?	-	-	-
26. In the last 6 months, did you get the help you needed from your personal doctor's office to manage your care among these different providers and services?	26. In the last 6 months, did you get the help you needed from your personal doctor's office to manage your care among these different providers and services?	-	-	-
27. Specialists are doctors like surgeons, heart doctors, allergy doctors, skin doctors, and other doctors who specialize in one area of health care. Is your <u>personal doctor</u> a specialist?	27. Specialists are doctors like surgeons, heart doctors, allergy doctors, skin doctors, and other doctors who specialize in one area of health care. Is your personal doctor a specialist?	-	-	-
28. In the last 6 months, did you make any appointments to see a specialist?	28. In the last 6 months, did you make any appointments to see a specialist?	-	-	-
29. In the last 6 months, how often did you get an appointment to see a specialist as soon as you needed?	29. In the last 6 months, how often did you get an appointment to see a specialist as soon as you needed?	-	-	-
30. How many specialists have you seen in the last 6 months?	30. How many specialists have you seen in the last 6 months?	-	-	-

31. We want to know your rating of the specialist you saw <u>most often</u> in the last 6 months. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst specialist possible and 10 is the best specialist possible, what number would you use to rate that specialist?	31. We want to know your rating of the specialist you saw most often in the last 6 months. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst specialist possible and 10 is the best specialist possible, what number would you use to rate that specialist?	-	-	-
32. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor seem informed and up-to-date about the care you got from specialists?	32. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor seem informed and up-to-date about the care you got from specialists?	-	-	-
33. In the last 6 months, did you get information or help from your health plan's customer service?	33. In the last 6 months, did you get information or help from your health plan's customer service?	-	-	-
34. In the last 6 months, how often did your health plan's customer service give you the information or help you needed?	34. In the last 6 months, how often did your health plan's customer service give you the information or help you needed?	-	-	-
35. In the last 6 months, how often did your health plan's customer service staff treat you with courtesy and respect?	35. In the last 6 months, how often did your health plan's customer service staff treat you with courtesy and respect?	-	-	-
36. In the last 6 months, did your health plan give you any forms to fill out?	36. In the last 6 months, did your health plan give you any forms to fill out?	-	-	-
37. In the last 6 months, how often were the forms from your health plan easy to fill out?	37. In the last 6 months, how often were the forms from your health plan easy to fill out?	-	-	-
38. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst health plan possible and 10 is the best health plan possible, what number would you use to rate your health plan?	38. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst health plan possible and 10 is the best health plan possible, what number would you use to rate your health plan?	-	-	-

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time of a visit to a doctor's office or clinic. In the last 6 months, did your health plan offer to lower the amount of your co-pay because you have a health	39. A co-pay is the amount of money you pay at the time of a visit to a doctor's office or clinic. In the last 6 months, did your health plan offer to lower the amount of your co-pay because you have a health condition (like high blood pressure)?	-	-	-
care and services you can get under the plan. In the last 6 months, did your health plan offer you extra benefits because you have a health condition (like	40. Your health plan benefits are the types of health care and services you can get under the plan. In the last 6 months, did your health plan offer you extra benefits because you have a health condition (like high blood pressure)?	-	-	-
office, pharmacy or your prescription drug plan contact you: 41a. To make sure you filled or refilled a prescription? 41b. To make sure you were taking medications as	41. In the last 6 months, did anyone from a doctor's office, pharmacy or your prescription drug plan contact you: 41a. To make sure you filled or refilled a prescription? 41b. To make sure you were taking medications as directed?	-	-	-
	42. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to use your prescription drug plan to get the medicines your doctor prescribed?	-	-	-
prescription drug plan to fill a prescription at your	43. In the last 6 months, did you ever use your prescription drug plan to fill a prescription at your local pharmacy?	-	-	-
	44. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to use your prescription drug plan to fill a prescription at your local pharmacy?	-	-	-
	45. In the last 6 months, did you ever use your prescription drug plan to fill a prescription by mail?	-	-	-

	46. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to use your prescription drug plan to fill a prescription by mail?	-	-	-
worst prescription drug plan possible and 10 is the best prescription drug plan possible, what number	47. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst prescription drug plan possible and 10 is the best prescription drug plan possible, what number would you use to rate your prescription drug plan?	-	-	-
	48. In general, how would you rate your overall health?	-	-	-
	49. In general, how would you rate your overall mental or emotional health?	-	-	-
	50. In the last 6 months, did you spend one or more nights in a hospital?	-	-	-
	51. In the last 6 months, did you delay or not fill a prescription because you felt you could not afford it?	-	-	-
	52. In the last 6 months, did you receive any mail order medicines that you did not request?	-	-	-

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53. Has a doctor ever told you that you had any of the following conditions? 53a. A heart attack? 53b. Angina or coronary heart disease? 53c. Hypertension or high blood pressure? 53d. Cancer, other than skin cancer? 53e. Emphysema, asthma or COPD (chronic obstructive pulmonary disease)? 53f. Any kind of diabetes or high blood sugar?	53. Has a doctor ever told you that you had any of the following conditions? 53a. A heart attack? 53b. Angina or coronary heart disease? 53c. Hypertension or high blood pressure? 53d. Cancer, other than skin cancer? 53e. Emphysema, asthma or COPD (chronic obstructive pulmonary disease)? 53f. Any kind of diabetes or high blood sugar?	-	-	-
54. Do you have serious difficulty walking or climbing stairs?	54. Do you have serious difficulty walking or climbing stairs?	-	-	-
55. Do you have difficulty dressing or bathing?	55. Do you have difficulty dressing or bathing?	-	-	-
56. Because of a physical, mental, or emotional condition, do you have difficulty doing errands alone such as visiting a doctor's office or shopping?	56. Because of a physical, mental, or emotional condition, do you have difficulty doing errands alone such as visiting a doctor's office or shopping?	-	-	-
57. Have you had a flu shot since July 1, 2017?	57. Have you had a flu shot since July 1, 2020?	-	-	-
58. Have you ever had one or more pneumonia shots? Two shots are usually given in a person's lifetime and these are different from a flu shot. It is also called the pneumococcal vaccine.	58. Have you ever had one or more pneumonia shots? Two shots are usually given in a person's lifetime and these are different from a flu shot. It is also called the pneumococcal vaccine.	-	-	-
59. Do you now smoke cigarettes or use tobacco every day, some days, or not at all?	59. Do you now smoke cigarettes or use tobacco every day, some days, or not at all?	-	-	-

60. In the last 6 months, how often were you advised to quit smoking or using tobacco by a doctor or other health provider?	60. In the last 6 months, how often were you <u>advised</u> to <u>quit</u> smoking or using tobacco by a doctor or other health provider?	-	-	-
61. What is the highest grade or level of school that you have completed?	61. What is the highest grade or level of school that you have completed?	-	-	-
62. Are you of Hispanic or Latino origin or descent?	62. Are you of Hispanic or Latino origin or descent?	-	-	-
63. What is your race? Please mark one or more.	63. What is your race? Please mark one or more.	-	-	-
64. How many people live in your household now, including yourself?	64. How many people live in your household now, including yourself?	-	-	-
65. Do you ever use the internet at home?	65. Do you ever use the internet at home?	-	-	-
66. The Medicare Program is trying to learn more about the health care or services provided to people with Medicare. May Medicare contact you again about the health care services that you received?	66. May the Medicare Program follow up with you to learn more about your health care, or to invite you to a group discussion or interview on topics related to health care?	Change in wording	Wording change to communicate the range of reasons CMS may follow up with a survey respondent	No
67. Did someone help you complete this survey?	67. Did someone help you complete this survey?	-	-	-

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68. How did that person help you? Please mark one	68. How did that person help you? Please mark one			
or more.	or more.			
68a. Read the questions to me	68a. Read the questions to me			
68b. Wrote down the answers I gave	68b. Wrote down the answers I gave			
68c. Answered the questions for me	68c. Answered the questions for me			
68d. Translated the questions into my language	68d. Translated the questions into my language			
68e. Helped in some other way	68e. Helped in some other way			

Existing Question	Proposed Question	Type of Change	Reason for Change	Burden Change
Our records show that in 2017 your health services were covered by the plan named on the back page. Is that right?	1. Our records show that in 2020 your health services were covered by the plan named on the back page. Is that right?	-	-	-
2. Please write below the name of the health plan you had in 2017 and complete the rest of the survey based on the experiences you had with that plan. (Please print)	2. Please write below the name of the health plan you had in 2020 and complete the rest of the survey based on the experiences you had with that plan. (Please print)	-	-	-
3. In the last 6 months, did you have an illness, injury, or condition that <u>needed care right away</u> in a clinic, emergency room, or doctor's office?	3. In the last 6 months, did you have an illness, injury, or condition that <u>needed care right away</u> in a clinic, emergency room, or doctor's office?	-	-	-
4. In the last 6 months, when you <u>needed care right</u> <u>away</u> , how often did you get care as soon as you needed?	4. In the last 6 months, when you <u>needed care right</u> <u>away</u> , how often did you get care as soon as you needed?	-	-	-
5. In the last 6 months, did you make any appointments for a <u>check-up or routine care</u> at a doctor's office or clinic?	5. In the last 6 months, did you make any appointments for a <u>check-up or routine care</u> at a doctor's office or clinic?	-	-	-
6. In the last 6 months, how often did you get an appointment for a <u>check-up or routine care</u> as soon as you needed?	6. In the last 6 months, how often did you get an appointment for a <u>check-up or routine care</u> as soon as you needed?	-	-	-

7. In the last 6 months, <u>not</u> counting the times you went to an emergency room, how many times did you go to a doctor's office or clinic to get health care for yourself?	7. In the last 6 months, <u>not</u> counting the times you went to an emergency room, how many times did you go to a doctor's office or clinic to get health care for yourself?	-	-	-
8. Wait time includes time spent in the waiting room and exam room. In the last 6 months, how often did you see the person you came to see within 15 minutes of your appointment time?	8. Wait time includes time spent in the waiting room and exam room. In the last 6 months, how often did you see the person you came to see within 15 minutes of your appointment time?	-	-	-
9. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst health care possible and 10 is the best health care possible, what number would you use to rate all your health care in the last 6 months?	9. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst health care possible and 10 is the best health care possible, what number would you use to rate all your health care in the last 6 months?	-	-	-
10. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to get the care, tests or treatment you needed?	10. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to get the care, tests or treatment you needed?	-	-	-
11. A personal doctor is the one you would see if you need a check-up, want advice about a health problem, or get sick or hurt. Do you have a personal doctor?	11. A personal doctor is the one you would see if you need a check-up, want advice about a health problem, or get sick or hurt. Do you have a personal doctor?	-	-	-
12. In the last 6 months, how many times did you visit your personal doctor to get care for yourself?	12. In the last 6 months, how many times did you visit your personal doctor to get care for yourself?	-	-	-
13. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor explain things in a way that was easy to understand?	13. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor explain things in a way that was easy to understand?	-	-	-
14. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor listen carefully to you?	14. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor listen carefully to you?	-	-	-

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15. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor show respect for what you had to say?	15. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor show respect for what you had to say?	-	-	-
16. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor spend enough time with you?	16. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor spend enough time with you?	-	-	-
17. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst personal doctor possible and 10 is the best personal doctor possible, what number would you use to rate your personal doctor?	17. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst personal doctor possible and 10 is the best personal doctor possible, what number would you use to rate your personal doctor?	-	-	-
18. In the last 6 months, when you visited your personal doctor for a scheduled appointment, how often did he or she have your medical records or other information about your care?	18. In the last 6 months, when you visited your personal doctor for a scheduled appointment, how often did he or she have your medical records or other information about your care?	-	-	-
19. In the last 6 months, did your personal doctor order a blood test, x-ray or other test for you?	19. In the last 6 months, did your personal doctor order a blood test, x-ray or other test for you?	-	-	-
20. In the last 6 months, when your personal doctor ordered a blood test, x-ray or other test for you, how often did someone from your personal doctor's office follow up to give you those results?	20. In the last 6 months, when your personal doctor ordered a blood test, x-ray or other test for you, how often did someone from your personal doctor's office follow up to give you those results?	-	-	-
21. In the last 6 months, when your personal doctor ordered a blood test, x-ray or other test for you, how often did you get those results as soon as you needed them?	21. In the last 6 months, when your personal doctor ordered a blood test, x-ray or other test for you, how often did you get those results as soon as you needed them?	-	-	-
22. In the last 6 months, did you take any prescription medicine?	22. In the last 6 months, did you take any prescription medicine?	-	-	-

23. In the last 6 months, how often did you and your personal doctor talk about all the prescription medicines you were taking?	23. In the last 6 months, how often did you and your personal doctor talk about all the prescription medicines you were taking?	-	-	-
24. In the last 6 months, did you get care from more than one kind of health care provider or use more than one kind of health care service?	24. In the last 6 months, did you get care from more than one kind of health care provider or use more than one kind of health care service?	-	-	-
25. In the last 6 months, did you need help from anyone in your personal doctor's office to manage your care among these different providers and services?	25. In the last 6 months, did you need help from anyone in your personal doctor's office to manage your care among these different providers and services?	-	-	-
26. In the last 6 months, did you get the help you needed from your personal doctor's office to manage your care among these different providers and services?	26. In the last 6 months, did you get the help you needed from your personal doctor's office to manage your care among these different providers and services?	-	-	-
27. Specialists are doctors like surgeons, heart doctors, allergy doctors, skin doctors, and other doctors who specialize in one area of health care. Is your <u>personal doctor</u> a specialist?	27. Specialists are doctors like surgeons, heart doctors, allergy doctors, skin doctors, and other doctors who specialize in one area of health care. Is your personal doctor a specialist?	-	-	-
28. In the last 6 months, did you make any appointments to see a specialist?	28. In the last 6 months, did you make any appointments to see a specialist?	-	-	-
29. In the last 6 months, how often did you get an appointment to see a specialist as soon as you needed?	29. In the last 6 months, how often did you get an appointment to see a specialist as soon as you needed?	-	-	-
30. How many specialists have you seen in the last 6 months?	30. How many specialists have you seen in the last 6 months?	-	-	-

31. We want to know your rating of the specialist you saw most often in the last 6 months. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst possible and 10 is the best specialist possible, what number would you use to rate that specialist?	31. We want to know your rating of the specialist you saw most often in the last 6 months. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst possible and 10 is the best specialist possible, what number would you use to rate that specialist?	-	-	-
32. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor seem informed and up-to-date about the care you got from specialists?	32. In the last 6 months, how often did your personal doctor seem informed and up-to-date about the care you got from specialists?	-	-	-
33. In the last 6 months, did you get information or help from your health plan's customer service?	33. In the last 6 months, did you get information or help from your health plan's customer service?	-	-	-
34. In the last 6 months, how often did your health plan's customer service give you the information or help you needed?	34. In the last 6 months, how often did your health plan's customer service give you the information or help you needed?	-	-	-
35. In the last 6 months, how often did your health plan's customer service staff treat you with courtesy and respect?	35. In the last 6 months, how often did your health plan's customer service staff treat you with courtesy and respect?	-	-	-
36. In the last 6 months, did your health plan give you any forms to fill out?	36. In the last 6 months, did your health plan give you any forms to fill out?	-	-	-
37. In the last 6 months, how often were the forms from your health plan easy to fill out?	37. In the last 6 months, how often were the forms from your health plan easy to fill out?	-	-	-
38. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst health plan possible and 10 is the best health plan possible, what number would you use to rate your health plan?	38. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst health plan possible and 10 is the best health plan possible, what number would you use to rate your health plan?	-	-	-

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39. A co-pay is the amount of money you pay at the	39. A co-pay is the amount of money you pay at the	-	-	-
	time of a visit to a doctor's office or clinic. In the last 6			
months, did your health plan offer to lower the	months, did your health plan offer to lower the			
amount of your co-pay because you have a health	amount of your co-pay because you have a health			
condition (like high blood pressure)?	condition (like high blood pressure)?			
40. Your health plan benefits are the types of health	40. Your health plan benefits are the types of health	_	-	-
care and services you can get under the plan. In the	care and services you can get under the plan. In the			
last 6 months, did your health plan offer you extra	last 6 months, did your health plan offer you extra			
benefits because you have a health condition (like	benefits because you have a health condition (like			
high blood pressure)?	high blood pressure)?			
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41. In general, how would you rate your overall	41. In general, how would you rate your overall			
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42. In general, how would you rate your overall	42. In general, how would you rate your overall			
mental or emotional health?	mental or emotional health?			
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43. In the last 6 months, did you spend one or more	43. In the last 6 months, did you spend one or more			
nights in a hospital?	nights in a hospital?			
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44. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to get	44. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to get			
the medicines your doctor prescribed?	the medicines your doctor prescribed?			
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45. Do you have insurance that pays part or all of the	45. Do you have insurance that pays part or all of the			
cost of your prescription medicines?	cost of your prescription medicines?			
out of your prescription medicines.	Tool of your prescription medicines.			
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46. In the last 6 months, did you delay or not fill a	46. In the last 6 months, did you delay or not fill a			.
prescription because you felt you could not afford it?	prescription because you felt you could not afford it?			

47. In the last 6 months, did you receive any mail order medicines that you did not request?	47. In the last 6 months, did you receive any mail order medicines that you did not request?	-	-	-
48. Has a doctor ever told you that you had any of the following conditions? 48a. A heart attack? 48b. Angina or coronary heart disease? 48c. Hypertension or high blood pressure? 48d. Cancer, other than skin cancer? 48e. Emphysema, asthma or COPD (chronic obstructive pulmonary disease)? 48f. Any kind of diabetes or high blood sugar?	48. Has a doctor ever told you that you had any of the following conditions? 48a. A heart attack? 48b. Angina or coronary heart disease? 48c. Hypertension or high blood pressure? 48d. Cancer, other than skin cancer? 48e. Emphysema, asthma or COPD (chronic obstructive pulmonary disease)? 48f. Any kind of diabetes or high blood sugar?	-	-	-
49. Do you have serious difficulty walking or climbing stairs?	49. Do you have serious difficulty walking or climbing stairs?	-	-	-
50. Do you have difficulty dressing or bathing?	50. Do you have difficulty dressing or bathing?	-	-	-
51. Because of a physical, mental, or emotional condition, do you have difficulty doing errands alone such as visiting a doctor's office or shopping?	51. Because of a physical, mental, or emotional condition, do you have difficulty doing errands alone such as visiting a doctor's office or shopping?	-	-	-
52. Have you had a flu shot since July 1, 2017?	52. Have you had a flu shot since July 1, 2020?	-	-	-
	53. Have you ever had one or more pneumonia shots? Two shots are usually given in a person's lifetime and these are different from a flu shot. It is also called the pneumococcal vaccine.	-	-	-

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54. Do you now smoke cigarettes or use tobacco every day, some days, or not at all?	54. Do you now smoke cigarettes or use tobacco every day, some days, or not at all?	-	-	-
55. In the last 6 months, how often were you <u>advised</u> to quit smoking or using tobacco by a doctor or other health provider?	55. In the last 6 months, how often were you <u>advised</u> to quit smoking or using tobacco by a doctor or other health provider?	-	-	-
56. What is the highest grade or level of school that you have completed?	56. What is the highest grade or level of school that you have completed?	-	-	-
57. Are you of Hispanic or Latino origin or descent?	57. Are you of Hispanic or Latino origin or descent?	-	-	-
58. What is your race? Please mark one or more.	58. What is your race? Please mark one or more.	-	-	-
59. How many people live in your household now, including yourself?	59. How many people live in your household now, including yourself?	-	-	-
60. Do you ever use the internet at home?	60. Do you ever use the internet at home?	-	-	-
61. The Medicare Program is trying to learn more about the health care or services provided to people with Medicare. May Medicare contact you again about the health care services that you received?	61. May the Medicare Program follow up with you to learn more about your health care, or to invite you to a group discussion or interview on topics related to health care?		Wording change to communicate the range of reasons CMS may follow up with a survey respondent	No

62. Did someone help you complete this survey?	62. Did someone help you complete this survey?	-	-	-
63a. Read the questions to me 63b. Wrote down the answers I gave 63c. Answered the questions for me 63d. Translated the questions into my language	63. How did that person help you? Please mark one or more. 63a. Read the questions to me 63b. Wrote down the answers I gave 63c. Answered the questions for me 63d. Translated the questions into my language 63e. Helped in some other way	-	-	-

Existing Question	Proposed Question	Type of Change	Reason for Change	Burden Change
Our records show that in 2017 your prescriptions were covered by the Medicare prescription drug plan named on the back page. Is that right?	1. Our records show that in 2020 your prescriptions were covered by the Medicare prescription drug plan named on the back page. Is that right?	-	-	-
2. Please write below the name of the Medicare prescription drug plan you had in 2017 and complete the rest of the survey based on the experiences you had with that plan. (Please print)	2. Please write below the name of the Medicare prescription drug plan you had in 2020 and complete the rest of the survey based on the experiences you had with that plan. (Please print)	-	-	-
3. In the last 6 months, did anyone from a doctor's office, pharmacy or your prescription drug plan contact you: 3a. To make sure you filled or refilled a prescription? 3b. To make sure you were taking medications as directed?	3. In the last 6 months, did anyone from a doctor's office, pharmacy or your prescription drug plan contact you: 3a. To make sure you filled or refilled a prescription? 3b. To make sure you were taking medications as directed?	-	-	-
4. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to use your prescription drug plan to get the medicines your doctor prescribed?	4. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to use your prescription drug plan to get the medicines your doctor prescribed?	-	-	-
5. In the last 6 months, did you ever use your prescription drug plan to fill a prescription at your local pharmacy?	5. In the last 6 months, did you ever use your prescription drug plan to fill a prescription at your local pharmacy?	-	-	-

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6. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to use your prescription drug plan to fill a prescription at your local pharmacy?	6. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to use your prescription drug plan to fill a prescription at your local pharmacy?	-	-	-
7. In the last 6 months, did you ever use your prescription drug plan to fill a prescription by mail?	7. In the last 6 months, did you ever use your prescription drug plan to fill a prescription by mail?	-	-	-
8. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to use your prescription drug plan to fill a prescription by mail?	8. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to use your prescription drug plan to fill a prescription by mail?	-	-	-
9. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst prescription drug plan possible and 10 is the best prescription drug plan possible, what number would you use to rate your prescription drug plan?	9. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst prescription drug plan possible and 10 is the best prescription drug plan possible, what number would you use to rate your prescription drug plan?	-	-	-
10. In general, how would you rate your overall health?	10. In general, how would you rate your overall health?	-	-	-
11. In general, how would you rate your overall mental or emotional health?	11. In general, how would you rate your overall mental or emotional health?	-	-	-
12. In the last 6 months, did you spend one or more nights in a hospital?	12. In the last 6 months, did you spend one or more nights in a hospital?	-	-	-
13. In the last 6 months, did you delay or not fill a prescription because you felt you could not afford it?	13. In the last 6 months, did you delay or not fill a prescription because you felt you could not afford it?	-	-	-

14. In the last 6 months, did you receive any mail order medicines that you did not request?	14. In the last 6 months, did you receive any mail order medicines that you did not request?	-	-	-
15. Has a doctor ever told you that you had any of the following conditions? 15a. A heart attack? 15b. Angina or coronary heart disease? 15c. Hypertension or high blood pressure? 15d. Cancer, other than skin cancer? 15e. Emphysema, asthma or COPD (chronic obstructive pulmonary disease)? 15f. Any kind of diabetes or high blood sugar?	15. Has a doctor ever told you that you had any of the following conditions? 15a. A heart attack? 15b. Angina or coronary heart disease? 15c. Hypertension or high blood pressure? 15d. Cancer, other than skin cancer? 15e. Emphysema, asthma or COPD (chronic obstructive pulmonary disease)? 15f. Any kind of diabetes or high blood sugar?	-	-	-
16. Do you have serious difficulty walking or climbing stairs?	16. Do you have serious difficulty walking or climbing stairs?	-	-	-
17. Do you have difficulty dressing or bathing?	17. Do you have difficulty dressing or bathing?	-	-	-
18. Because of a physical, mental, or emotional condition, do you have difficulty doing errands alone such as visiting a doctor's office or shopping?	18. Because of a physical, mental, or emotional condition, do you have difficulty doing errands alone such as visiting a doctor's office or shopping?	-	-	-
19. What is the highest grade or level of school that you have completed?	19. What is the highest grade or level of school that you have completed?	-	-	-
20. Are you of Hispanic or Latino origin or descent?	20. Are you of Hispanic or Latino origin or descent?	-	-	-

21. What is your race? Please mark one or more.	21. What is your race? Please mark one or more.	-	-	-
22. How many people live in your household now, including yourself?	22. How many people live in your household now, including yourself?	-	-	-
23. Do you ever use the internet at home?	23. Do you ever use the internet at home?	-	-	-
24. The Medicare Program is trying to learn more about the health care or services provided to people with Medicare. May Medicare contact you again about the health care services that you received?	24. May the Medicare Program follow up with you to learn more about your health care, or to invite you to a group discussion or interview on topics related to health care?	-	Wording change to communicate the range of reasons CMS may follow up with a survey respondent	No
25. Did someone help you complete this survey?	25. Did someone help you complete this survey?	-	-	-
26. How did that person help you? Please mark one or more. 26a. Read the questions to me 26b. Wrote down the answers I gave 26c. Answered the questions for me 26d. Translated the questions into my language 26e. Helped in some other way	26. How did that person help you? Please mark one or more. 26a. Read the questions to me 26b. Wrote down the answers I gave 26c. Answered the questions for me 26d. Translated the questions into my language 26e. Helped in some other way	-	-	-