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COMPLIANCE

Risk Adjustment Data Validation Audit—Medical Record Requests

Every year, the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) validates the accuracy of risk adjustment data submitted by health insurance companies. This year's audit will take place in the summer and fall of 2018 for *dates of service in 2017*. Be prepared for an increase in requests for patient medical records. [Learn more>>](#)

MEDICARE STARS

Medicare Advantage Members to Receive Wellness Checklists

Beginning this month, your Florida Blue Medicare Advantage patients will receive a useful customized checklist in the mail to remind them about important health services they need this year plus the rewards they can earn for completing them. Please encourage your patients to get the services they need. [Learn more>>](#)

Stars OMW Tip Sheet Update

We've updated the tip sheet that gives an overview of the HEDIS® measure for Osteoporosis Management in Women (OMW). [Learn more >>](#)

OTHER

National Prescription Drug Take-Back Day April 28

The opioid epidemic has been fueled in part by the availability of legally prescribed medications being used for unintended purposes. National Prescription Drug Take-Back Day on April 28, is a good opportunity to educate your patients that they may not need to continue taking opioids longer than their physical condition warrants. [Learn more>>](#)

PHARMACY

Remember to Use In-Network Specialty Pharmacies

To help you meet the needs of your patients who take specialty medicines, we have two preferred in-network specialty pharmacies, *AllianceRx Walgreens Prime* and *CVS Specialty™*. Remember to use them to keep out-of-pocket costs as low as possible for your patients. [Learn more>>](#)
