CY 2022 SPA SUBMISSIONS MMAC Report: May 2022

STATE PLAN AMENDMENT	SECTION/ PG IMPACTED	PURPOSE	SUBMITTED TO CMS	APPROVED
22-0003 Audiology Services Coverage	Att. 3.1A p. 28 & 28-A	This SPA updates the State Plan to reflect current audiology prosthetic device coverage, as outlined in the COMAR.	2/25/22	5/12/22 Eff. 1/1/22
22-0004 Doula Services Coverage	Att. 3.1A, pg. 29L-1, 29L-2 Att. 4.19B, pg. 3A-1	This SPA amends the State Plan to include coverage of doula services for pregnant individuals during the perinatal period.	3/21/2022	*Requesting 1/1/22 effective date
22-0005 Home Visiting Services Coverage	Att. 3.1A, pg. 29C-10, 29C-11 Att.3.1B, pg. 5 Att. 4.19B, pg. 61	This SPA amends the State Plan to include coverage of home visiting services for pregnant and parenting individuals, through pregnancy until a child's second or third birthday.	3/21/2022	*Requesting 1/1/22 effective date
22-0006 RUG Budget Update	Att.3.1K, pg. 3	This SPA updates the State Plan to reflect the current suggested Resource Utilization Group (RUG) budget.	3/21/2022	*Requesting 1/1/22 effective date
22-0008 Maryland Org Charts Update	Att. 1.2A pgs. 1, 3, 4	This SPA updates the organizational charts that depict the Maryland executive branch, Maryland Department of Health, and Maryland Medicaid.	3/29/2022	*Requesting 1/1/22 effective date
22-0009 COVID Assurances	Att. 7.7A, p. 1-3; Att. 7.7B, p. 1-3; Att. 7.7C, p. 1-3	This SPA assures that Maryland Medicaid covers COVID-19 testing, treatment, and the administration of vaccinations for beneficiaries.	4/22/2022	*Requesting 3/1/20 and 12/18/20 effective dates

22-0010 EPSDT clean-ups	Att. 3.1A pgs. 15, 15A-1, and 15D; Att. 4.19A&B pg. 63- C	This SPA updates language to clarify that physician assistants are eligible EPSDT providers, updates frequency of dental cleanings, and removes outdated references to 504 written individualized performance plans.	4/22/2022	*Requesting 4/1/22 effective date
22-0011 Hospice Cap Period	Att. 4.19B, p. 41	This SPA updates the hospice reimbursement methodology by updating the 12-month cap period to reflect an October 1 to September 30 period.	4/22/2022	5/12/22 Eff. 1/1/22
22-0012 CFC Program Language Updates	Att. 3.1K pgs. 5, 9-15, and 22	This SPA updates language to change references to attendant care personal assistance services and replace LTSS tracking system with data management system.	4/22/2022	*Requesting 4/1/22 effective date