

# QIC PAE APPEALS DEMONSTRATION NEWSLETTER



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## Final QIC PAE Appeals Demonstration Newsletter

All activities related to the Qualified Independent Contractor (QIC) Telephone Discussion and Reopening Process Demonstration will be ending December 31, 2021. We thank you for your interest and participation.

For more information see: Original Medicare (Fee-for-service) Appeals | CMS or <https://www.cms.gov/medicare/original-medicare-part-and-b-eligibility-and-enrollment/original-medicare-fee-service-appeals/qic-telephone-discussion-and-reopening-process-demonstration>.

## Preventing Denials

Please keep these steps in mind to help prevent denials. When you submit your appeal, be sure to include the following:

- Documentation to support medical necessity
- Diagnostic tests (labs, x-rays, test results) that are relevant to the service you are appealing
- Physician's orders — make sure all orders are signed and dated by the physician
- Notes (physician, nursing, etc.) that are relevant to the service you are appealing
- Be sure you review LCDs and NCDs — this will give you a guide of what information the reviewer will be looking for
- Create checklists to ensure you have all the required documentation and that your appeal request is signed

## Thank You

C2C Innovative Solutions would like to thank each of the providers who participated in the Telephone Discussion Process. We hope the Demonstration was beneficial to you and that the education you received will enable you to successfully apply it to future claim submissions.

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