

**Carrier Advisory
Committee (CAC) Meeting
Orlando, Florida**



November 12, 2005

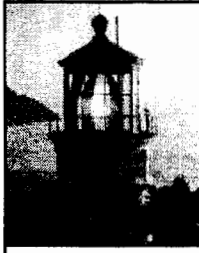


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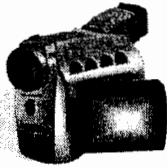
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Topics

- National Provider Identifier
- Administrative Simplification Compliance Act
- CD-ROM Initiative
- Medicare Prescription Drug Program
- Medicare Remit Easy Print (MREP) Software

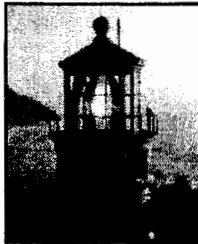


Electronic File Interchange

- Bulk processing
- Single electronic file
- Large group practice



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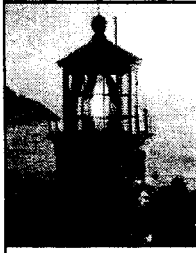


Where to Get Information

- <https://nppes.cms.hhs.gov>
 - Web-based applications
 - 1-800-465-3203 or TTY 1-800-692-2326
 - Paper applications
- <http://www.cms.hhs.gov/medlearn/npi/npiviewlet.asp>
 - Explains NPI
 - Provides description of the system
 - Leads you through the application
- Medlearn Matters articles
 - SE0528 and SE0555



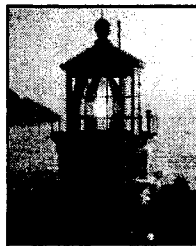
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Administrative Simplification Compliance Act (ASCA)

- Background
- Prohibits Medicare contractors from making payments
- Effective on or after October 16, 2003

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Administrative Simplification Compliance Act (ASCA)

- Current statistics
- Enforcement Beginning
 - 7/05 to 9/05 – Data collection
 - 10/05 – Report creation
 - 11/05 – Report analysis conducted
 - 12/05 – Initial letter sent out

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Websites

- www.floridamedicare.com
 - **Bulletins and Updates**
 - **Medical policy**
 - **Hot topics**
 - **HCPCS file**
 - **UPIN directory**
 - **eNews**
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Websites

- www.cms.hhs.gov/medlearn
 - **CBT courses**
 - **Training materials**
 - **Satellite broadcasts**
 - **Medlearn matters**
 - **Web-based training**
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Websites

- www.cms.hhs.gov
 - Physicians and provider specific information
 - Quarterly Provider Update
- www.oig.hhs.gov
 - Compliance guidelines
 - Sanctioned providers



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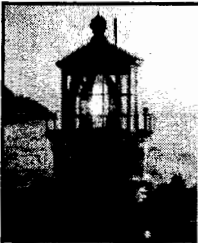
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Questions and Answers



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