



Featured Attractions at CMS

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Compliance Effectiveness Pilot or an Indecent Proposal

- Purpose
 - Determine the effectiveness of compliance programs in hospitals
- Data
 - Collection sources: surveys, interviews, and assessment reports
 - Claims data given to the hospitals at two distinct points in the pilot
- Current status



TERMINATOR: JUDGEMENT DAY

Provider and Supplier Enrollment A Changing Landscape

- Improved steps prior to Medicare enrollment
- Improved monitoring once a provider/supplier is enrolled in Medicare
- Removing “bad” providers from the program



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 - Mar 16, 07: RFI/Draft SOW released for procurement of four RACs information can be found at www.cms.hhs.gov/RAC
 - March 2008: RAC demo ends (goal is to have new RACs in place by this date)



THE FINAL FRONTIER

- **Deficit Reduction Act**
 - Status of State Medicaid Director Letter
 - National Audio conference

