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**CHANGE TITLE:** AVERAGE WHOLESAL PRICE (AWP)

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**PAGE CHANGE(S):** See page 2.

**SUMMARY OF CHANGE(S):** This change removes references to Drug Topics Blue/Red Book and includes the AWP terminology that is in the 32 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 199.14(a)(6)(i)(I). The contractor is required to obtain AWP pricing.

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