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SUMMARY OF CHANGES

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1. Section 8. Provides instruction on obtaining the Capital and Direct Medical Education (Cap/DME) costs from the 2011 Medicare cost reports.

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2. Addendum G (FY 2010). Annual updates for RTCs.
3. Addendum G (FY 2011). Annual updates for RTCs.
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5. Table of Contents. Deleted Addendum L (CY 2009) and Addendum M (CY 2009). Added Addendum L (CY 2012) and Addendum M (CY 2012).
6. Section 1. Provides cross-references for CY 2012.
7. Section 4. Adds case-mix adjustment variables and scores for Episodes Ending On or After January 1, 2012 and adds references to CY 2012.
8. Section 6. Revises HCPCS code descriptions.
9. Addendum B. Routine updates to the HCPCS codes.
10. Addendum J. Refers the reader to the TRICARE web site for Pricer information.
11. Addendum L (CY 2009). Deleted Annual HHA PPS Rate-CY 2009.
12. Addendum L (CY 2012). Added Annual HHA PPS Rate-CY 2012.
13. Addendum M (CY 2009). Deleted Annual HHA PPS Wage Index-CY 2009.
14. Addendum M (CY 2012). Added Annual HHA PPS Wage Index-CY 2012.

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15. Deleted Addendum L (CY 2009) and Addendum M (CY 2009). Added Addendum L (CY 2012) and Addendum M (CY 2012).

