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## **SUMMARY OF CHANGES**

### **CHAPTER 1**

1. Section 14. This change adds clarifying language on Paramedic Intercept and Joint Responses. EFFECTIVE DATE: 08/24/2015.

### **CHAPTER 2**

2. Addendum A . This change corrects a formatting error in the Cost-Shares chart for Routine Eye Exams. EFFECTIVE DATE: 02/15/2015.

### **CHAPTER 6**

3. Section 3.
  - a. This change adds criteria to allow coverage of acute care transfer payment to Critical Access Hospitals. EFFECTIVE DATE: 12/01/2009.
  - b. This change clarifies the method of pricing of claims from inpatient acute care hospitals. EFFECTIVE DATE: 10/01/2014.

### **CHAPTER 7**

4. Section 1. This change updates the Deflator Factors for FY 2012-2014. EFFECTIVE DATE: 10/01/2014.
5. Addendum B. This change corrects a typographical error in the date range for FY 2015 for Mental Health Reimbursement. EFFECTIVE DATE: 10/01/2015.
6. Addendum D (FY 2014). This change adds new RTCs for FY 2014 and 2015 for Mental Health Reimbursement. EFFECTIVE DATES: 03/26/2014, 06/04/2014, 10/01/2014, and 10/10/2014.
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### **CHAPTER 10**

8. Addendum A. This change updates the 2015 Birthing Center Rate Non-Professional Component for April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016. EFFECTIVE DATE: 04/01/2015.

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9. Section 1. This change updates the status indicator of "X" as no longer active. EFFECTIVE DATE: 01/01/2015.
10. Section 2. This change updates the status indicator of "X" as no longer active. EFFECTIVE DATE: 01/01/2015.
11. Section 3. This change updates the status indicator of "X" as no longer active and adds new status indicator "J1." EFFECTIVE DATE: 01/01/2015.