

August 24, 2026

The Honorable Mehmet Oz
Administrator
Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
Department of Health and Human Services
7500 Security Boulevard
Baltimore, MD 21244

RE: **Proposed Remote Monitoring Policy Would Disrupt Patient Access to Care**

Dear Administrator Oz:

The undersigned organizations respectfully urge the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) not to finalize its proposed policies for remote physiologic monitoring (RPM) and remote therapeutic monitoring (RTM).

If finalized, these proposals would cause immediate and significant disruption for approximately 1 million Medicare beneficiaries who rely on remote monitoring to manage chronic conditions, avoid preventable complications, and remain connected to their care teams. Restricting access to these services would move Medicare away from effective prevention and early intervention strategies and back toward more expensive emergency department visits, hospitalizations, and institutional care. A policy intended to strengthen oversight should not increase costs to taxpayers.

If finalized, providers will be forced to reduce enrollment, terminate programs, or stop offering remote monitoring altogether. Small practices, rural providers, and safety-net organizations would be hit hardest, where patients often face long travel distances, fewer clinicians and specialists, hospital closures, and limited access to care. Many will have no practical option other than to reduce enrollment or end their programs.

The Administration has called for greater use of technology to improve chronic disease management and investments to transform rural health. Remote monitoring advances each of these goals. CMS should expand access to proven technology-enabled care, not dismantle the models that make it possible. Major changes that restrict access to these programs will directly undermine both federal and state investments in rural health transformation – which rely on technology-driven services like remote monitoring to close care gaps.

We sincerely urge CMS to delay the proposed remote monitoring policies and work with stakeholders on a balanced approach that protects patients, preserves clinically integrated care, and strengthens program integrity protections. Program integrity concerns should be addressed through proportionate, evidence-based guardrails rather than broad restrictions on beneficiary access to care.

At a time when the Administration is making historic investments to expand technology-enabled care and address chronic disease, CMS should not adopt a policy that will dismantle existing remote care programs, reduce patient access, and undermine efforts to bend the cost curve.

Please reach out to any of the undersigned organizations with questions.

Sincerely,

More than 200 Signers as of August 24, 2026

Alliance for Community Health Plans (ACHP)
Alliance for Connected Care
Alpha-1 Foundation
ALS Association
America's Essential Hospitals
American Academy of Sleep Medicine
American Association for Respiratory Care
American Association of Nurse Practitioners
American Association of Psychiatric Pharmacists
American Association on Health and Disability
American College of Cardiology
American College of Gastroenterology
American Epilepsy Society
American Gastroenterological Association
American Health Care Association
American Occupational Therapy Association
American Osteopathic Association
American Parkinson Disease Association
American Physical Therapy Association
American Telemedicine Association
Avery's Hope
Chronic Migraine Awareness
Coalition of State Rheumatology Organizations
Compassion & Choices
Consumer Technology Association
Depression and Bipolar Support Alliance (DBSA)
Diabetes Leadership Council
Diabetes Patient Advocacy Coalition
Digestive Health Physicians Association
Facial Pain Association
Federation of American Hospitals
Friedreich's Ataxia Research Alliance (FARA)
GO2 for Lung Cancer
Healthcare Information and Management Systems Society (HIMSS)
Healthcare Leadership Council
Heart Failure Society of America
Lakeshore Foundation
Medical Group Management Association
Moving Health Home
National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners
National Center for Assisted Living
National League for Nursing
National Organization of Rheumatology Management

National Rural Health Association
Obesity Medicine Association
Parkinson's Foundation
Partnership to Advance Virtual Care (PAVC)
Remote Monitoring Leadership Council
STXBP1 Foundation
The Coalition for Headache and Migraine Patients

AdventHealth
Ascension Health
ChristianaCare
Community Health Systems
Corewell Health
Duke University Health System
Emory
Essentia Health
Florida Health Sciences Center, Inc (d/b/a Tampa General Hospital)
Hackensack Meridian Health
Harris Health
Lakeland Regional Health Systems, Inc..
Lifebridge Health
MaineGeneral Health
MedStar Health
MemorialCare Health System
Memorial Hermann Health System
Montefiore Health System
Prisma Health
Rush University System For Health
Saint Francis Health System (Tulsa, OK)
Sentara Health
Sharp HealthCare
Stanford Health Care
Summit Health
Texas Health Resources
UnityPoint Health
University of Michigan Health
UVA Health
Virginia Commonwealth University Health System
Yale New Haven Health System
Yale School of Medicine

1bios
Accuhealth
Advanced Kidney Care & Hypertension of SJ

ADVION Advocates
Allergy Partners
Allied Digestive Health, NY
Anderson Medical Services LLC
Avel eCARE
Avita MD
Babyscripts
Better Health Pharmacy & Wellness
BioIntelliSense, Inc
Bloomlife Inc
Blue Spark Technologies, Inc.
BlueStar Telehealth
Brilliant Care
Brookhaven Heart, PLLC
Cadence
Capital Cardiology Associates
Capital Digestive Care, LLC
Caprock Home Health Services, Inc.
Cardiac RMS
Cardiac Solutions
CarePartners Online
CareTeam Health
CAYA Wellness and Aesthetics
ChartSpan
Clearview Medical Associates
CoachCare
ColigoMed Inc
Connected Home Living, Inc.
Contact Health
COR CARDIAC CARE
Corstrata, Inc.
Creating Compassion LLC
Different MHP, PC
Encompass Remote, Inc
Florida Health Information Management Association
Gastro Health Acton
Gastrogroup
GI Associates
GI Specialists of Georgia, PC
Gilda's Club South Florida, Inc.
Gordon Therapy Services LLC
Harmony & Unity Mental Health
Harmony Park Family Medicine
Hawley Psychiatric

HealthArc
Heart and Vascular Associates, LLC
Higi Care, LLC
Higi Professionals of Delaware Professional Corporation
Holland and Associates Counseling, PLLC
HoloMD
Howard Homan & Assoc
Integrity Cardiology
Interventional Cardiology Medical Group, Inc.
KangarooHealth, Inc.
Kohnling, Inc.
Life365
Lighthouse Therapy Team, LLC
LMA Mental Health Services
Louisiana Gastroenterology Associates, LLC
Lozito Medical Associates
Macro Health PLLC
Mae Mental Wellness
MedWand Solutions, Inc.
MedSure® Systems
MiCare Path
MitoAction
Monebo Technologies Inc
My Gene Counsel
My Health Solutions.org
New Jersey Association of Mental Health and Addiction Agencies, Inc.
NIM Longevity
OCHIN
Optimum Health
RenewRx Health
Origin Healthcare
Potomac Psychiatry
Precision Recovery, Inc
Previva Health Group
Prevounce Health
Professional Technicians LLC
PROVAIL
Rare and Undiagnosed Network (RUN)
Regents Pharmacy
Remote Care Partners Inc.
RenweRx PC
Ritual Wellness ATX
Rosarium Health
RPM Healthcare

Salvo Health
Sharp Rees-Stealy Medical Group
Sovato
Spring and Spruce, PLLC
Sunapee Group, LLC
Sunrise Mental Health
Synergy Family Psychiatric Services
Taskfer Health
Tendco Health
Tenovi
The Oregon Clinic PC
The Taylor-Austin Group, LLC
ThoroughCare, Inc.
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TOCA Health
Unio Specialty Care (Gastroenterology, Urology)
United Digestive
Unity Care AI LLC
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Valued Relationships Inc.
Vento HealthCare Consulting, LLC
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Village Prescription Center
Virginia Cardiovascular Specialists, PC
Vital Touch, LLC
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