



## NewsBREAK | April 6

### CMS Announces Additional Detail on the Value-Based Insurance Design Model

- On April 5, 2023, the CMS Innovation Center announced additional details about the Medicare Advantage (MA) Value-Based Insurance Design (VBID) Model, which has been extended for Calendar Years 2025 through 2030.
- The VBID model began in 2017 and was previously extended in 2020. The third phase of the model that begins in 2025 will include several new policies, including:
  - Medicare Advantage Organizations (MAOs) in the model will be required to offer supplemental benefits to address health-related social needs in at least two of three health-related social needs areas: food, transportation, and housing insecurity.
  - MAOs will be able to address health-related social needs in socioeconomically disadvantaged areas, using the Area Deprivation Index (ADI), to direct benefits to enrollees in underserved communities.
  - The model will require additional data collection to heighten CMS's understanding of how enrollees are using supplemental benefits and their impact on enrollees.

See the Announcement for additional details.

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