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## **CMS issues Transmittal 12/13 to the Provider Cost Reporting Forms and Instructions, Chapter 40, Form CMS-2552-10**

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The Hospital and Hospital Health Care Complex Cost Report, Form CMS-2552-10 was updated to Transmittal 13 by CMS, on January 30, 2018. Transmittal 13 is effective for cost reporting periods ending on or after September 30, 2017.

Major changes in this transmittal include:

Updates Chapter 40, Hospital and Hospital Health Care Complex Cost Report (Form CMS-2552-10), by including subsection (d) Puerto Rico providers as eligible for the electronic health record (EHR) incentive payments.

Significant changes in the reporting of nursing school and allied health education (NAHE) activities to separately identify each individual program reimbursed in accordance with the provisions of 42 CFR 413.85 where reimbursement is made on a reasonable cost basis.

Accommodating the Rural Community Hospital Demonstration Project (§410A Demonstration) adjustment.

This transmittal also accommodates the ability for a provider to elect and sign the Certification and Settlement Summary page of the Medicare cost report using an electronic signature pursuant to the FY 2018 IPPS Final Rule.

HFS was approved by CMS for the software changes for transmittal 12/13 on January 31, 2018 and anticipates releasing the updated software on or before February 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018.

HFS will also be hosting two webinars entitled "2552-10 Transmittals 11 through 13", a separate notice will be sent with additional details.

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