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Table 1 provides key dates associated with risk adjustment, and provides an illustration of the data collection periods and related payment months. The most current dates can be found in the annual combined Call Letter posted on the CMS Web site at, <http://www.cms.gov/MedicareAdvtgSpecRateStats/AD/list.asp#TopOfPage>.

Key Payment dates are:

Mid-February: 45 days prior to the release of the Rate Announcement, CMS releases the Advance Notice of Methodological Change for the following payment year.

First Monday in April: CMS releases the Rate Announcement for the following payment year.

First Monday in June: Plan bids are due.

Table 1. Risk Adjustment Payment Timeline for 2011 Payments

	2009						2010												2011												2012	
	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	
Initial Payment																																
Dates of Service	Dates of service for 2011 Initial risk scores																															
Submission Deadline															X																	
Payment Months																			Prospective payments													
Midyear Payment																																
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Initial: First Friday in September 2010																																
Midyear: First Friday in March 2011																																
Final: January 31, 2012																																

