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3/7/2019

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) announces the pre-bidding supplier awareness program

5/7/2019

CMS announces bidding timeline and begins bidder education program

6/10/2019

Registration window opens for the DMEPOS Bidding System, DBidS, and Connexion, the program's secure portal

7/16/2019

Bid window opens

8/16/2019

DBidS registration closes (Connexion registration always remains open)

8/19/2019

Covered document review date for bidders to upload financial documents in Connexion

9/18/2019

Bid window closes

10/31/2019

Notice to substantiate your bid(s)

11/15/2019

Notice of covered document review findings

12/3/2019

Notice of preliminary bid evaluation

Summer 2020*

CMS announces single payment amounts and begins contracting process

Fall 2020*

CMS announces contract suppliers

1/1/2021

Implementation of Round 2021 contracts and prices

* Actual dates will be announced through listserv notice. Subscribe for [Email Updates](#) to receive important updates regarding the DMEPOS Competitive Bidding Program.

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