

# MEDICARE & MEDICAID COST REPORTING

## HEALTHCARE CONSULTING SERVICES

While Medicare and many Medicaid providers have transitioned to a Prospective Payment System (PPS), the requirement for filing periodic cost reports continues. Our team has strong expertise preparing many types of cost reports:

- Medicare Skilled Nursing Facility
- Medicare Home Health Agency
- Medicare Hospice
- Medicare and Medicaid Home Office
- Medicaid Required Reports for Various States and Entities

Other Services include:

- Assistance with Medicare and state (Medicaid) desk reviews and audits
- Acquisition and due diligence assistance, including analysis of prior year cost reports, potential impact on the new owners Medicaid rate and determination of the carryforward impact of any Civil Monetary Penalties or Program Settlements due from the previous owner
- Assistance with Change of Ownership (CHOW) issues including preparation of the CMS 855A Medicare application, state license applications/Proof of Financial Ability (PFA) to operate, and Medicaid Provider Enrollment Application
- Preparation of other Medicare Applications, such as the CMS 855B, CMS 855I and CMS 855R
- Preparation of Financial Schedules for the Certificate of Need Application

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Saltmarsh offers a full range of specialized services for healthcare, including Medicare/Medicaid cost reporting, billing and reimbursement assistance, regulatory compliance consulting, litigation support and more.

