



ACP urges CMS to strengthen the TEAM's emphasis on the delivery of high-quality care to avoid facilitating a course for obtaining cost-savings at the expense of care delivery. Similarly, ACP urges CMS to improve the TEAM design to include a clear method for rewarding primary care physicians that support optimal, long-term health outcomes by entitling them to a share of any rewards accorded for obtaining cost-savings after completing a patient's episode of care.

ACP strongly recommends that there be clear direction and policy describing how primary care physicians will be compensated within the TEAM

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ACP urges CMS to incorporate safeguards within the TEAM to ensure patient-centered care remains a priority.

