













### Electronic Visit Verification – HC19005 Update

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#### **AHCCCS Team Introduction**

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#### **Project Introduction**

- A Federal Mandate per Section 1903 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1396b) requires electronic verification of personal care and home health services:
  - Type of service performed
  - Individual receiving and providing the service
  - Date and Time the service begins and ends
  - Location of the service
- Purpose of EVV includes:
  - Prevent, detect and recover improper provider payments due to fraud, waste and abuse
  - Support access to care planning and monitoring



## Chosen Solution – Sandata Technologies

- SaaS Technology
- Vendor with multiple State
  Medicaid Agencies
- Security compliant
- ADA compliant
- AZ Ramp Certified











### Project Change Request Overview

- What in the PIJ is changed?
  - Project End Date changed from 12/31/2021 to 6/30/2022
- What initiated this change?
  - CMS delay in certification for all state Medicaid agencies
  - Time needed to pay remaining bills post certification



### **Project Timeline**

- Go Live January 2021
- Certification Operation Period
  - Was Jan Jun 2021
  - Now Jan Dec 2021
- Certification Meeting w/ CMS
  - Was Aug 2021
  - Now Jan 2022

- Certification approval from CMS
  - Was 60 days
  - Now 100 days (est April 2022)

- Project End Date
  - Was 12/31/2021
  - Now 6/30/2022



# Questions?



# Thank You.

