



January 2020 – WHAIC Survey Bulletin

Going Green

At the Annual Conference on October 30, 2019 we announced the new “Going Green” process introducing the [NEW](#) Electronic Survey Affirmation Statement, the [NEW](#) edit response process, and the [ability to upload your Medicare Cost Report Schedule C](#). Just a reminder that we will no longer be sending or accepting emailed attachments or responses.

A summary of the survey changes can be found here: [Summary of Survey Updates](#).

During the transition to the new process we will be **hosting periodic webinars** to review the process changes, timelines, portal and survey roles. The next overview is scheduled for February 26 at 2pm. Please email the [WHA Information Center](#) to register. Call-in and webinar information is listed below.

In addition to providing an overview on the new affirmation process, we are looking for feedback on the new CMS process of submitting cost reports, particularly if cost reports can be downloaded in an Excel format after submission.

If you are unable to attend the above “Going Green Overview”, another webinar is tentatively scheduled for April 29. For a more in depth review of the changes and upcoming events refer to the [Survey Resources](#) tab on our website.

Upcoming Due Dates

January 30, 2020

- Extended Submission Deadline for March – June FYE’s.
- Standard Submission Deadline for July – September FYE’s.
- Submission Deadline for January – June Cost Reports (remember to upload a copy of your schedule C).

March 2, 2020

- Extended Submission Deadline for July – September FYE’s.

Click [here](#) for more information on upcoming timelines.

