

2016 MEDICARE BOOT CAMPS



**Gain a solid
foundation of
Medicare rules
and regulations**

UPCOMING DATES

MEDICARE BOOT
CAMP®—HOSPITAL
VERSION

SAN DIEGO, CA
February 1–5

TAMPA, FL
March 7–11

DALLAS, TX
April 11–15

MEDICARE BOOT
CAMP®—CRITICAL ACCESS
HOSPITAL VERSION

TUCSON, AZ
February 22–24

MINNEAPOLIS, MN
April 25–27, 28**

COEUR D'ALENE, ID
June 13–15, 16**

MEDICARE BOOT
CAMP®—UTILIZATION
REVIEW VERSION

DENVER, CO
April 4–5

ATLANTA, GA
May 23–24

PORTLAND, OR
July 18–19

MEDICARE BOOT
CAMP®—PHYSICIAN
SERVICES VERSION

SAVANNAH, GA
March 7–9

SAN DIEGO, CA
June 6–8

PHILADELPHIA, PA
September 19–21

For more information, visit www.hcprobootcamps.com.

WHY HCPRO?

**Our Medicare Boot Camps are not like other classes.
Check out all the benefits we offer:**

» **RULES-BASED LEARNING**

Learn how to find and apply CMS rules and guidelines to ensure hospital services furnished to Medicare beneficiaries are billed accurately and appropriately.

» **CUSTOM-DESIGNED COURSE MATERIALS**

Proprietary materials and exercises are developed by instructors specifically for this immersion learning format.

» **UNMATCHED KNOWLEDGE**

Our instructors have a unique combination of real-world billing and compliance experience and adult education experience. They know exactly what students need to learn and how to present complex Medicare topics in an easy-to-understand manner.

» **EARN VALUABLE CEs TO MAINTAIN YOUR CREDENTIALS**

Our courses offer CEs from several major national and state organizations.

» **WELL-ESTABLISHED PROGRAM**

HCPPro is the nation's premier organization offering boot camp training courses to healthcare professionals. We currently conduct more than 20 different versions of Medicare Boot Camps each year. On average, participants have rated HCPPro Medicare Boot Camps at 4.9 on a 5.0 scale.

» **SMALL CLASS SIZE**

Class size is limited to ensure individual attention.

» **TOOLS AND SKILLS TO NAVIGATE MEDICARE RULES**

Our instructors provide valuable tools and resources that will help you prioritize and research Medicare questions long after the Boot Camp ends.

**REGISTER FOR ANY BOOT CAMP DATE
BY JANUARY 31, 2016 AND SAVE \$100**

Use discount code **BCSAVE100** when registering to receive discount.

BRING HCPRO'S BOOT CAMPS TO YOUR FACILITY

Bring our industry-leading instructors to your facility to teach one of our existing Boot Camps or a program customized specifically for your organization.

In addition to best-in-class education, hosting an on-site class gives your staff:

ACCESS. Our instructors are all yours, so you can ask them questions specific to your facility and apply concepts to your own program.

CONSISTENCY. Bring staff together for consistent training and foster team-building and problem solving.

CONNECT. Encourage collaboration by inviting staff from other departments to all or part of the Boot Camp.

UNMATCHED KNOWLEDGE. Each instructor has years of both in-the-field and adult education experience. They know exactly how to simplify the complex issues facing your staff.

For more information about on-site classes, please email sales@hcpro.com.

HCPro's Medicare Compliance Watch

Medicare Compliance Watch is the key to unlocking the latest Medicare news, analysis, and education your organization needs. The comprehensive, easy-to-access website combines all of HCPro's Medicare regulatory and reimbursement resources into one, making it the tool you can trust to help you navigate the ever-changing Medicare landscape.

Stop scanning through endless rules and trying to interpret complex regulations—our top Medicare experts will thoroughly analyze Medicare updates and break down the most pertinent information for your organization in a straightforward yet thorough way.

MEMBERSHIP FEATURES	BASIC	PLATINUM
Medicare Insider , daily e-newsletter	x	x
Medicare Buzz , an open forum talk group	x	x
MedicareFind™	x	x
Quarterly webcast to discuss recent regulatory changes	x	x
Tools, webcasts, and white papers library	x	x
Medicare Billing Encyclopedia		x
Electronic version of monthly newsletter Briefings on APCs		x
Expanded content library from several of HCPro's most popular books		x

MEDICARE BOOT CAMP®— HOSPITAL VERSION

OVERVIEW

Gain insight into the CMS initiatives affecting your revenue in 2016 by joining our leading Medicare experts for the **Medicare Boot Camp®—Hospital Version**.

Medicare Boot Camp—Hospital Version prepares you to better manage your revenue cycle and government audits by focusing on real guidance from CMS, rather than unsupported opinions or rhetoric. You'll leave class ready to make improvements that will strengthen reimbursement and compliance for your hospital or health system. And you'll have the research tools and skills at your fingertips to answer your own Medicare questions long after the Boot Camp is over.

THIS BOOT CAMP WILL HELP YOU:

- » Prevent inpatient denials
- » Conduct compliant “self-audits” for Part B inpatient payment
- » Properly use and bill for observation services
- » Research and resolve claim edits that delay revenue
- » Prevent outpatient denials and missed revenue
- » Implement best practices to get the revenue you deserve while staying in compliance

SAN DIEGO, CA	FEB 1-5	Homewood Suites by Hilton San Diego Airport/Liberty Station	619-222-0500
TAMPA, FL	MAR 7-11	Hyatt Place Tampa/Busch Gardens	813-979-1922
DALLAS, TX	APRIL 11-15	HYATT house™ Dallas/Uptown	214-965-9990
NASHVILLE, TN	MAY 2-6	Hyatt Place Nashville/Brentwood	615-661-9477
DENVER, CO	JUNE 13-17	Hyatt Place Denver Tech Center	303-804-0700
PORTLAND, OR	JULY 25-29	Hilton Garden Inn Portland Airport	503-255-8600
CHARLOTTE, NC	AUG 8-12	Homewood Suites by Hilton–Davidson	704-987-1818
CHICAGO, IL	SEP 19-23	Hyatt Place Chicago/Schaumburg	847-330-1060
RICHMOND, VA	OCT 7-11	Homewood Suites by Hilton Richmond–West End/Innsbrook	804-217-8000
ALBUQUERQUE, NM	NOV 7-11	Courtyard by Marriott Albuquerque	505-823-1919
ATLANTA, GA	DEC 5-9	Hyatt Place Atlanta/Buckhead	404-869-6161

AGENDA

Module 1: Medicare Overview and Resources

Module 2: Coverage of Hospital Outpatient Services

Module 3: Coverage of Hospital Inpatient Services

Module 4: Medical Necessity, Coverage Determinations, and Notice Requirements

Module 5: Medicare Claims Submission Fundamentals

Module 6: Medicare Edit Systems

Module 7: Special Medicare Outpatient Billing Issues

Module 8: Utilization Review and Inpatient Billing Issues

Module 9: Adjustments, Audits, and Appeals

Module 10: Nuts and Bolts of the Outpatient Prospective Payment System

Module 11: Visits, Observation, and Therapy

Module 12: Outpatient Surgical and Radiology Services

Module 13: Outpatient Drugs, Biologicals, and Devices

Module 14: Hospital Laboratory Services

Module 15: Inpatient Prospective Payment System and Patient Responsibility

Module 16: Inpatient Payment Factors

*Course agenda is subject to change.

For complete agenda and continuing education credit information, visit www.hcprobootcamps.com.

\$1,699

BOOT CAMP SCHEDULE

Classes run Monday through Thursday:
8:00 am–5:00 p.m., Friday: 8:00 am–1:00 p.m.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS/DISCOUNTED ROOM RATES

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WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Finance and reimbursement personnel

Case Managers

Chargemaster personnel

Billers and coders

Medical records/health information personnel

Clinical department personnel

Provider-based clinic personnel

Revenue managers

Compliance officers and auditors

Registration personnel

Medicare Advantage and MAC personnel

Healthcare lawyers, consultants, and CPAs

Legal department personnel



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MEDICARE BOOT CAMP®—CRITICAL ACCESS HOSPITAL VERSION

OVERVIEW

Medicare Boot Camp®—Critical Access Hospital Version is a three-day intensive course on Medicare coverage, billing, coding, and payment for critical access hospitals. It gives you the knowledge and tools to find the answers to your most pressing Medicare coding, billing, and reimbursement questions pertaining to your CAH setting—unique in the industry.

This one-of-a-kind, custom class will show you which rules apply to you so you can successfully process claims and get paid. You'll master the key concepts behind inpatient status rules and UR requirements while also learning how to prepare and respond to recovery audits.

And for the first time this year, HCPro is offering an additional day of education relating specifically to Rural Health Clinics and all the rules and regulations unique to this setting. Check out the two dates/locations this is available.

THIS BOOT CAMP WILL HELP YOU:

- » Find the answers to your specific Medicare questions relating to CAHs
- » Understand outpatient observation and inpatient status rules and UR requirements
- » Submit accurate claims to Medicare, including Part A to B rebilling
- » Ensure appropriate reimbursement
- » Avoid compliance pitfalls
- » Identify risks for government audits, including recovery audits

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MINNEAPOLIS, MN	APRIL 25–27 APRIL 28**	SpringHill Suites Minneapolis–Saint Paul Airport/Mall of America	952-854-0300
COEUR D'ALENE, ID	JUNE 13–15 JUNE 16**	The Coeur d'Alene Resort	208-765-2300
DENVER, CO	AUG 15–17	Hyatt Place Denver Tech Center	303-804-0700
MEMPHIS, TN	NOV 14–16	HYATT PLACE Memphis–Wolfchase Galleria	901-371-0010

**Optional additional 1 day for Rural Health Clinic



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AGENDA

Module 1: Overview of Critical Access Hospital Designation

Module 2: Medicare Overview and Resources

Module 3: Coverage of Hospital Outpatient Services

Module 4: Medical Necessity, Coverage Determinations, and Notice Requirements

Module 5: Medicare Claims Submission Fundamentals

Module 6: Medicare Edit Systems

Module 7: Observation, Outpatient Visits, and Therapy Services

Module 8: Outpatient Surgical and Radiology Services

Module 9: Outpatient Drugs and Laboratory Services

Module 10: Overview of the Cost-Based Reimbursement System

Module 11: Coverage and Billing for Hospital Inpatient Services

Module 12: Coverage and Billing for Swing Bed Admissions

RURAL HEALTH CLINIC VERSION ADD-ON

Module 1: Medicare Overview and Resources

Module 2: Rural Health Clinics—Background and General Information

Module 3: Qualified Healthcare Professionals and Related Services

Module 4: General Billing Requirements for RHC Services

Module 5: Reimbursement for RHC Services

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BOOT CAMP SCHEDULE

\$1,299

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\$1,499

With additional 1 day Rural Health Clinic add-on

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WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Billing specialists

Chargemaster coordinators and managers

Clinical documentation improvement specialists

Clinical managers and department heads

Compliance officers

Finance and reimbursement managers

Healthcare consultants, CPAs, and lawyers

Health plan financial analysts, claims processing specialists, and provider relations professionals

HIM directors and managers

Medicare administrative contractors

Patient access/admitting staff

Provider-based clinical personnel

Physician advisors

Auditors and analysts



MEDICARE BOOT CAMP®— UTILIZATION REVIEW VERSION

OVERVIEW

Medicare Boot Camp®—Utilization Review Version is an intensive two-day course focusing on the Medicare regulatory requirements for patient status and the role of the utilization review (UR) committee.

Managing patient status plays a critical role in proper compliance, correct reimbursement, and stabilizing inpatient payments for the hospital. Don't leave money on the table—ensure the UR committee is ready to implement and leverage the regulatory requirements.

THIS BOOT CAMP WILL HELP YOU UNDERSTAND:

- » How to apply the 2-midnight benchmark and 2-midnight presumptions
- » The differences between post-discharge versus concurrent patient status reviews
- » When self-denial is appropriate to take advantage of Part B payment for an inpatient case
- » How NCDs, LCDs, and coverage with evidence development (CED) affect coverage of cases that meet the 2-midnight benchmark
- » The observation coverage rules and how they interact with the 2-midnight benchmark
- » When ABNs and HINNs should be used for stays that don't meet medical necessity requirements

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SAN ANTONIO, TX*	SEP 28–29	Hyatt Regency San Antonio	210-222-1234

*In conjunction with **2016 Medicare Compliance Forum**

AGENDA

Module 1: Medicare Overview and Resources

Module 2: Patient Status: Outpatient Observation and Inpatient Admission

Module 3: Medical Necessity, Coverage Determinations, and Notice Requirements

Module 4: Utilization Review and Billing Implications

Module 5: Payment for Outpatient Services

Module 6: Payment for Inpatient Admissions, Including Patient Responsibility

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\$1,099

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WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Utilization review coordinators
Utilization management managers and directors
Utilization review committee members
UR physician advisors
Case managers
Care coordinators
Revenue cycle staff
Nurse managers
Compliance officers and auditors
CFOs, CNOs, and VPs
Fiscal intermediary personnel
Healthcare lawyers and consultants



MEDICARE BOOT CAMP®— PHYSICIAN SERVICES VERSION

OVERVIEW

The **Medicare Boot Camp®—Physician Services Version** teaches you the basics of navigating Medicare regulations and guidelines applicable to professional services.

Whether you're in a physician practice or a hospital that is taking on a larger role in managing physician practices, the **Medicare Boot Camp—Physician Services Version** will help you avoid basic compliance pitfalls and costly mistakes. Apply concepts learned immediately with true-to-life case studies that accompany each module.

THIS BOOT CAMP WILL HELP YOU:

- » Employ CMS guidelines to ensure proper reporting
- » Explain appropriate billing for professional services in many different scenarios
- » Identify compliance pitfalls and prepare for potential audits
- » Describe requirements for efficient processes that lead to increased productivity
- » Examine Medicare coverage guidelines, including the general types of physician services covered
- » Recognize specific Medicare coverage requirements for certain services
- » Interpret payment principles for physician services, allowing for a reasonably anticipated projected income stream

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AGENDA

- Module 1:** Medicare Overview and Resources
- Module 2:** Medical Necessity and Non-Coverage
- Module 3:** NCCI, MUEs, Modifiers, and Other Must-Know Coding Fundamentals
- Module 4:** Credentialing and Enrollment: First Things First; How to Be Recognized by Medicare as an Eligible Physician
- Module 5:** Physicians Aren't the Only Ones That Can Expect Compensation
- Module 6:** Tools for Understanding and Predicting Medicare Reimbursement
- Module 7:** CMS-1500, Diagnosis Coding, NPI, and Other Must-Know Billing Fundamentals
- Module 8:** Evaluation and Management Services
- Module 9:** Surgical Services for Physicians
- Module 10:** Let's Not Forget About Diagnostic Testing
- Module 11:** Physicians at Teaching Hospitals
- Module 12:** When the Medicare Payment Is Not What You Expect

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- Billers and coders
- Medical records managers and staff
- Health information managers and staff
- Clinical managers and department heads
- Finance and reimbursement managers and staff
- Physicians
- Nurse practitioners
- Physician assistants
- Compliance officers and auditors
- Medicare carrier personnel
- Healthcare consultants, CPAs, and lawyers
- Legal department personnel



EXPERT TRAINERS



**KIMBERLY ANDERWOOD
HOY BAKER**
JD, CPC

Kimberly Anderwood Hoy Baker, JD, CPC, is the director of Medicare and compliance for HCPro. She is a lead regulatory specialist for HCPro's Revenue Cycle Institute and is the lead instructor for HCPro's *Medicare Boot Camp®—Hospital Version* and *Medicare Boot Camp®—Utilization Review Version*. She is also an instructor for HCPro's *Medicare Boot Camp®—Critical Access Hospital Version*. She is a former hospital compliance officer and in-house legal counsel, and has 10 years of experience teaching, speaking and writing about Medicare coverage, payment and coding regulations and requirements.



DEBBIE MACKAMAN
RHIA, CPCO, CCDS

Debbie Mackaman, RHIA, CPCO, CCDS, is an instructor for HCPro's *Medicare Boot Camp®—Hospital Version* and lead instructor for the *Critical Access Hospital Version* and *Rural Health Clinic Version*. She has over 24 years of experience in the healthcare industry, including inpatient and outpatient prospective payment systems; and coding, billing, and reimbursement issues for hospitals, critical access hospitals, and rural health clinics. She has served as compliance officer and director of health information services for healthcare systems.



VALERIE A. RINKLE
MPA

Valerie A. Rinkle, MPA, is a lead regulatory specialist for HCPro's Revenue Cycle Institute and an instructor for HCPro's *Medicare Boot Camp®—Hospital Version*, *Medicare Boot Camp®—Utilization Review Version*, and *Medicare Boot Camp®—Critical Access Hospital Version*. Rinkle is a former hospital revenue cycle director and has over 30 years in the healthcare industry, including over 12 years of consulting experience in which she has spoken and advised on effective operational solutions for compliance with Medicare coverage, payment, and coding regulations.



HUGH AARON
MHA, JD, CPC, CPC-H

Hugh Aaron, MHA, JD, CPC, CPC-H, is the original developer of and an instructor for HCPro's *Medicare Boot Camp—Hospital Version*. In 2003, he founded HRAI Coding Specialists, LLC, a national training firm focusing on healthcare regulatory compliance. He sold that firm to HCPro, Inc., in 2006. Aaron is cofounder and senior vice president of training and regulatory compliance for Clinical Advisory Services, LLC, a consulting and training firm that works with hospitals to correctly classify patients (i.e., inpatient versus observation) for Medicare billing purposes. He also owns The Aaron Group, LLC, a consulting firm focused on coding and reimbursement issues.



JUDITH L. KARES
JD

Judith L. Kares, JD, is an expert in Medicare rules and regulations and is an instructor for HCPro’s *Medicare Boot Camp-Hospital Version*®. She spent a number of years in private law practice, representing hospitals and other health care clients, and then as in-house legal counsel prior to beginning her current legal/consulting practice. She is also an adjunct faculty member at the University of Phoenix, where she teaches courses in business and health care law and ethics.



GINA M. REESE
Esq., RN

Gina M. Reese, Esq., RN, is an expert in Medicare rules and regulations and an instructor for HCPro’s *Medicare Boot Camp-Hospital Version*®. She spent a number of years in private law practice representing hospitals and other healthcare clients, in addition to serving as in-house legal counsel, prior to beginning her current legal/consulting practice. Reese is also a certified mediator, as well as an adjunct assistant professor at the Glendale College School of Law, where she teaches courses in legal writing.



PEGGY S. BLUE
MPH, CPC, CCS-P, CEMC

Peggy S. Blue, MPH, CPC, CCS-P, CEMC, is the lead instructor for the *Medicare Boot Camp*®—*Professional Services Version* as well as an instructor for the *Certified Coder Boot Camp* (live and online) and the *Evaluation and Management Boot Camp*. She also is an instructor for all of the ICD-10-CM/PCS-related educational courses (live and online). Prior to joining HCPro, Blue oversaw the development, implementation, dissemination, and reporting of information related to Medicare professional services training efforts for Highmark Medicare Services.



JILLIAN HARRINGTON
MHA, CPC, CPC-I, CPC-P, CCS, CCS-P, MHP

Jillian Harrington, MHA, CPC, CPC-I, CPC-P, CCS, CCS-P, MHP, has more than 20 years of experience in the healthcare profession. She is an approved instructor of the Professional Medical Coding Curriculum, awarded by the AAPC, and teaches coding for physician and hospital services, as well as healthcare administration. She has spoken frequently on healthcare compliance and health information management issues at regional and national professional conferences.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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HCPro's Medicare Membership

The Key to Your organization's Medicare Compliance strategy

LEARN MORE ABOUT WHAT MEDICARE MEMBERSHIP OFFERS

Your Medicare Membership gives you ongoing access to HCPro's industry-leading Medicare experts who provide customized monitoring services to keep your organization on track, up to date, and compliant.

HCPro Watchdog Service™	A powerful Medicare monitoring solution that includes custom monthly reports describing regulatory updates, CMS transmittals, and in-depth analysis.
On-call access to your regulatory expert	Our Medicare experts Kimberly A. Hoy Baker, CPC, Debbie Mackaman, RHIA, CPCO , and Judith L. Kares, JD , will answer your questions and help you understand new Medicare developments.
Medicare Boot Camps® On-site	Training brought directly to and customized for your organization.
Medicare Compliance Watch™	Medicare Compliance Watch is a comprehensive, easy-to-access resource that combines all of HCPro's Medicare regulatory and reimbursement resources into one, making it the tool you can trust to help you navigate the ever-changing Medicare landscape. http://www.medicarecompliancewatch.com/
Membership discount	Enjoy a 20% discount on all revenue cycle retail products including upcoming and on-demand webcasts.

HCPRO WATCHDOG SERVICE

HCPro Watchdog Service is a powerful solution that will keep you on top of a constantly evolving regulatory environment. An HCPro regulatory specialist will be devoted to tracking key Medicare developments and issues important to your revenue cycle team. Every month, your dedicated Medicare expert will provide you with insight and analysis specifically for the provider types within your organization.

Your custom regulatory update will be provided via:

- » Monthly custom email reports with the latest regulations based on your facility's needs, which you can forward throughout your organization
- » Monthly conference calls with your regulatory expert to discuss recent regulations and their impact on your organization

We'll tell you what you need to do to move forward today and how to look ahead to next month, next quarter, and next year. Our regulatory specialists cover a range of industries and provider types such as hospitals, physicians, SNFs, home health, hospice, DME, psychiatric and rehabilitation facilities, and more.

ASK THE EXPERT

Do you have a question that only a regulatory expert can answer? Our Medicare experts **Kimberly A. Hoy Baker, JD, Debbie Mackaman, RHIA, CPCO**, and **Judith L. Kares, JD**, will answer your questions and help you understand new Medicare developments using citations from CMS and other regulatory agencies.

HCPRO'S BOOT CAMPS®

Your membership includes an on-site **Medicare Boot Camp**. HCPro's industry-leading instructors travel to your facility on your schedule for an intensive educational seminar. Choose the Boot Camp most appropriate for your organization:

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Both versions of the Boot Camp include comprehensive sections that explain the complexities of:

- » The 2-midnight benchmark and presumption
- » ABN use and applicable billing rules
- » Inpatient order and certification requirements
- » Self-administered drugs
- » Observation services and correct use of condition code 44 and W2
- » Medically unlikely and other NCCI edits
- » Coverage of therapeutic hospital services, including physician supervision
- » Coverage of diagnostic services
- » Other coverage topics such as clinical lab NCDs

You can also choose **Medicare Boot Camp®—Utilization Review Version**. This version is an intensive two-day course focusing on the new Medicare regulatory requirements for patient status and the role of the utilization review (UR) committee.

We also provide annual updates. Bring HCPro experts back each year to update your staff about the latest Medicare reimbursement rules and regulations.

MEDICARE COMPLIANCE WATCH™

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- » **Medicare Buzz**, a talk group to collaborate and share ideas with members
- » **Medicare Insider**, HCPro's highly popular daily e-newsletter that highlights regulatory changes and provides coding and billing advice
- » **MedicareFind™**, HCPro's premier knowledge and regulatory database that enables users to easily and intuitively access Medicare reimbursement rules and regulations
- » A tools, webcasts, and white papers library created by Medicare regulatory industry experts
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