SAS Viya Decommissioning

December 13, 2024

CMS Providers and Healthcare Analysts that use CMS Provided SAS Packs:

As part of an initiative to modernize and improve data management, the CMS Center for Clinical Standards and Quality (CCSQ) will decommission the use of SAS Viya for data processing on December 31, 2025. During calendar year 2025, CCSQ will transition away from the use of SAS Viya to Databricks for its measures. This change is designed to enhance performance, scalability, and cost-efficiency. CMS's use of SAS Viya will retain all the current functionality until it is sunset on **December 31, 2025**. CMS will continue to communicate during the transition to provide specific details for future data processing.

For any questions or concerns, please contact the designated program-specific support team.

Thank you.

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