

Offshore Subcontractor Attestation

Name of first tier entity:

PART I. Offshore subcontractor information

- 1. Subcontractor name (may be the organization or downstream):
- 2. Subcontractor country: _____
- 3. Subcontractor address:
- 4. Describe subcontractor function(s): _____

PART II. Precautions for Protected Health Information (PHI)

- 1. Describe the PHI that is provided to the subcontractor:
- 2. Discuss why providing PHI is necessary to accomplish the subcontractor's objectives:

3. Describe alternatives considered to avoid providing PHI and why each alternative was rejected:

PART III. Attestation of safeguards to protect beneficiary information in the offshore subcontract

Please check either yes or no for each of the following regarding the offshore subcontracting arrangement:

1. Has policies and procedures in place to ensure that PHI and other personal information remains secure. □ Yes

□ No

| 2. | Prohibits subcontractor's access to data not associated with the sponsor's contracts. | □ Yes | □ No |
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| 3. | Has policies and procedures in place that allow for immediate termination of the subcontract upon discovery of a significant security breach. | □ Yes | □ No |
| 4. | Includes all required Medicare Part C and Part D language (e.g., record retention requirements, compliance with all Medicare Part C and D requirements, etc.). | □ Yes | □ No |

PART IV. Attestation of audit requirements to ensure protection of PHI

Please check either yes or no for each of the following:

| 1. | The organization will conduct an annual audit of the offshore subcontractor. | □ Yes | □ No |
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| 2. | Audit results will be used by the organization to evaluation the continuation of its relationship with the offshore subcontractor. | □ Yes | □ No |
| 3. | The organization agrees to share the offshore subcontractor's audit results with the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) upon request. | □ Yes | □ No |

Attestation and signature

I attest that the responses provided on these pages are correct to the best of my knowledge.

| Organization name: | |
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Authorized signatory name and title:

 Signature:

 Date: ______