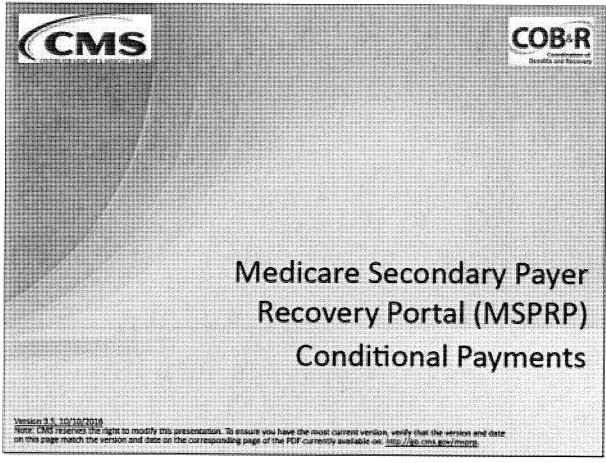
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#### Slide notes

Welcome to the Medicare Secondary Payer Recovery Portal (MSPRP) Conditional Payments course.

As a reminder, you may view the slide number you are on by clicking on the moving cursor.

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### Disclaimer

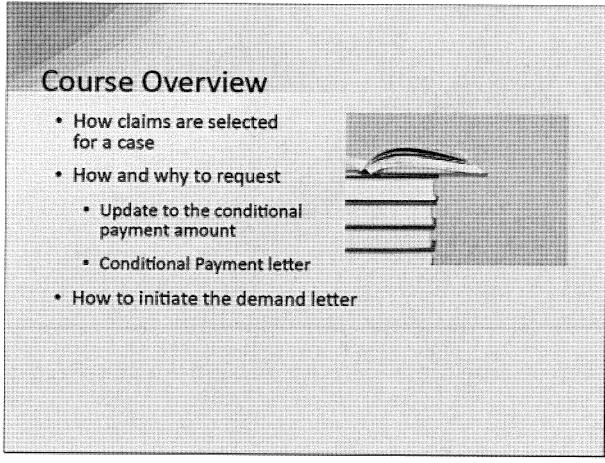
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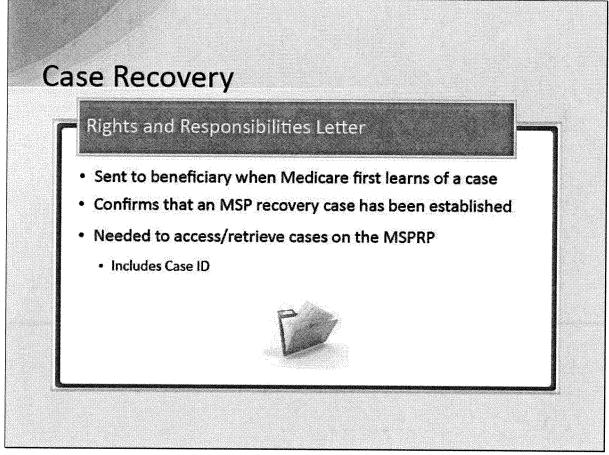
#### Slide notes

This course will provide background information on how claims are selected for a case.

It will clarify how and why a user would request an update to the conditional payment amount and/or request a copy of the Conditional Payment letter.

It will also show how to initiate the demand letter early for cases where the Conditional Payment Notice has been issued.

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#### Slide notes

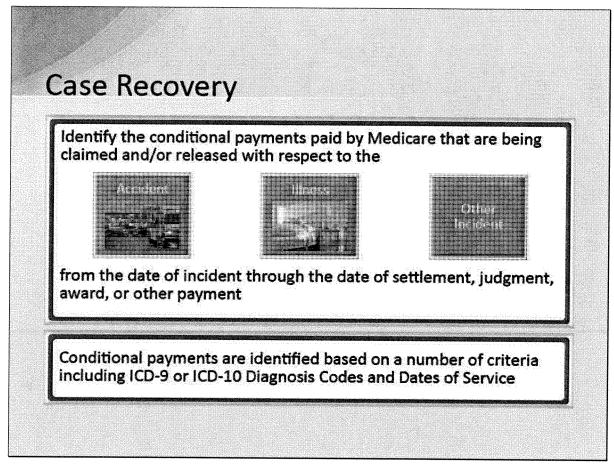
When Medicare first learns of a case, the Rights and Responsibilities letter is sent to the beneficiary.

The letter confirms that a Medicare Secondary Payer (MSP) recovery case has been established and educates the recipient about Medicare's right of recovery.

Note: To access/retrieve cases on the MSPRP, you will need the Case ID.

The Case ID is a 15 digit number located on any case specific correspondence received from Medicare such as the Rights and Responsibilities Letter or Conditional Payment Letter.

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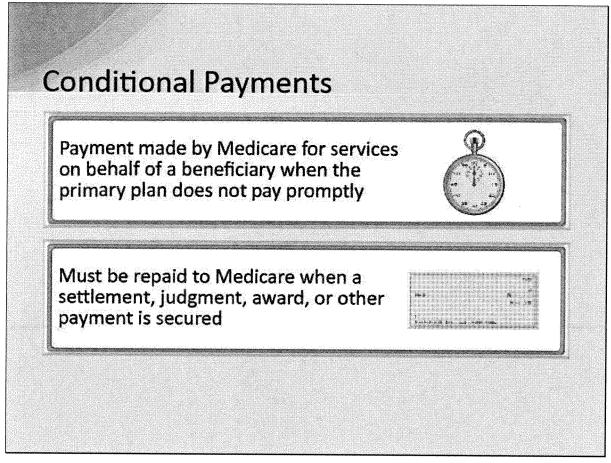
#### Slide notes

Once Medicare has information concerning a potential recovery situation, it will identify the conditional payments paid by Medicare that are being claimed

and/or released with respect to the accident, illness, or other incident from the date of incident through the date of settlement, judgment, award, or other payment.

These conditional payments are identified based on a number of criteria including ICD-9 or ICD-10 (International Classification of Diseases, 9th or 10th revisions) Diagnosis Codes and Dates of Service.

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#### Slide notes

A conditional payment is a payment made by Medicare for services on behalf of a Medicare beneficiary when there is evidence that the primary plan does not pay promptly.

These payments are referred to as conditional payments because the money must be repaid to Medicare when a settlement, judgment, award, or other payment is secured.

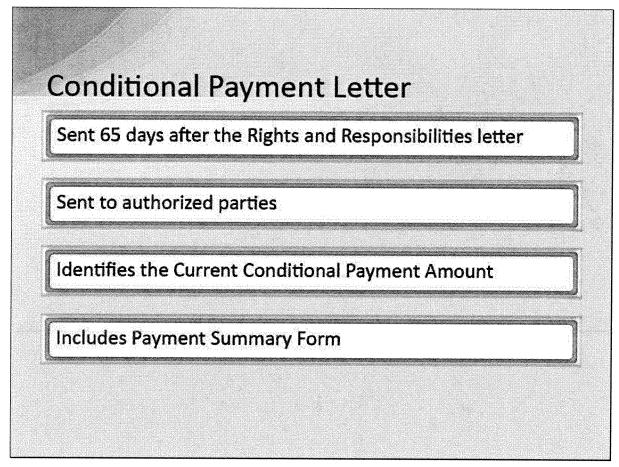
Note: The MSPRP now permits authorized users to notify CMS that a specific case is approaching settlement and request that the case be a part of the Final Conditional Payment process.

For CRC cases, authorized users may request an update to the conditional payment amount.

After a conditional payment notice (CPN) or a conditional payment letter (CPL) has been issued, users may submit unlimited disputes any time prior to the case being demanded.

Further information on this process can be found in Chapter 14 of the MSPRP User Guide.

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#### Slide notes

Sixty-five days after the Rights and Responsibilities letter is sent, the Conditional Payment letter will be sent to all authorized parties on the case.

This letter identifies the conditional payments that Medicare has made to date that are related to what is being claimed and/or released with respect to the accident, illness, injury, or other incident.

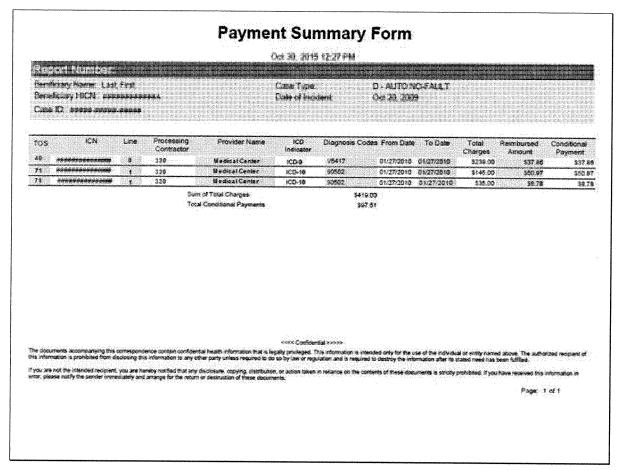
It also identifies the total Current Conditional Payment Amount and includes a Payment Summary Form.

Note: When a case is in the Final CP process and you request a conditional payment letter, electronic or mailed, you will receive either the Notice of Anticipated Settlement Letter or the Final Conditional Payment Letter, depending on the status of your Final CP case.

For CRC cases, users may request an electronic conditional payment letter (eCPL) or a mailed copy of the conditional payment letter.

Additionally, if requested, users will also receive an electronic or mailed version of the "no claims paid" letter for CRC cases where the overpayment amount equals zero.

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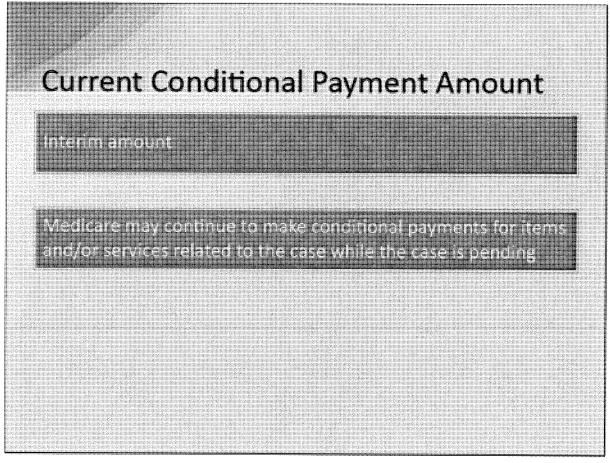
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The Payment Summary form lists all of the claims that are included in the Current Conditional Payment Amount.

Specific information, such as dates of service and conditional payment amounts will be displayed for each claim listed.

The sum of the amounts included in the conditional payment amount column is the Total Conditional Payments Amount.

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#### Slide notes

The Current Conditional Payment Amount is an interim amount.

Medicare may continue to make conditional payments for items and/or services related to the case while the case is pending.

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# When to Request an Updated Conditional Payment Amount

When the case has settled and you are ready to submit settlement information

 Conditional payment amount must be updated within 10 calendar days of Submitting Notice of Settlement information

#### Slide notes

You must request an update to the conditional payment amount when the case has settled and you are ready to submit settlement information.

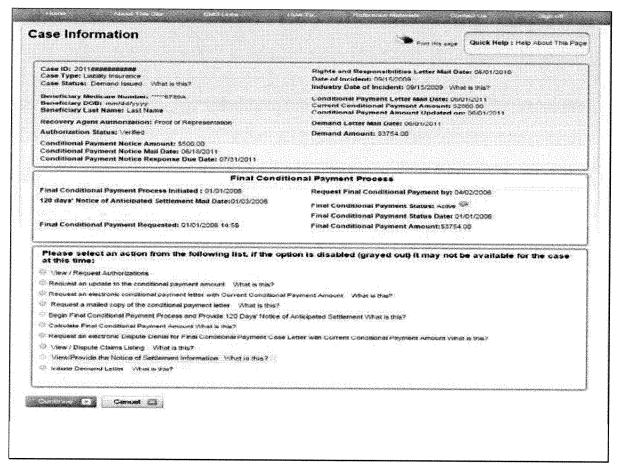
The conditional payment amount must be updated within 10 calendar days of submitting Notice of Settlement information through the MSPRP.

Note: For cases that are in the Final CP process, notice of settlement information must be submitted within 30 calendar days of requesting the Final CP amount.

Authorized users can view read-only settlement information after it has been provided, and update settlement information when they initiate a demand letter.

For more information on the Final Conditional Payment process, as it pertains to Notice of Settlement, see Chapter 14 in the MSPRP User Guide.

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#### Slide notes

To view the Current Conditional Payment Amount and the Conditional Payment Amount Updated on date, view the Case Information page on the MSPRP.

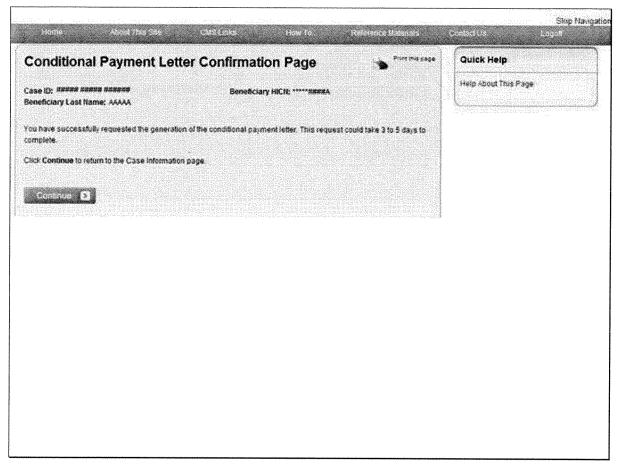
The MSPRP provides you the ability to retrieve all new, related medical claims that have been paid subsequent to the date indicated in the Conditional Payment Amount Updated on field

and calculate a revised Current Conditional Payment Amount.

To do this, select the Request an update to the conditional payment amount action.

Note: This action may only be requested when the Case Status is Open.

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#### Slide notes

When the Request an update to the conditional payment amount action has been selected, the Conditional Payment Letter Confirmation Page displays.

This page confirms that you have successfully submitted a request for an updated conditional payment amount.

The Case ID, Beneficiary Last Name, and Beneficiary HICN (Health Insurance Claim Number) for the case are displayed at the top of the page.

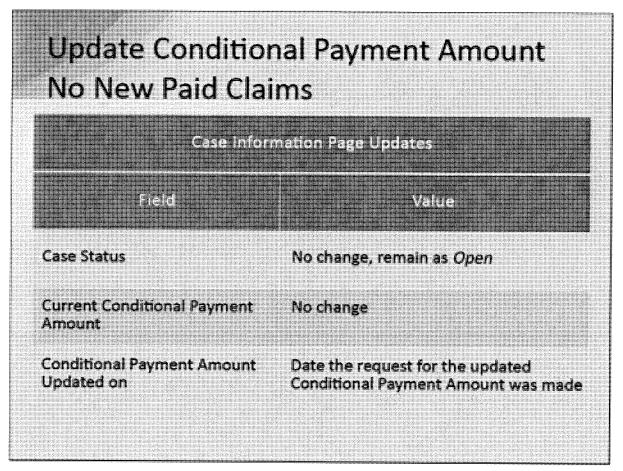
The Beneficiary HICN will be partially masked.

The MSPRP will process the request within 3-5 days.

Click [Continue] to return to the Case Information page.

Note: If this action is selected for a case in the Final Conditional Payment (Final CP) process with a Final Conditional Payment Status set to Active, a mailed copy of the Notice of Anticipated Settlement letter and Payment Summary Form will be created instead.

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#### Slide notes

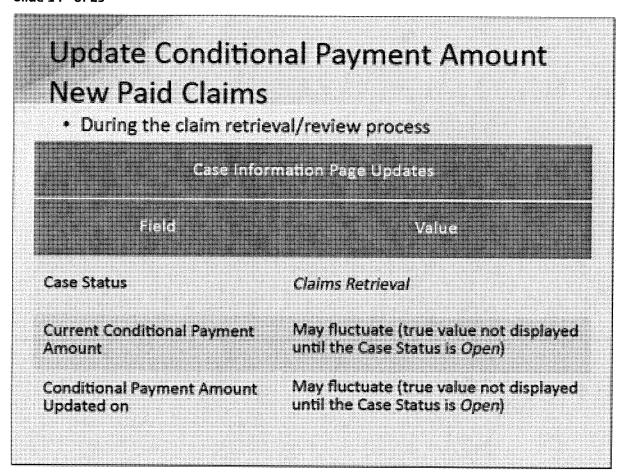
While the request is being processed, the MSPRP Case Information page will be updated in different ways depending on if there are/are not new paid claims.

These updates will not occur immediately.

If there are no new paid claims, the Case Information page will be updated as follows:

- Case Status will remain Open (no change);
- Current Conditional Payment Amount will not change; and
- Conditional Payment Amount Updated on is revised to reflect the date the request for the updated Conditional Payment Amount was made.

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#### Slide notes

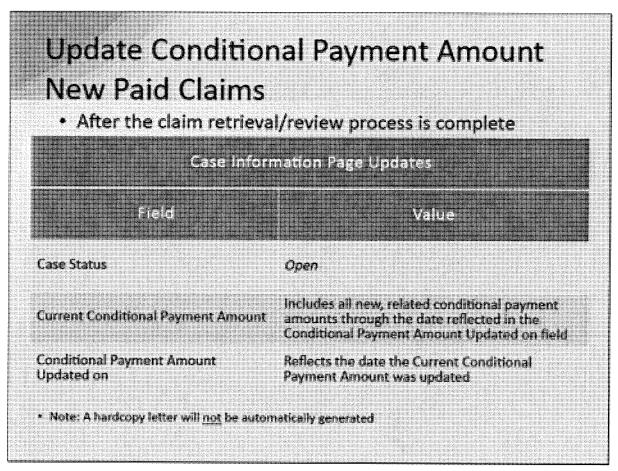
If there are new paid claims, Medicare will review them to determine if they are related to the case.

During the claim retrieval/review process, the Case Status on the Case Information page is changed to Claims Retrieval.

The Current Conditional Payment Amount and Conditional Payment Amount Updated on may fluctuate.

The true updated values will not be displayed until the Case Status has changed back to Open.

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#### Slide notes

After the retrieval and review process is complete, the Case Information page will be updated as follows:

- Case Status is changed to Open;
- Current Conditional Payment Amount is revised to include all new, related conditional payment amounts through the date reflected in the Conditional Payment Amount Updated on field; and
- Conditional Payment Amount Updated on is revised to reflect the date the Current Conditional Payment Amount was updated.

Note: A hardcopy letter will not be automatically generated after the conditional payment amount is updated.

If you require a hardcopy letter with the updated conditional payment information,

select the Request a copy of the conditional payment letter action on the Case Information page after the Current Conditional Payment Amount has been updated.

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# When to Request a Copy of the Conditional Payment Letter

Request when a written report is required that includes

- Current Conditional Payment Amount
- A listing of claims that comprise that amount



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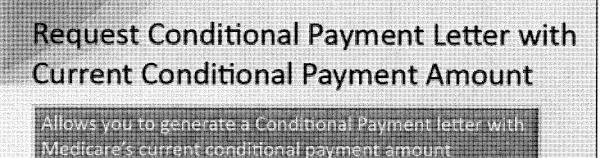
#### Slide notes

The Conditional Payment letter may be requested when there is a need for a written report that includes the Current Conditional Payment Amount and/or a listing of claims that comprise that amount.

Please note that a printed copy of the Current Conditional Payment Amount and Conditional Payment Amount Updated on date may be obtained by selecting Print this page on the Case Information page.

Additionally, a printed copy of the claims included in the Current Conditional Payment Amount may be obtained by selecting Print this page on the Claims Listing page.

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Will not update the Current Conditional Payment Amount prior to the letter being generated

#### Slide notes

The Request a mailed copy of the conditional payment letter action allows you to generate a Conditional Payment letter.

This letter identifies Medicare's Current Conditional Payment Amount as of the date reflected in the Current Conditional Payment Updated on field. This request will not update the Current Conditional Payment Amount.

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# Request Conditional Payment Letter with Current Conditional Payment Amount

### Request can only be performed when

- Case Status is Open
- Current Conditional Payment Amount is greater than zero
- No claims on the Case Listing page are in dispute

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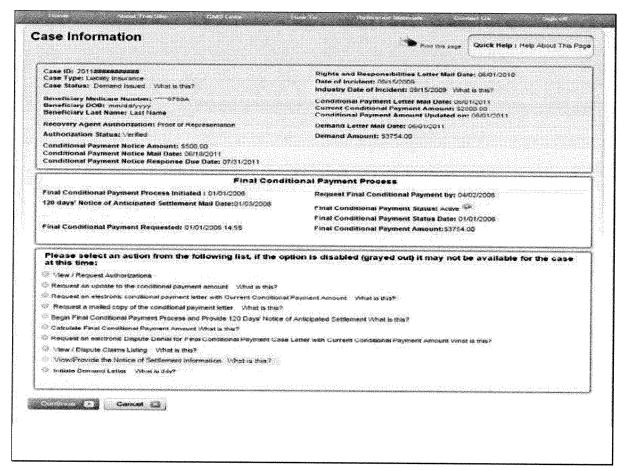
The Request a mailed copy of the conditional payment letter action can only be performed when:

- Case Status on the Case Information page is Open;
- Current Conditional Payment Amount on the Case Information page is greater than zero; and
- No claims on the Case Listing page are in dispute.

Note: You cannot request a mailed conditional payment letter once a conditional payment notice has been issued (i.e. unless the CPN was issued in error).

A conditional payment notice is issued on a case when settlement information has been received with Medicare and a conditional payment letter has not been issued previously.

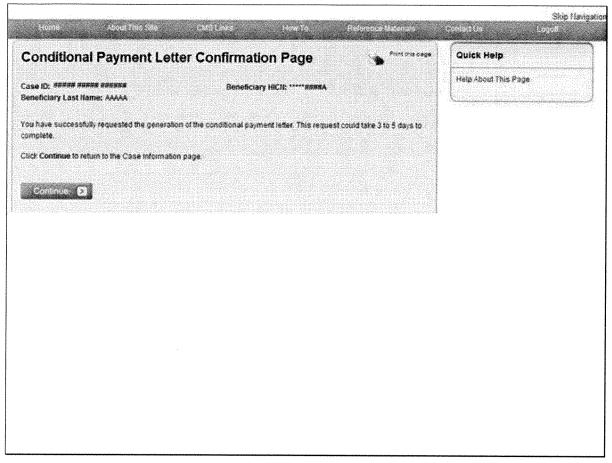
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#### Slide notes

To request a mailed copy of the conditional payment letter, go to the Case Information page on the MSPRP for the case and select the Request a mailed copy of the conditional payment letter action.

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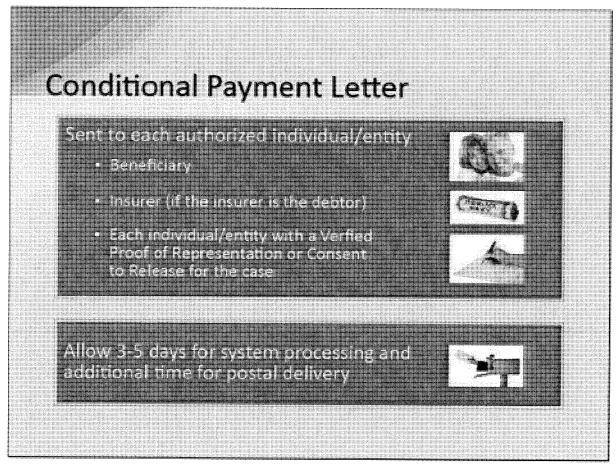
The Conditional Payment Letter Confirmation page displays.

This page confirms that you have successfully submitted a request for a Conditional Payment letter.

The Case ID, Beneficiary Last Name and Beneficiary HICN (Health Insurance Claim Number) for the case are displayed at the top of the page.

Click [Continue] to return to the Case Information page.

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#### Slide notes

The letter will be mailed to each authorized individual/entity

(i.e., the beneficiary, the insurer if the insurer is the debtor, and each individual/entity with a Verified Proof of Representation or Consent to Release on file for the case).

Please allow 3-5 days for the system to process this request and additional time for postal delivery.

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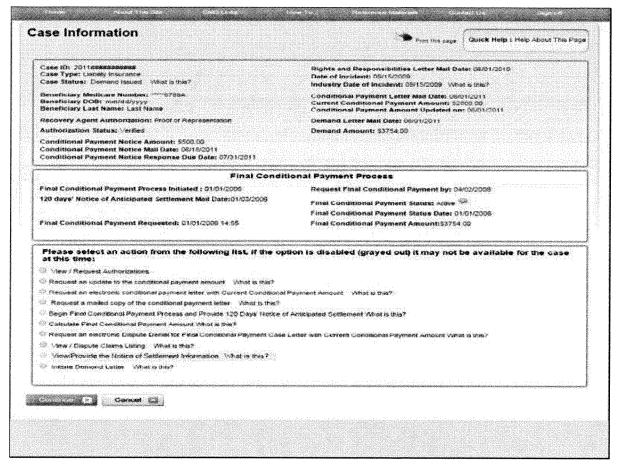
Conditional Payment Letter	
Case Information Page Updates	
Field	Value
Case Status	No change, remain as <i>Open</i>
Current Conditional Payment Amount	No change
Conditional Payment Amount Updated on	No Change
Conditional Payment Letter Mail Date	Date the letter was requested

#### Slide notes

The following updates will be made to the Case Information page:

- Case Status No change, will remain as Open;
- Current Conditional Payment Amount No change;
- Conditional Payment Amount Updated on No change; and
- Conditional Payment Letter Mail Date is revised to the date the letter was requested.

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#### Slide notes

As previously noted, when the Request a mailed copy of the conditional payment letter action is selected, the MSPRP will NOT automatically update the Current Conditional Payment Amount.

To obtain an updated Conditional Payment letter that reflects an updated Conditional Payment Amount, select the Request an update to the conditional payment amount action first.

Wait until the Current Conditional Payment Amount on the Case Information page has been updated (generally 3-5 days).

Return to the Case Information page. When the Case Status has changed from Claim Retrieval back to Open, select Request a copy of the conditional payment letter.

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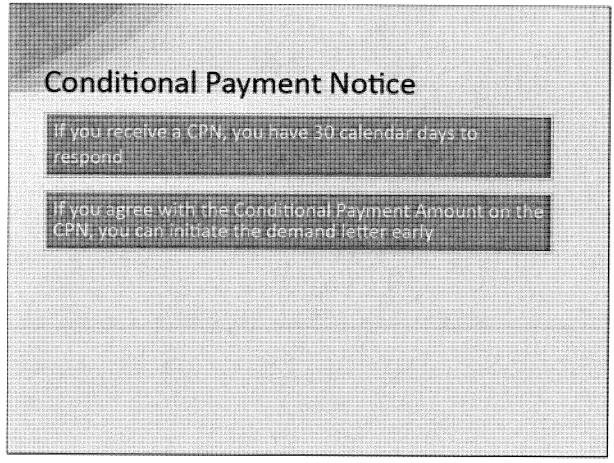
#### Slide notes

If you need a copy of the Conditional Payment letter and the conditional payment amount is zero, you must mail, fax, or phone your request to the following address/fax/phone:

Liability Insurance, No-Fault Insurance, Workers' Compensation: NGHP, PO Box 138832, Oklahoma City, OK 73113.

The Fax Number is (405) 869-3309 and the Phone Number is (855) 798-2627.

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#### Slide notes

The beneficiary will receive a Conditional Payment Notice (CPN) instead of a CPL when a settlement, judgment, award, or other payment has already occurred when the beneficiary first reports the case.

A CPN will also be issued to the beneficiary `when the BCRC is notified of settlement, judgement, award or other payment through an insurer/workers' compensation entity's Medicare, Medicaid, and SCHIP Extension Act (MMSEA) Section 111 report.

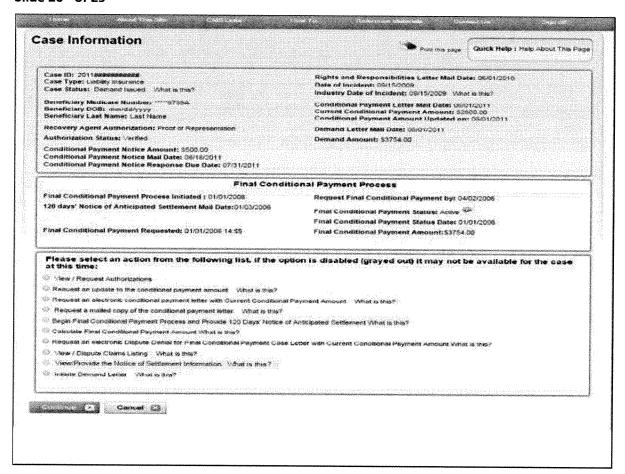
The insurer will receive a CPN when the insurer has notified CMS that it has primary payment responsibility for certain care and Medicare has made conditional payments.

This notification may be through MMSEA Section 111 Reporting or other notification made to the BCRC (i.e., telephone call or written correspondence).

The CPN provides conditional payment information and advises what actions must be taken. After the CPN has been issued, the debtor has 30 days to respond before the demand will be issued.

However, if you receive a CPN and agree with the Conditional Payment Amount listed in the letter, you have the option to initiate the demand process early.

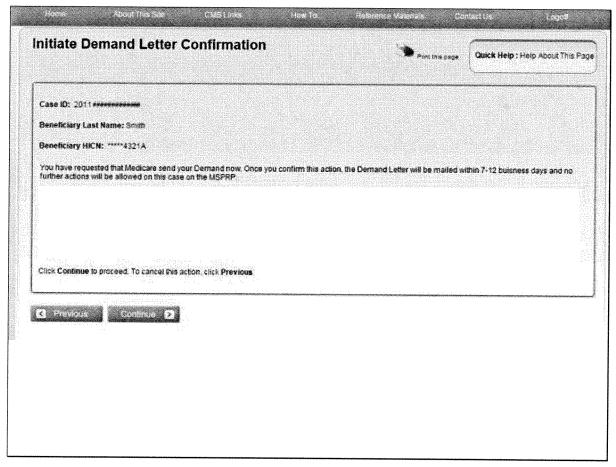
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#### Slide notes

Click the Initiate Demand Letter action on the Case Information page and click [Continue].

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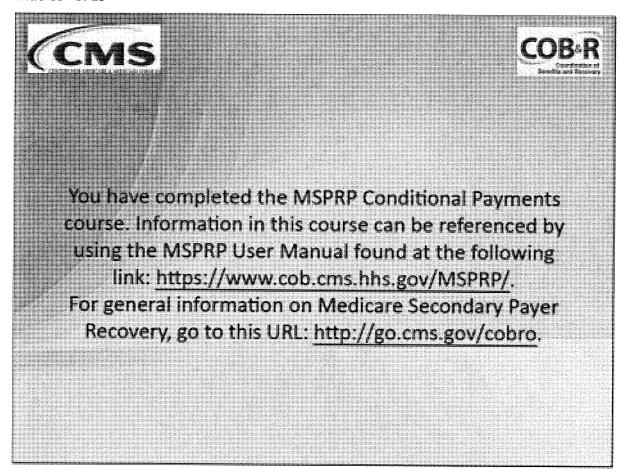
#### Slide notes

The Initiate Demand Letter Confirmation page displays. Click [Continue] to submit the request. The demand letter will be mailed to each authorized entity.

If the CPN was issued by the Benefits Coordination & Recovery Center (BCRC), please allow 7-12 business days for the system to process this request.

If the CPN was issued by the Commercial Repayment Center (CRC), please allow 10-15 business days for the system to process this request.

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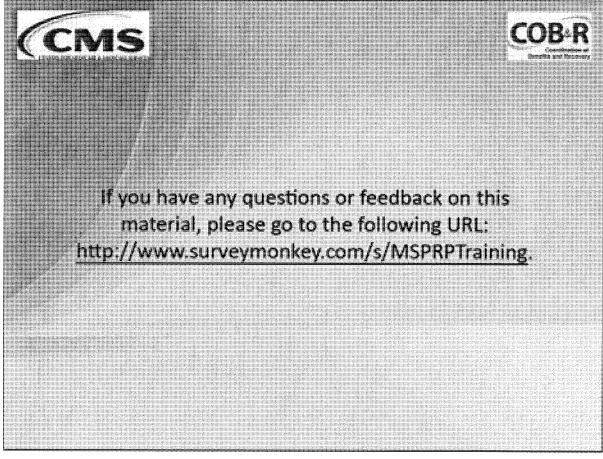


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For general information on Medicare Secondary Payer Recovery, go to this URL: http://go.cms.gov/cobro.

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