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Hello,

You are receiving this follow-up notice because your primary care doctor participates in a Medicare Shared Savings Program (MSSP) Accountable Care Organization (ACO). It is a formal requirement by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) under MSSP to provide this information to you.

An ACO is a group of health care providers who agree to work together with Medicare to give you the best possible care by making sure they have the most up-to-date information about your health. For you, this means your providers communicate more effectively with each other, and you avoid duplicate tests or repeated answers to the same questions.

During your first visit you received an official document created by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) explaining what it means for a patient to be part of an ACO and giving you the opportunity to opt out of some data sharing. As a reminder, our health care organization is participating in the ACO, not you as a patient. There is no cost to you, and nothing about your Medicare benefits or coverage is changing.

No action is needed, but if you have any questions, let's talk at your next appointment. You can also call 1-800-MEDICARE. TTY users can call 1-877-486-2048.

Thank you for being our patient!