Detailed Notice of Discharge

Date:

Patient name:     Patient number:

This notice gives a detailed explanation of why your hospital or Medicare health plan has determined Medicare coverage for your hospital stay should end. This notice is not the decision on your appeal. The decision on your appeal will come from your Quality Improvement Organization (QIO).

We have reviewed your case and decided that Medicare coverage of your hospital stay should end.

- The facts used to make this decision:

- Detailed explanation of why your hospital stay is no longer covered, and the specific Medicare coverage rules and policy used to make this decision:

- Plan policy, provision, or rationale used in making the decision (health plans only):

If you would like a copy of the policy or coverage guidelines used to make this decision, or a copy of the documents sent to the QIO, please call us at:

{insert hospital/Medicare health plan name and toll-free telephone number}