

tier transaction requiring the lower-tier participant's compliance with 2 CFR part 180, as supplemented by this subpart.

**§ 376.370 What are the obligations of Medicare carriers and intermediaries?**

Because Medicare carriers, intermediaries and other Medicare contractors undertake responsibilities on behalf of the Medicare program (Title XVIII of the Social Security Act), these entities assume the same obligations and responsibilities as the HHS Medicare officials responsible for the Medicare Program with respect to actions under 2 CFR part 376. This would include the requirement for these entities to check the Excluded Parties List System (EPLS) and take necessary steps to effect this part.

**Subpart D—Responsibilities of Federal Agency Officials Regarding Transactions**

**§ 376.437 What method do I use to communicate to a participant the requirements described in the OMB guidance at 2 CFR 180.435?**

To communicate to a participant the requirements described in 2 CFR 180.435, you must include a term or condition in the transaction that requires the participant's compliance with subpart C of 2 CFR part 180, as supplemented by subpart C of this part, and require the participant to include a similar term or condition in lower-tier covered transactions.

**Subpart E—Excluded Parties List System [Reserved]**

**Subpart F—General Principles Relating to Suspension and Debarment Actions [Reserved]**

**Subpart G—Suspension [Reserved]**

**Subpart H—Debarment [Reserved]**

**Subpart I—Definitions**

**§ 376.935 Disqualified. (HHS supplement to government-wide definition at 2 CFR 180.935).**

*Disqualified* means persons prohibited from participating in specified federal procurement and nonprocurement transactions pursuant to the statutes listed in 2 CFR 180.935, and pursuant to Title XI of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1320a-7, 1320a-7a, 1320c-5, and 1395ccc) as enforced by the HHS Office of the Inspector General.

**§ 376.995 Principal (HHS supplement to government-wide definition at 2 CFR 180.995).**

*Principal* means individuals, in addition to those listed at 2 CFR 180.995, who participate in HHS covered transactions including:

- (a) Providers of federally required audit services; and
- (b) Researchers.

**Subpart J [Reserved]**

**PART 382—REQUIREMENTS FOR DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE (FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE)**

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