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# Working Draft: Ad-Hoc Consumer Advisory Group

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January 22, 2016

* **Topic**: Welcome and Agenda Setting
* **Review**:
  + The purpose of the group and the road map
  + CMS Cycle IV objectives for CompareMaine
  + MHDO priorities for upcoming 2.0 and 3.0 releases of CompareMaine
  + Review of feedback from CompareMaine survey and contact form
* **Discussion**
  + Different paths or data displays for different audiences like consumers and professionals
  + The best way to display multiple cost components of a procedures (for example, facility charges, professional charges)

March 2016

* **Topic**: Data Display
* **Review**:
  + Current surgical procedures on CompareMaine
  + The new procedures that will be added to CompareMaine in 2.0 release
  + The concerns raised by hospitals and Insurance Companies regarding the current way costs are displayed.
  + Planned enhancements made to site as part of 2.0 release
* **Discussion**
  + Inclusion of the number of times a procedure was performed in the data display
  + Summary of issues regarding the reporting of Physical Therapy and how best to explain on CompareMaine

May 2016

* **Topic**: New Types of Data & Provider Types
* **Review**
  + Current Facility Types
  + Request to add individual providers to CompareMaine-challenges and opportunities
* **Discussion**
  + Options for including cost estimates for dental procedures
  + Additional quality measure to consider

July 2016

* **Topic**: CompareMaine 3.0
* **Review**
  + Upcoming enhancements
  + Screen shots of changes
* **Discussion**
  + Pros and cons of 3.0
  + Recommendation on best approach

September 2016

* **Topic**: CompareMaine 3.0
* **Review**
  + Progress to date
  + Remaining items to consider
* **Discussion**
  + To be determined based on work done since previous meeting

October 2016 (tentative)

* **Topic**: Celebrate Achievements and Discuss Next Steps
* **Review**
  + The launch of CompareMaine 3.0
  + The work accomplished by the group
* **Discussion**
  + Next Steps