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The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) recently finalized the Calendar Year (CY) 2027 Medicare Physician Fee Schedule, which included a 20% cut for services reported on the same day with Modifier 25. Modifier 25 increases patient access to care by enabling physicians to manage multiple conditions in a single patient visit.

Practices facing continued Medicare payment reductions may need to limit the number of Medicare beneficiaries they can serve, reduce services or staffing, delay investments in equipment and technology, consolidate with larger health systems or close altogether. For patients, these pressures could mean fewer physician choices, reduced access to community-based care, and greater difficulty getting timely, coordinated care close to home.

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