





QTSO MEMORANDUM

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TO: QIES State Coordinators

CC: CMS Central and Regional Office Contacts

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DATE: June 15, 2023

SUBJECT: ASPEN 12.4.1 Thin Install Availability

The ASPEN 12.4.1 release will be deployed to production on Saturday, June 24 2023. State and CMS staff can begin using ASPEN 12.4.1 by the start of business on Monday, June 26, 2023.

This release includes executables for ACO and ACTS.

Thin Install Download Information

Thin installs will be posted to the ASPEN website by close of business on Friday, June 16 to allow for your agency's release planning. The download links below will be active once the thin install files have been posted on June 16.

Note: No action is necessary by CMS users – these upgrades are automatically applied to your CMS systems and should not be downloaded separately.

ACO

http://star.alpinetg.com/upgrade/Thin/ACO12.4.1 PR1 Thin.zip

ACTS

http://star.alpinetg.com/upgrade/Thin/ACTS12.4.1 PR1 Thin.zip

Thin install instructions are provided in the quick install guides, which are available on the QTSO website at https://qtso.cms.gov/software/aspen/reference-manuals.

Release Information

Detailed descriptions of the application updates and regulation set changes were provided in QTSO Memo 20203-029.

Questions?

If you have any questions concerning this information, please contact the ASPEN Help Desk at iqies@cms.hhs.gov or 1 (888) 477-7876.