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A new GMCB Public Comment has been received.

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Name: Don Stratton Affiliation: Town/City: Bristol, VT

Topic: Accountable Care Organization

Comment: I would like you to delay approving the budget for the ACO-REACH programs. It seems like a backdoor avenue to privatize traditional medicare. At the very least, the contracts between ACOs and the providers should be public so we can see what incentives are being offered and how that may or may not affect patient care.

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