



Modern Software Delivery for the U.S. Government

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Innovate faster with less risk

LaunchDarkly's feature management platform lets you deliver applications with greater agility, security, and control.

- Enable low-risk, compliant CI/CD**
Continuously deliver incremental software changes with virtually no risk. Test in production safely.
- Remediate quickly with instant rollbacks**
Mitigate risk when rolling out new functionality. Catch problems early and resolve them automatically.
- Advance platform standardization**
Standardize safe, efficient, compliant releases by making feature management a core part of your platform.
- Migrate and modernize applications safely**
Gradually migrate infrastructure to the cloud and refactor applications with feature flags.

Build and deliver better software faster

Run canary tests in a controlled environment, gather feedback, and iterate. Avoid surprises when making software changes.

- Reduce developer cognitive load**
The LaunchDarkly safety net allows developers at federal agencies to ship code to production frequently without fear. They can spend less time stressing and more time building.
- Improve reliability**
Avoid major disruptions. If a software change causes production errors, hit a kill switch (feature flag) to resolve the issue in 200ms—without having to redeploy your application.
- Stay FedRAMP-compliant**
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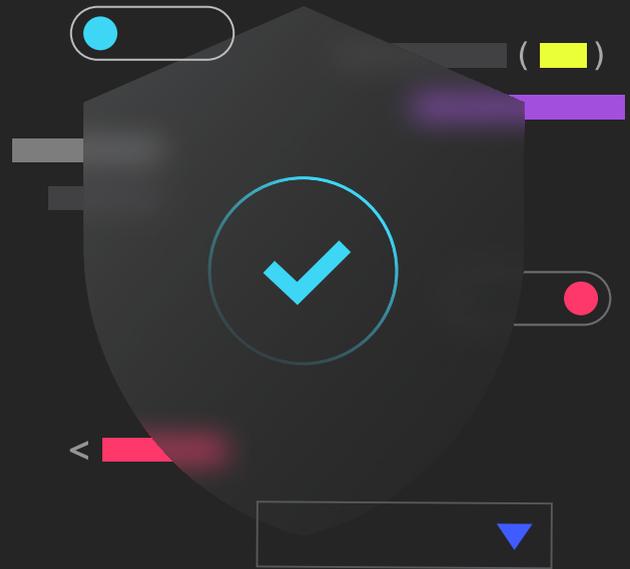
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CASE STUDY

CMS builds better software faster with less risk.



CMS and digital innovation

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is part of the Department of Health and Human Services and administers programs such as Medicare, Medicaid, the Children's Health Insurance Program, and the Health Insurance Marketplace. The agency uses LaunchDarkly for a wide range of use cases. LaunchDarkly helps CMS control digital user experiences, drive business value, improve the overall efficiency of software delivery, and reduce the risks associated with code deployments.

How CMS leverages feature management

Millions of people enroll in Medicare benefits annually. CMS uses LaunchDarkly to control user experiences leading up to and during Open Enrollment, the most heavily-trafficked period of the year. Their developers can safely deploy and test code in production in advance, thus reducing the number of surprises.

CMS also used LaunchDarkly to gradually roll out a new global header for Medicare.gov. Six application teams were involved with this substantial launch. Normally, they would only release new major features once a quarter. But with the LaunchDarkly safety net, they were able to perform six launches associated with the global header in a single day.

Results

Since using LaunchDarkly feature flags, multiple teams at CMS have improved and personalized the digital user experience across various applications. Moreover, they've increased their deployment and release frequency while mitigating risk in the process. Not only that, CMS has increased the efficiency and quality of software testing. And they've been able to hide broken code without disrupting users. All of this has helped CMS in their mission to give millions of Americans access to healthcare.



100 hours saved over six months by one team



24M+ beneficiaries enrolled in Medicare supported by the Plan Finder



7 minutes to roll out the next year's Medicare Plans



6 different ADOs launched global header in a day

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