Quality Payment

CMS Web Interface Support Calls for ACOs, Groups, and Virtual Groups Reporting 2021 Quality Data & CMS Web Interface Transition Webinars

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) are hosting a series of transition webinars for the sunsetting of the CMS Web Interface and support calls for groups, virtual groups, and APM Entities (including Shared Savings Program Accountable Care Organizations (ACOs)) that are reporting data for the quality performance category through the CMS Web Interface for the 2021 performance period.

The CMS Web Interface is a secure, internet-based data submission mechanism for registered groups and virtual groups with 25 or more eligible clinicians, and APM Entities.

The transition webinars will provide information regarding other options available under MIPS to report quality data. The support calls will highlight important information and updates on reporting quality data. Groups, virtual groups, and APM Entities will have an opportunity to engage in Q&A sessions with CMS subject matter experts during the transition webinars and support calls.

The submission period opens on January 3, 2022 at 10 a.m. ET and closes on March 31, 2022 at 8 p.m. ET.

Accessing the CMS Web Interface Transition Webinars and Support Calls

If you're part of a group, virtual group, or APM Entity that will be submitting quality data to CMS through the CMS Web Interface and you would like to join the transition webinars and support calls, please register through the links provided below.

You can listen to each webinar and/or support call from your computer or via phone. Each presentation will be followed by a Q&A session where attendees will have an opportunity to ask questions via phone and the questions box. Subject matter experts will address as many questions as time allows.

If you encounter any issues with registration or technical issues with your computer during a support call, please send an e-mail to cmsQualityTeam@ketchum.com.

Transition Webinars for the Sunsetting of the CMS Web Interface – Registration Links NOTE: Both transition webinars listed below will be held on Wednesdays from 1 p.m. - 2 p.m. ET.

- February 2, 2022
- February 16, 2022

Bi-Weekly Support Calls – Registration Links

NOTE: All bi-weekly support calls listed below will be held on Wednesdays from 1 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. ET.

- January 26, 2022
- February 23, 2022
- March 23, 2022

- February 9, 2022
- March 9, 2022

2021 CMS Web Interface Measure Specifications

NOTE: There are no substantive changes to the 2021 CMS Web Interface measure specifications; however, the 2021 CMS Web Interface supporting documents reflect annual coding updates. Please ensure that your group, virtual group, or APM Entity reviews the 2021 CMS Web Interface Measure Specifications and Supporting Documentation to become familiar with the coding changes and

be prepared to meet the reporting requirements in accordance to the 2021 CMS Web Interface specifications.

For the MIPS clinical quality measures (MIPS CQMs) and electronic clinical quality measures (eCQMs) that are equivalent to the CMS Web Interface measures, there are substantive changes to their 2021 measure specifications; however, such substantive changes weren't applied to the CMS Web Interface measure specifications and aren't applicable to CMS Web Interface reporting for the 2021 performance period.

Need More Information Or Assistance?

Please contact the Quality Payment Program at 1-866-288-8292 (TTY 1-877-715- 6222), available Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. - 8 p.m. ET or by email at QPP@cms.hhs.gov.

• To receive assistance more quickly, please consider calling during non-peak hours – before 10 a.m. and after 2 p.m. ET.

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