

Practice Management Center

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2019 MIPS Reporting options

Small Practice (15 providers or fewer)

Based on your desired outcome of avoiding the penalty, achieving a minimal incentive, or getting the maximum incentive use the chart below to determine what you must report in each MIPS category to get the score needed. NOTE, MACRA includes all payers, not only Medicare if you are reporting via registry or EHR.

INSTRUCTIONS <i>Report the requirements in each category at right to achieve the total points needed for the desired outcome below.</i>	Quality Category (45% of MIPS score) <i>*Note, 6 bonus points are automatically added to the numerator for small practice</i>		Improvement Activity (IA) Category (15% of MIPS score) <i>*Note, must be engaged in activity for minimum 90 consecutive days; last day to begin is Oct 2, 2019.</i>	Promoting Interoperability (PI) Category (25% of MIPS score) <i>*Note, must be engaged in activity for minimum 90 consecutive days; last day to begin is Oct 2, 2019. **Note, can claim an exclusion if appropriate.</i>	Cost Category (15% of MIPS score)	Total Points Achieved
	Report via claims or DataDerm		Report via DataDerm	Report via DataDerm	N/A	
AVOIDING 7% PENALTY (30 POINTS)	WITHOUT AN EHR	5 quality measures one time each (eligible encounters between Jan 1 – Dec 31, 2019) 15.75 points	1 high-weighted improvement activity 15 points	Not applicable for this reporting option.	CMS will automatically assess and add to final MIPS score.	30.75 points
	WITH AN EHR	2 quality measures one time each (eligible encounters between Jan 1 – Dec 31, 2019) 9 points	Not required for this reporting option.	6 PI measures from each of the 4 objectives for all eligible patients as noted below: • e-Prescribing: PI_EP_1** <i>Additional bonus measures available for e-Prescribing (total 10 points possible)</i> • Health Information Exchange: PI_HIE_1** AND PI_HIE_4** • Provider to Patient Exchange: PI_PEA_1 • Public Health and Clinical Data Exchange: PI_PHCDRR_4** AND PI_PHCDRR_5** (DataDerm) 25 points	CMS will automatically assess and add to final MIPS score.	34 points
ACHIEVING MINIMAL INCENTIVE (31 – 74 POINTS) <i>* Note, the higher your score, the higher your potential incentive</i>	WITHOUT AN EHR	4 quality measures that can achieve a maximum of 10 points for all eligible encounters for the full year (Jan 1 – Dec 31, 2019) 34.49 points	Not required for this reporting option.	Not applicable for this reporting option.	CMS will automatically assess and add to final MIPS score.	34.49 points
		2 quality measures that can achieve a maximum of 10 points for all eligible encounters for the full year (Jan 1 – Dec 31, 2019) 19.49 points	1 high-weighted improvement activity 15 points	Not applicable for this reporting option.	CMS will automatically assess and add to final MIPS score.	34.49 points
	WITH AN EHR	Not applicable for this reporting option.	1 high-weighted improvement activity 15 points	5 PI measures from each of the 4 objectives for all eligible patients as noted below: • e-Prescribing: PI_EP_1** <i>Additional bonus measures available for e-Prescribing (total 10 points possible)</i> • Health Information Exchange: PI_HIE_1** OR PI_HIE_4** <i>Additional 20 points available for doing both HIE measures</i> • Provider to Patient Exchange: PI_PEA_1 • Public Health and Clinical Data Exchange: PI_PHCDRR_4** AND PI_PHCDRR_5** (DataDerm) 20 points	CMS will automatically assess and add to final MIPS score.	35 points
ACHIEVING 7% MAXIMUM INCENTIVE: (75+ POINTS) <i>* Note, the higher your score (maximum 100 points), the higher your potential incentive</i>	WITHOUT AN EHR	Apply for and be approved for EHR hardship to have this category re-weighted to the quality category (quality now 70%) PLUS 5 quality measures that can achieve a maximum of 10 points for all eligible encounters for the full year (Jan 1 – Dec 31, 2019) 65.33 points	1 high-weighted improvement activity 15 points	This category weight would be added to quality category if approved for EHR hardship exemption.	CMS will automatically assess and add to final MIPS score.	80.33 points
	WITH AN EHR	5 quality measures that can achieve a maximum of 10 points for all eligible encounters for the full year (Jan 1 – Dec 31, 2019) 41.9 points	1 high-weighted improvement activity 15 points	5 PI measures from each of the 4 objectives for all eligible patients: • e-Prescribing: PI_EP_1** <i>Additional bonus measures available for e-Prescribing (total 10 points possible)</i> • Health Information Exchange: PI_HIE_1** OR PI_HIE_4** <i>Additional 20 points available for doing both HIE measures</i> • Provider to Patient Exchange: PI_PEA_1 • Public Health and Clinical Data Exchange: PI_PHCDRR_4** AND PI_PHCDRR_5** (DataDerm) 20 points	CMS will automatically assess and add to final MIPS score.	76.9 points

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