2023 AQI SUPPORTED IMPROVEMENT ACTIVITIES FOR ANESTHESIOLOGY

The table below contains Improvement Activities that are supported by the Anesthesia Quality Institute (AQI) National Anesthesia Clinical Outcomes Registry for the 2023 performance year. For a full list and specifications please visit the Quality Payment Program website (https://qpp.cms.gov/mips/improvement-activities?py=2023). Improvement Activities with an asterisk (*) indicate a high weighted activity. Visit the ASA MACRA Website for more information on MIPS requirements.

Activity ID	Activity Title
IA_AHE_1*	Engagement of New Medicaid Patients and Follow-up
IA_AHE_5	MIPS Eligible Clinician Leadership in Clinical Trials or CBPR
IA_AHE_6*	Provide education opportunities for new clinicians
IA_AHE_8*	Create and Implement an Anti-Racism Plan (High)
IA_AHE_10	Adopt Certified Health Information Technology for Security Tags for Electronic Health Record Data
IA_AHE_11*	Create and Implement a Plan to Improve Care for Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer Patients
IA_BE_1	Use of certified E H R to capture patient reported outcomes
IA_BE_6*	Collection and follow-up on patient experience and satisfaction data on beneficiary engagement
IA_BE_12	Use evidence-based decision aids to support shared decision-making
IA_BE_14*	Engage patients and families to guide improvement in the system of care
IA_BE_15	Engagement of patients, family and caregivers in developing a plan of care
IA_BE_16	Evidenced-based techniques to promote self-management into usual care
IA_BE_22	Improved practices that engage patients pre-visit
IA_BE_25*	Drug Cost Transparency
IA_BMH_2	Tobacco Use
IA_BMH_4	Depression screening
IA_BMH_9*	Unhealthy Alcohol Use for Patients with Co-occurring Conditions of Mental Health and Substance Abuse and Ambulatory Care Patients
IA_BMH_11	Implementation of a Trauma-Informed Care (TIC) Approach to Clinical Practice (Medium)

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IA_BMH_12*	Promoting Clinician Well-Being (High)
IA_BMH_13	Obtain or Renew an Approved Waiver for Provision of Buprenorphine as Medication-Assisted Treatment for Opioid Use Disorder
IA_CC_2	Implementation of improvements that contribute to more timely communication of test results
IA_CC_8	Implementation of documentation improvements for practice/process improvements
IA_CC_15*	PSH Care Coordination
IA_CC_18	Relationship-Centered Communication
IA_CC_19*	Tracking of clinician's relationship to and responsibility for a patient by reporting MACRA patient relationship codes.
IA_EPA_1*	Provide 24/7 access to eligible clinicians or groups who have real-time access to patient's medical record
IA_EPA_2	Use of telehealth services that expand practice access
IA_EPA_3	Collection and use of patient experience and satisfaction data on access
IA_EPA_6*	Create and Implement a Language Access Plan
IA_ERP_1	Participation on Disaster Medical Assistance Team, registered for 6 months.
IA_ERP_2*	Participation in a 60-day or greater effort to support domestic or international humanitarian needs.
IA_ERP_3*	COVID-19 Clinical Data Reporting with or without Clinical Trial
IA_ERP_4	Implementation of a Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Plan (Medium)
IA_ERP_6	COVID-19 Vaccine Achievement for Practice Staff
IA_PCMH	Electronic submission of Patient Centered Medical Home accreditation
IA_PM_11	Regular review practices in place on targeted patient population needs
IA_PM_14	Implementation of methodologies for improvements in longitudinal care management for high risk patients
IA_PM_15	Implementation of episodic care management practice improvements

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IA_PM_16	Implementation of medication management practice improvements
IA_PM_17	Participation in population health research
IA_PM_18	Provide Clinical-Community Linkages
IA_PM_21	Advance care planning
IA_PSPA_1	Participation in an AHRQ-listed patient safety organization
IA_PSPA_2	Participation in MOC Part IV
IA_PSPA_3	Participate in IHI Training/Forum Event; National Academy of Medicine, AHRQ Team STEPPS® or other similar activity
IA_PSPA_4	Administration of the AHRQ Survey of Patient Safety Culture
IA_PSPA_7	Use of QCDR data for ongoing practice assessment and improvements
IA_PSPA_8	Use of patient safety tools
IA_PSPA_9	Completion of the AMA STEPS Forward program
IA_PSPA_12	Participation in private payer CPIA
IA_PSPA_13	Participation in Joint Commission Evaluation Initiative
IA_PSPA_16	Use of decision support and standardized treatment protocols
IA_PSPA_18	Measurement and improvement at the practice and panel level
IA_PSPA_19	Implementation of formal quality improvement methods, practice changes or other practice improvement processes
IA_PSPA_21	Implementation of fall screening and assessment programs
IA_PSPA_22*	CDC Training on CDC's Guideline for Prescribing Opioids for Chronic Pain
IA_PSPA_23*	Completion of CDC Training on Antibiotic Stewardship
IA_PSPA_25	Cost Display for Laboratory and Radiographic Orders
IA_PSPA_27	Invasive Procedure or Surgery Anticoagulation Medication Management

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IA_PSPA_28	Completion of an Accredited Safety or Quality Improvement Program
IA_PSPA_29*	Consulting AUC Using Clinical Decision Support when Ordering Advanced Diagnostic Imaging
IA_PSPA_31*	Patient Medication Risk Education
IA_PSPA_32*	Use of CDC Guideline for Clinical Decision Support to Prescribe Opioids for Chronic Pain via Clinical Decision Support

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