Quality Reporting Office Hours

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Agenda

AQI Update

- 2017 MIPS Data Submission Update

- 2018 Quality Reporting Registration/Deadlines

- NACOR News

- Office Hour Recordings

- Benefits of reporting quality data

QRA Update

- 2018 MIPS Eligibility Tool Demo

AQI – 2017 MIPS Data Submission to CMS Update

- AQI submitted data for 19,982 providers from 581 practices in March

- CMS will be releasing the **final** 2017 MIPS scores on **July 1, 2018**

- Need to have an EIDM account with CMS to view results. EIDM accounts can be obtained through the CMS enterprise portal. Select "PQRS: Physician Quality Reporting System" when asked to "Choose your application."

- Current reports in the CMS portal may not be reflective of your final MIPS score.

- Benchmarks for several measures are expected to be calculated using data submitted during 2017.

- We expect the calculation of benchmarks using 2017 performance data to result in a modest improvement of final MIPS scores.

AQI – 2018 Quality Reporting Registration

- For those enrolled in 2017 the Participation Agreements auto renew

- All new and returning practices who would like to enroll for 2018 reporting need to complete the 2018 order form: https://form.jotform.com/80196575850162

  o Will need to select reporting option for 2018:
    – GPRO – QR, GPRO - QCDR
    – Individual – QR, Individual - QCDR

2018 Quality Reporting Resources

- [2018 QCDR Measure Booklet](#)

- [2018 MIPS Measures](#)

- [2018 Recommended Improvement Activities](#)

- 2018 NACOR User Guide – coming soon!

Additional Resources:

- [QPP Website](#)

- [AQI Developers Resources](#)

2018 Quality Reporting Deadlines

2018 NACOR Quality Reporting Deadlines	
10/31/2018	2018 NACOR registration deadline
12/15/2018	Enrollment in Merging and/or Formatting Services
01/31/2019	January – November 2018 Data Submission

02/15/2019	All Data Submissions;
	In NACOR Dashboard:
	    CMS Opt-Out
	    TIN/NPI Reconciliation
	    Improvement Activity Attestation

02/28/2019	Individual Quality Reporting Consent Submission
03/16/2019	If a practice does not pay its final invoice in full by this date, the practice's data may not be submitted to CMS.

AQI – NACOR News

- New look coming soon!
- Will be emailed twice a month instead of weekly
- Focus on quality reporting as well as NACOR Basic with benchmarking

If there are topics you would like us to cover please email your suggestions to askaqi@asahq.org.

AQI – Office Hour Recordings

- Evening office hours discontinued due to low attendance
- Began recording in April
- Available on the AQI website:
  https://www.aqihq.org/MACRAOverview

QRA

- Demonstration of MIPS eligibility tool

AQI: Not MIPS Eligible – Benefits of Quality Reporting

- If exempt from MIPS reporting encouraged to continue to collect quality and outcomes data to build consistent, year over year quality and outcomes data to leverage for ALL reporting requirements such as:

  - Private insurers, hospital and Health Systems have started to require that groups provide quality data for all of their providers before the groups are eligible for fee increases.

  - Insurance carriers such as BCBS of Kansas City will no longer approve any requests to increase anesthesia fees for groups that are Not submitting quality data to BCBS

- Practices can use their quality and clinical outcomes data to assist with the following:

  - Report quality data to private insurers

  - Contract negotiations

  - Support for Merger, Sale and Acquisitions

Next Quality Reporting Office Hours

Tuesday, June 12th

11am CST

11am: https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6864633012486406659

Q&A