



# NACOR Vendor News

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## **2017 NACOR registration and renewal deadline approaching**

Practices renewing for 2017 NACOR Quality Reporting must complete the [online order form](#) by Tuesday, October 31. More information about NACOR Quality Reporting is available on the [NACOR Quality Reporting Options and Mechanisms webpage](#).

## **Miss the AQI vendor webinar?**

Last week's AQI vendor webinar slides are now [available online](#). Learn more about what was addressed in the webinar, including AQI vendor roles, common data file errors and Improvement Activity attestation.

## **Data files merging, formatting services available**

When submitting data, all files must be merged and in xml format. AQI is offering services for practices who need assistance in merging or formatting. Interested practices must schedule a call with AQI and ePreop. Practices must sign up for merging and formatting services by December 15. For more information, email [askaqi@asahq.org](mailto:askaqi@asahq.org).

## **Importance of submitting appropriate measure codes**

When preparing your NACOR data submission, carefully review the CPT codes included in each measure. AQI recently learned that some practices' measure results were not displayed in their NACOR dashboards, as the practices expected, because their data submissions did not contain appropriate CPT codes. AQI's NACOR can only accept CPT codes included in the specifications for each measure. For example, if a given measure requires ASA CPT codes, NACOR cannot accept surgical CPT codes for that measure. If appropriate CPT codes are not submitted, NACOR cannot calculate the measures a practice intends on reporting. For more information on measure specifications, refer to the [2017 QCDR Measure Booklet](#) and [2017 MIPS at a Glance](#).