

Merit Incentive Payment System (MIPS): Advancing Care Information Category

Objectives	Measures – Report at Group/TIN level Note: In 2017 use of EHR certified for 2014 Edition Meaningful Use Stage 2, or 2015 Stage 2 or 3. 2015 Certification required for 2018 reporting yr.	Required for Base Score 50%	Performance Score up to 90%	Reporting Methodology
Security Risk Analysis	Conduct or review a security risk analysis of ePHI data created by EHR, Implement updates, correct deficiencies as needed	Required		Yes Attestation Statement
Electronic Prescribing	Generate and transmit at least 1 permissible prescription electronically that is queried for formulary compliance	Required		Numerator & Denominator
Provide Patient Access	Allow at least 1 patients or their representative timely access to view their health information online	Required	Up to 20%	Numerator & Denominator
Patient Specific Education	Use EHR to identify education resources and provide access to those materials		Up to 10%	Numerator & Denominator
View, Download, Transmit (VDT)	At least 1 patient or authorized representative views, downloads or transmits health information to a third party		Up to 10%	Numerator & Denominator
Secure Messaging	Send or respond to at least 1 patient through e-messaging function of EHR		Up to 10%	Numerator & Denominator
Health Information Exchange	Clinician creates and transmits a summary of care electronically when transitioning or referring at least 1 patient	Required	Up to 20%	Numerator & Denominator
Medication Reconciliation	Clinician performs medication reconciliation for at least one transition of care in which the patient is transitioned into the care of the MIPS eligible clinician		Up to 10%	Numerator & Denominator
Immunization Registry Reporting	Clinician is in active engagement with a public health agency to submit immunization data		0 or 10%	Yes/No Statement
Bonus up to 5-10% reporting the below measures				
	Syndromic Surveillance Reporting – clinician is actively engaged to submit surveillance data to public health agencies		5% Bonus	Yes/No Statement
	Specialized Registry Reporting – clinician is actively engaged in submission to a clinical data registry		5% Bonus	Yes/No Statement
Report certain Improvement Activities using CEHRT			10 % Bonus	Yes/No Statement

Transition from Meaningful Use to ACI: Are you prepared?

YES:

- ONC certified CEHRT for 2014 or 2015
- Attested or prepared to attest for Stage 2 or Stage 3; or you attested to Stage 1 in 2016

MAYBE:

- You have a ONC certified CEHRT for 2014 or 2015, but haven't attested
- Contact your vendor to ensure your CEHRT can meet the ACI requirements and check with ONC to make sure your CEHRT is 2014 or 2015 certified.

NO:

- You're practice is on paper, consider obtaining a 2014 or 2015 CEHRT ASAP

A CEHRT should be:

- Certified by ONC for 2014 or 2015
- Minimum Readiness for ACI in 2017
 - ✓ 4 required measures for 2014 CEHRT
 - ✓ 5 required measures for 2015 CEHRT

Minimum in 2017 to avoid penalty in 2019

- ✓ Remain in FIHN
- ✓ Cooperate with GPRO reporting and improve your practice's measure performance
- ✓ Use CEHRT to report
 - 4 required measures for 2014 CEHRT
 - 5 required measures for 2015 CEHRT
- ✓ Practices unable to successfully report under the ACI section may pull FIHN 's overall score down
- ✓ Strive for performance and bonus rather than just doing the minimum required

*Planning for 2018 – Using 2015 CEHRT which adds 1 additional required measure under Provide Patient Access: *The MIPS eligible clinician ensures the patient's health information is available for the patient (or patient-authorized representative) to access using any application of their choice that is configured to meet the technical specifications of the Application Programming Interface (API) in the MIPS eligible clinician's certified EHR technology*

Minimum in 2018 to avoid penalty in 2020

- ✓ Remain in FIHN
- ✓ Cooperate with GPRO reporting and improve your practice's measure performance
- ✓ Use CEHRT to report on 5 required measures.

Advice:

- Remain in FIHN and improve GPRO performance
- Obtain a CEHRT or ensure your CEHRT is 2014 or 2015 certified
- Understand the required ACI measures and ensure your CEHRT and practice are ready
- DON'T WAIT! give your practice and vendor time to prepare