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The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) and the Inpatient Value, Incentives, and Quality Reporting (VIQR) Outreach and Education Support Contractor are pleased to notify Inpatient Psychiatric Facility Quality Reporting (IPFQR) Program participants that the IPFQR Program Manual Version 7.0 and Release Notes Version 7.0 are available.

The manual provides a comprehensive overview of the IPFQR Program and measure specifications. The manual also gives step-by-step instructions to register for a HCQIS Access Roles and Profile (HARP) account, submit data using the web-based measures application, and understand the IPFQR Program preview report processes. The Release Notes Version 7.0 describes changes to the manual, including the updated HARP registration, vendor management, and notice of participation processes (with the latest images).

The effective date for the IPFQR Program Manual Version 7.0 is January 1, 2022, as it applies to all data to be reported to CMS in calendar year 2023. The IPFQR Program Manual Version 7.0 and Release Notes Version 7.0 are located on the [IPFQR Program Resources and Tools](#) webpage of the *Quality Reporting Center* website. These resources will be available on the [IPFQR Program Manuals](#) page of the *QualityNet* website at a later date.

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