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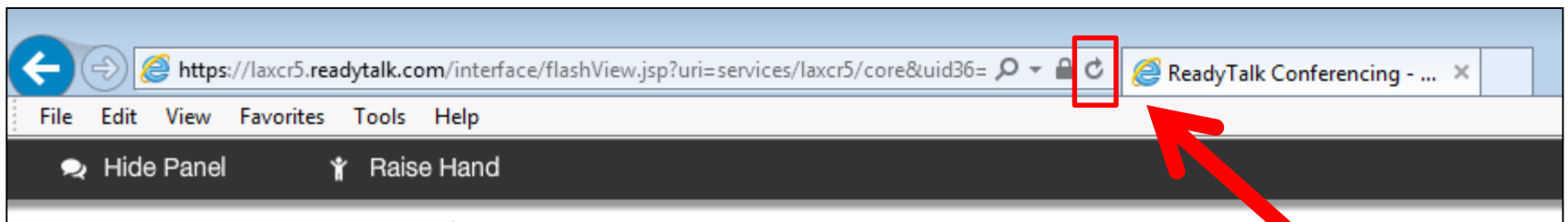
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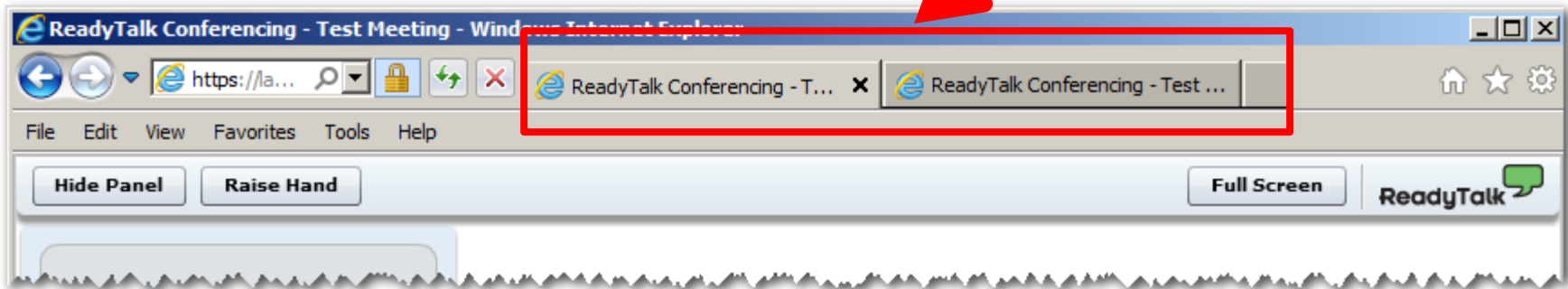


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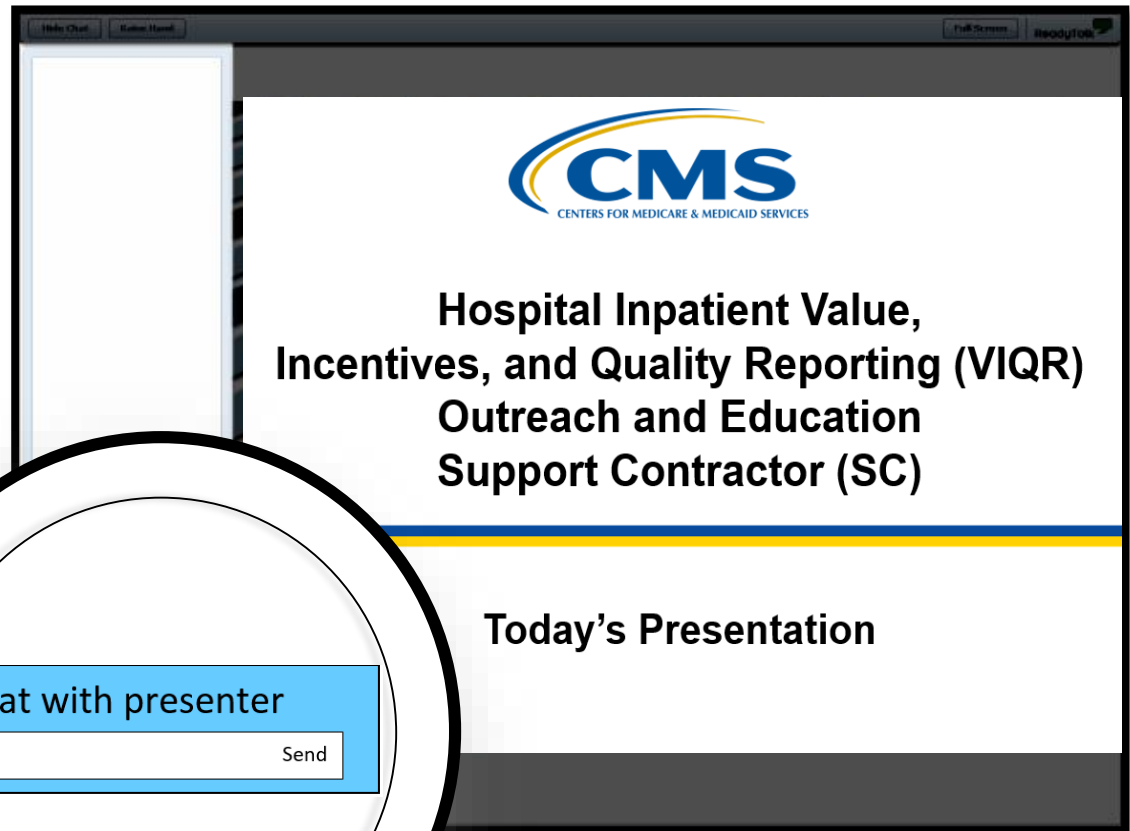
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# **Question and Answer Discussion: CY 2018 Voluntary Reporting of the Hybrid Hospital-Wide Readmission Measure**

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# Purpose

This presentation is devoted to addressing data submitter questions related to voluntary reporting of the Hybrid Hospital-Wide Readmission (HWR) measure under the Hospital IQR Program by the December 14, 2018 submission deadline.

# Objectives

At the conclusion of the presentation, participants will be able to:

- Troubleshoot Quality Reporting Document Architecture (QRDA) Category I file submission errors associated with reporting the Hybrid HWR measure data.
- Locate and use the tools and reference materials that assist with data submission.
- Perform the steps necessary for successful submission of the Hybrid HWR measure via QRDA Category I files.



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**Frequently Asked Questions**

# Question #1: One QRDA Category I File Per Patient Per Quarter

**Q:** I have been creating QRDA Category I files to report the Hybrid HWR measure for the January 1 – June 30 date range. I'm receiving the following error message:

*Reporting Period Effective Data Range does not match one of the program's CY discharge quarters (CONF: CMS\_0079).*

What does this error message mean?

**A:** The reporting period for the QRDA Category I files needs to align with the applicable calendar year quarters:

- Quarter 1 (January 1 – March 31)
- Quarter 2 (April 1 – June 30)
- The reporting requirement is one patient, per QRDA Category I file, per quarter.

# Question #2:

## CMS EHR Certification ID Number

**Q:** Is the CMS EHR Certification ID Number required in the QRDA Category I files when voluntarily reporting the Hybrid HWR measure?

**A:** Page 17 of the [2018 CMS Implementation Guide for Quality Reporting Document Architecture Category I - Hospital Quality Reporting](#) requires the CMS EHR Certification ID Number.

Visit the [Certified Health Information Technology Product List \(CHPL\) website](#) for overview information and the CHPL Public User Guide which provides instructions to create a CMS EHR Certification ID.

# Question #3:

## Testing QRDA Category I Files

**Q:** After submitting test files for Quarter 1 of 2018 data to the *QualityNet Secure Portal* for the Hybrid HWR measure, we received a number of error messages. Is there a way to reduce these errors before submission?

**A:** Submitters are encouraged to download the Pre-Submission Validation Application (PSVA) tool from the *QualityNet Secure Portal* to more quickly identify and troubleshoot errors.

If you have questions about using the PSVA tool, visit the *QualityReportingCenter* website to review archived materials from the August 8, 2018 webinar:

<https://www.qualityreportingcenter.com/inpatient/ecqm-archived-events/>

# Resources

## eCQI Resource Center

Pathway: [ecqi.healthit.gov](http://ecqi.healthit.gov) >  
[EH/CAH eCQMs > Hybrid  
Hospital-Wide Readmission\\*](#)

## *QualityNet*

Pathway: [QualityNet.org](http://QualityNet.org) >  
[Hospitals - Inpatient > Claims-  
Based and Hybrid Measure](#)

## FY 2018 IPPS/LTCH PPS Final Rule (82 FR 38350-38355)

[https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/  
Medicare-Fee-for-Service-  
Payment/AcuteInpatientPPS/  
FY2018-IPPS-Final-Rule-  
Home-Page.html](https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Medicare-Fee-for-Service-Payment/AcuteInpatientPPS/FY2018-IPPS-Final-Rule-Home-Page.html)

## Introductory Webinar

Pathway: [QualityNet.org](http://QualityNet.org) >  
[Hospitals - Inpatient >  
Claims-Based and Hybrid  
Measure > Hybrid Measure >  
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## 2018 CMS QRDA Category I Implementation Guide for Hospital Quality Reporting

<https://ecqi.healthit.gov/qrda>  
Refer to the implementation  
guide for QRDA Category I for  
proper QRDA file formatting.

## JIRA

[https://oncprojecttracking.heal  
thit.gov/support/projects/CH  
M/summary](https://oncprojecttracking.healthit.gov/support/projects/CHM/summary)

## Measure Inbox

[cmsybridmeasures@yale.edu](mailto:cmsybridmeasures@yale.edu)  
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