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Prospective Payment System (PPS)-Exempt Cancer Hospital Quality Reporting (PCHQR) Program *Hospital Compare* Preview Quick Reference Guide

Preview User Interface (UI) Access

Preview Period


Preview data will be available to participating PPS-Exempt Cancer Hospitals (PCHs) via the *QualityNet Secure Portal* **July 16 through August 14, 2019**.

Access Preview Data


1. Navigate to the *QualityNet* website at <https://www.qualitynet.org>.
2. Select **Login** under the *Log in to QualityNet Secure Portal* header.
3. From the **Choose Your QualityNet Destination** dashboard, select **HQR Next Generation**. Then, select **Let's Go**.
4. Enter your *QualityNet* User ID, Password, and Security Code. Then, select **Submit**.
5. Read the Terms and Conditions statement, and select **I Accept** to proceed.
6. Select **Public Reporting**.
7. The page will refresh, and the data will be available to preview.

Preview Content

Timely and Effective Care

-  **PCH-28** Influenza Vaccination Coverage Among Healthcare Personnel (HCP)
- Data for 2018–2019 flu season data (4Q 2018–1Q 2019).


Complications and Death

- Healthcare-Associated Infections measures (Data for 1Q 2018–4Q 2018):
-  **PCH-06** Surgical Site Infection: Colon
- **PCH-07** Surgical Site Infection: Abdominal Hysterectomy
 - **PCH-26** *Clostridium difficile* Infection (CDI)
 - **PCH-27** Methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* (MRSA) Bacteremia

Hospital Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems (HCAHPS) Survey

HCAHPS

(Data for 1Q 2018–4Q 2018 discharges)

-  **Composite 4: Pain Management** and the associated individual questions are displayed only on the preview UI and PDF; they are not displayed on *Hospital Compare* or in the downloadable database.
- Individual questions from the HCAHPS composite measures are provided for preview and are available in the

downloadable database on *Hospital Compare*; they are not displayed on *Hospital Compare*.

Process Measures

Cancer-Specific Treatment Measure

- **PCH-3** Adjuvant Hormonal Therapy (Data for 1Q 2017–4Q 2017 diagnosis cohort)

Oncology Care Measures

- **PCH-14** Oncology: Radiation Dose Limits to Normal Tissues (Data for 1Q 2017–4Q 2017 patients)
- **PCH-15** Oncology: Plan of Care for Pain–Medical Oncology and Radiation Oncology (Data for 1Q 2017–4Q 2017 patient encounters)
- **PCH-16** Oncology: Medical and Radiation–Pain Intensity Quantified (Data for 1Q 2017–4Q 2017 patient encounters)
- **PCH-17** Prostate Cancer: Adjuvant Hormonal Therapy for High or Very High Risk Cancer Patients (Data for 1Q 2017–4Q 2017 patients)
- **PCH-18** Prostate Cancer: Avoidance of Overuse of Bone Scan for Staging Low Risk Prostate Cancer Patients (Data for 1Q 2017–4Q 2017 patients)

External Beam Radiotherapy Treatment Measure

- **PCH-25** External Beam Radiotherapy for Bone Metastases (Data for 1Q 2017–4Q 2017 patient encounters)

Measure descriptions are modified for reporting purposes. Detailed information for measures included in the *Hospital Compare* preview may be found in the PCHQR Program *Hospital Compare* Preview Help Guide available on *QualityNet*.