Hospital Inpatient Quality Reporting Program Important Dates and Deadlines

Discharge Quarters	HCAHPS Submission	Population & Sampling Submission*	Clinical and HAI Submission	PC-01 Web-Based Submission	HAI Validation Templates**	Estimated CDAC Record Request**	Estimated Date Records Due to CDAC**
3Q 2018 Jul 1–Sep 30	01-03-2019	02-01-2019	02-15-2019	01-01-2019– 02-15-2019	Random: 03-15-2019 Targeted: 07-23-2019	Random: 03-28-2019 Targeted: 08-07-2019	Random: 04-29-2019 Targeted: 09-05-2019
4Q 2018 Oct 1–Dec 31	04-03-2019	05-01-2019	05-15-2019	04-01-2019– 05-15-2019	Random: 05-01-2019 Targeted: 08-13-2019	Random: 06-03-2019 Targeted: 09-09-2019	Random: 07-03-2019 Targeted: 10-08-2019
1Q 2019 Jan 1–Mar 31	07-03-2019	08-01-2019	08-15-2019	07-01-2019– 08-15-2019	Random: 08-01-2019 Targeted: 08-29-2019	Random: 09-03-2019 Targeted: 10-08-2019	Random: 10-03-2019 Targeted: 11-06-2019
2Q 2019 Apr 1–Jun 30	10-02-2019	11-04-2019***	11-18-2019***	10-01-2019– 11-18-2019***	Random & Targeted: 11-04-2019***	Random & Targeted: 12-06-2019	Random & Targeted: 01-06-2020
3Q 2019 Jul 1–Sep 30	01-02-2020	02-03-2020***	02-18-2020***	01-01-2020– 02-18-2020***	Random: TBD Targeted: TBD	Random: TBD Targeted: TBD	Random: TBD Targeted: TBD
4Q 2019 Oct 1–Dec 31	04-01-2020	05-04-2020***	05-18-2020***	04-01-2020– 05-18-2020***	Random: TBD Targeted: TBD	Random: TBD Targeted: TBD	Random: TBD Targeted: TBD

FY 2021 APU				

Requirement	Quarters Included	Estimated CDAC Record Request	Date Records Due to CDAC
eCQM Validation****	One quarter of data from CY 2018	Spring 2019	30 calendar days from request date

Measures/Requirement	Quarters/Dates Included	Submission Deadline/Period
eCQMs (Hospital IQR Program alignment with Promoting Interoperability Program*****)	One self-selected quarter of data (1Q 2019, 2Q 2019, 3Q 2019, or 4Q 2019)	March 2, 2020***
DACA	January 1, 2019–December 31, 2019	April 1, 2020–May 18, 2020***

FY 2022 APU		
Influenza Vaccination Coverage Among HCP	October 1, 2019–March 31, 2020	May 18, 2020***

Acronyms		
APU: Annual Payment Update	eCQMs: Electronic Clinical Quality Measures	IQR: Inpatient Quality Reporting
CDAC: Clinical Data Abstraction Center	FY: Fiscal Year	NHSN: National Healthcare Safety Network
CDC: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	HAI: Healthcare-Associated Infection	PC: Perinatal Care
CY: Calendar Year	HCAHPS: Hospital Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems	Q: Quarter
DACA: Data Accuracy and Completeness Acknowledgement	HCP: Healthcare Personnel	TBD: To Be Determined

*Required for chart-abstracted measures only.

**Chart-abstracted data validation for FY 2021 includes 3Q 2018, 4Q 2018, 1Q 2019, and 2Q 2019. Chart-abstracted validation for FY 2022 includes 3Q 2019, 4Q 2019, 1Q 2020, and 2Q 2020.

***Deadline extended due to original deadline falling on a weekend and/or holiday.

****eCQM validation for FY 2021 includes one quarter of CY 2018 data. eCQM validation for FY 2022 includes one quarter of CY 2019 data.

*****For the Hospital IQR Program in FY 2021, hospitals must report at least four eCQMs from the same quarter.

NOTES

- All dates are subject to change.
- Generally, data must be submitted no later than 11:59 p.m. Pacific Time on the submission deadline with the exception of HCAHPS. HCAHPS must be submitted by 11:59 p.m. Central Time.
- Validation medical records must be received by CDAC no later than 4:30 p.m. Eastern Time.
- Data for clinical measures, eCQMs, population and sampling, DACA, and PC-01 are transmitted within the *QualityNet Secure Portal*.
- Data for HAI Validation Templates are transmitted within the *QualityNet Secure Portal* via Secure File Transfer. Data for HAI and HCP measures are submitted to the CDC through the NHSN.
- Medical records are submitted to the CDAC according to coversheet instructions.

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