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Version 1.4a of the *Specifications Manual for National Inpatient Psychiatric Facility Quality Measures* (Specifications Manual) addendum is now available from the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services. The Specifications Manual is available on [QualityNet](#) under the Inpatient Psychiatric Facility (IPF) Quality Reporting Program. You can download the full manual, review release notes, and access individual sections.

Review this document for important changes, including the removal of measures from the IPF Quality Reporting Program. A complete list of updates is available in the release notes. This Specification Manual version will apply to inpatient psychiatric discharges under the IPF Quality Reporting Program from January 1, 2026, through December 31, 2026.

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