



# MIPS Reporting 2022

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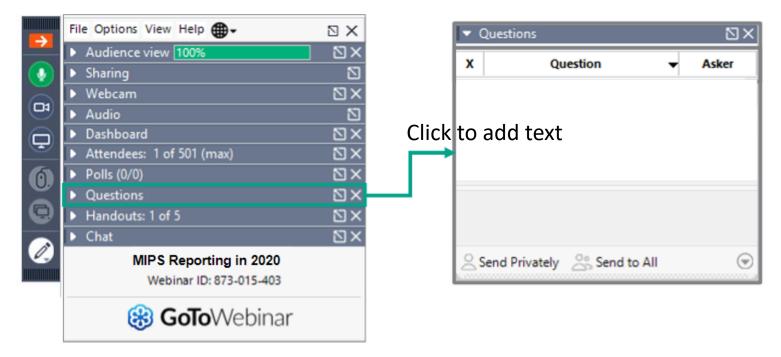
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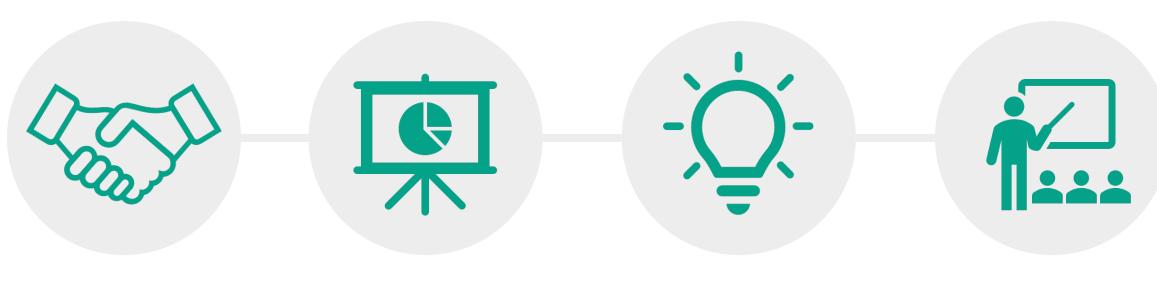
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1. Introductions

2. What is MIPS & 2022 Reporting Requirements

3. How to Get Started& System Navigation

4. Timelines/ Submission Deadline

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#### Achieving in Quality reporting

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### WHAT WE DO

### **Partnership & Integration**

- Partnership with EZDERM since 2017
- · EZDERM's MIPS reporting registry
- Interface to import EZDERM Quality data directly into MIPSpro
- Provide MIPS support to EZDERM practices



### What Is MIPS?

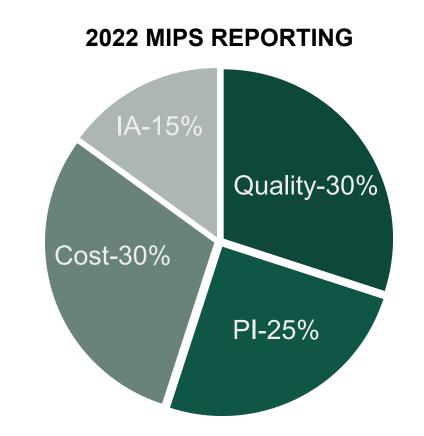
MIPS: The Merit-based Incentive Payment System

**Quality:** Assesses the value of care to ensure patients get the right care at the right time

**Improvement Activities (IA):** Gauges participation in activities that improve clinical practice

**Promoting Interoperability (PI):** Measures how well a clinician utilizes their EHR technology

**Cost:** Measures the cost of care





### WHO IS ELIGIBLE? Eligibility Exemptions







#### Newly Enrolled in Medicare

#### Low Volume Threshold

≤ \$90,000 in Medicare Part B Charges
 -or- ≤ 200 Medicare Part B patients -or ≤ 200 covered professional services.

Advanced APM Participation

## **ELIGIBILITY CLINICIAN TYPES**

- Physicians
- Osteopathic practitioners
- Chiropractors
- Physician assistants
- Nurse practitioners
- Clinical nurse specialists
- Certified registered nurse anesthetists
- Physical therapists

- Occupational therapists
- Clinical psychologists
- Qualified speech-language pathologists
- Qualified audiologists
- Registered dietitians or nutrition professionals
- Clinical social workers\*
- Certified nurse midwives\*

\*New for 2022



### **MIPS 2022 NUMBERS TO KNOW**



Minimum threshold to avoid a penalty 75 Points The Final Rule raised the minimum performance threshold to 75 points in PY 2022, up from 60 points in PY 2021 to avoid a penalty.





### **MIPS 2022 NUMBERS TO KNOW**



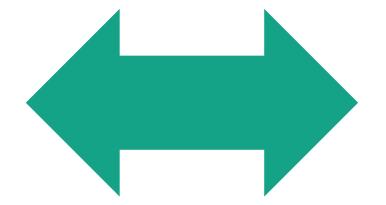
Exceptional Performance 89 Points

The Final Rule raised the Exceptional Performance Rate to 89 points in PY 2022.





### MIPS 2022 NUMBERS TO KNOW 'Denominator' and 'Reporting Rate'



70% of Eligible Instances need to reported.

MIPS Quality Measure Completion Rate 70%



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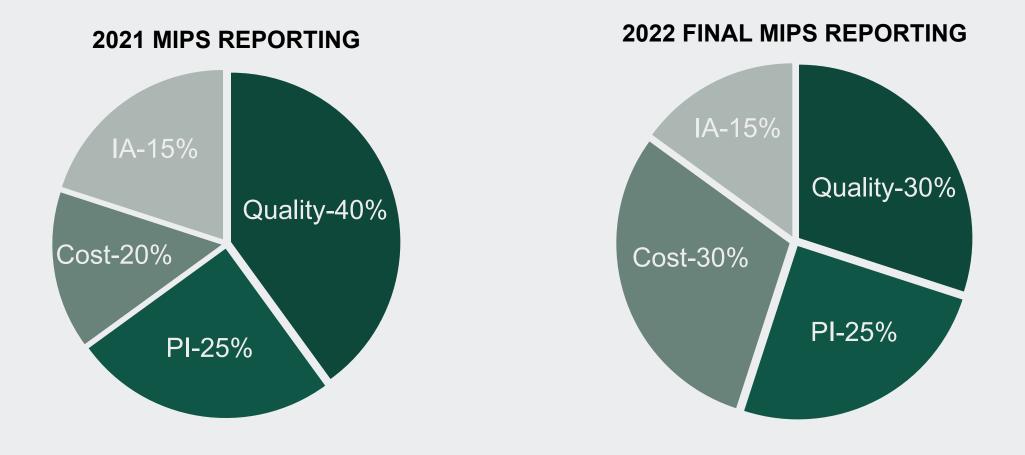
### **MIPS 2022 NUMBERS TO KNOW**

Expected Max Incentive +14% Max Penalty -9% Based on CMS calculations, there is an expected increase of **more** than

14% for the top exceptional performers. For those that do not participate at all, there will be a negative 9% adjustment on their Medicare revenue in 2024.

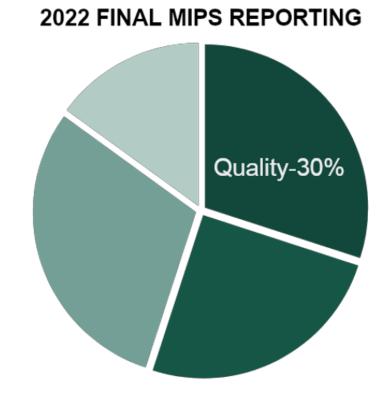


### **TRADITIONAL MIPS 2022**



### **QUALITY CATEGORY**

- 6 measures to be scored
- 1 must be an **outcome measure** 
  - High-priority measure if outcome is unavailable





### UNDERSTANDING THE 2022 CHANGES: QUALITY

Bonus points and bonus scoring

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#### **Removal of bonus points:**

- Removed the 1 bonus point from high priority measures
- Removed the 2 bonus points from outcome measures
- Removed the end-to-end reporting bonus points

#### **CMS's rationale?**

- The bonus points were temporary, and the removal of the bonus points simplifies scoring.
- Majority of measures are high-priority or outcome

## **PROMOTING INTEROPERABILITY CATEGORY**

Use of 2015 Edition certificate or 2015 Edition Cures Update or a combination of the two that meets the Certified Electronic Health Record Technology (CEHRT)

#### 90 Consecutive Day Reporting Period

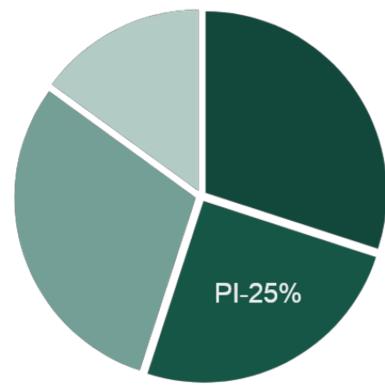
#### **2 Required Attestations**

- Security Risk Analysis
- Review of the nine Safety Assurance Factors for EHR Resilience (SAFER) Guides measure

#### **4 Measure Categories**

- E-Prescribing
- Health Information Exchange
- Provider to Patient Exchange
- Public Health & Clinical Data





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### KNOW WHAT CATEGORIES YOU NEED TO REPORT

#### DO YOU NEED TO REPORT PROMOTING INTEROPERABILITY?

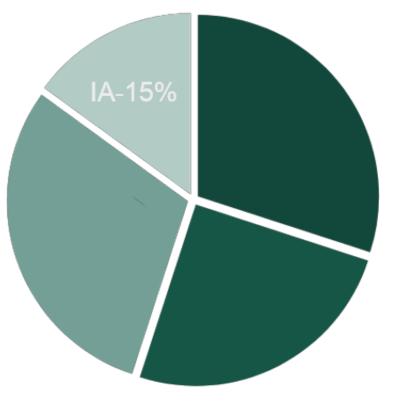
- New for 2022 Small practices of 15 or fewer eligible clinicians will be automatically exempt
- Clinicians such as nurse practitioners, therapists and nonpatient facing providers are automatically exempt
- There are also some providers that can apply for an exemption
  - Extreme and uncontrollable circumstances

## **IMPROVEMENT ACTIVITIES CATEGORY**

### Assesses your participation in clinical activities that support the improvement of clinical practice, care deliver, and outcomes.

- 90-day minimum reporting period for 50% of providers
- More than 100 Improvement Activities available
- 40 points total required through selection of high-weighted (20 point) and medium-weighted (10 point) activities
- 20 points required for rural, HPSAs, non-patient facing clinicians, small practices
- Improvement Activities can be tracked and submitted in MIPSpro

#### 2022 FINAL MIPS REPORTING



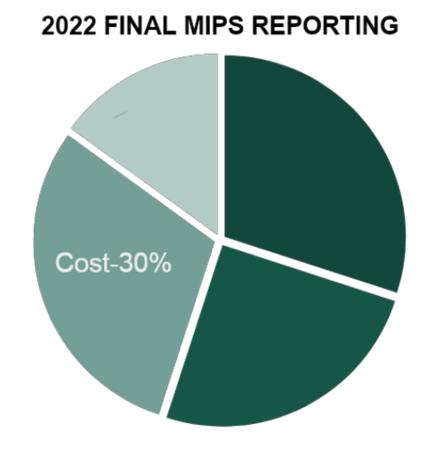


### **COST CATEGORY**

- Automatically calculated from administrative claims data
- Performance period is the **calendar year**

#### **MEASURES**

- Total Per Capita Cost (TPCC) total annual cost for patient care
- Medicare Spending Per Beneficiary (MSPB) Total cost for each hospital episode
- 23 episode-based cost measure for those who may qualify.
   New: "Melanoma Resection" measure.



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## MIPS TIPS & TRICKS

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REPORT AS A GROUP <u>AND</u> INDIVIDUAL AT THE SAME TIME

**Example:** 20 Provider Group – MIPS Group Score of 89

#### **INDIVIDUAL SCORING**

- Each provider gets their own score
- Some will be below 89 and some will be above 89
- Hard to meet 20 patient minimum for some measures
- Cannot take advantage of patients seeing multiple providers

#### **GROUP SCORING**

- Everyone gets the group score of 89
- Get pulled down by lower scores
- Issues with providers not carrying their own weight

#### BOTH

- Providers that score better than 89 will get their individual score
- Providers that score less than 89 will get the group score
- Take advantage of 20 patient minimums, specialty providers within your group, and top performers.

## $\bigstar$ MIPS TIPS AND TRICKS $\bigstar$

#### START TRACKING EACH MIPS CATEGORY

- Track Quality performance
- Complete your 90 days for PI and IA so you can spend more time on Quality
- Understand measure requirements so workflow/documentation is correct

#### FOCUS ON PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT BY ATTACKING GAPS IN CARE

- Providers determine if someone is not carrying their weight
- Patients determine if there is a patient type that is causing your scores to suffer
- Measures determine what measures may have been overlooked

#### **TRACK MORE THAN 6 QUALITY MEASURES**

- Choose 8+ measures and watch their performance.
- Start eliminating measures through the year to optimize your time



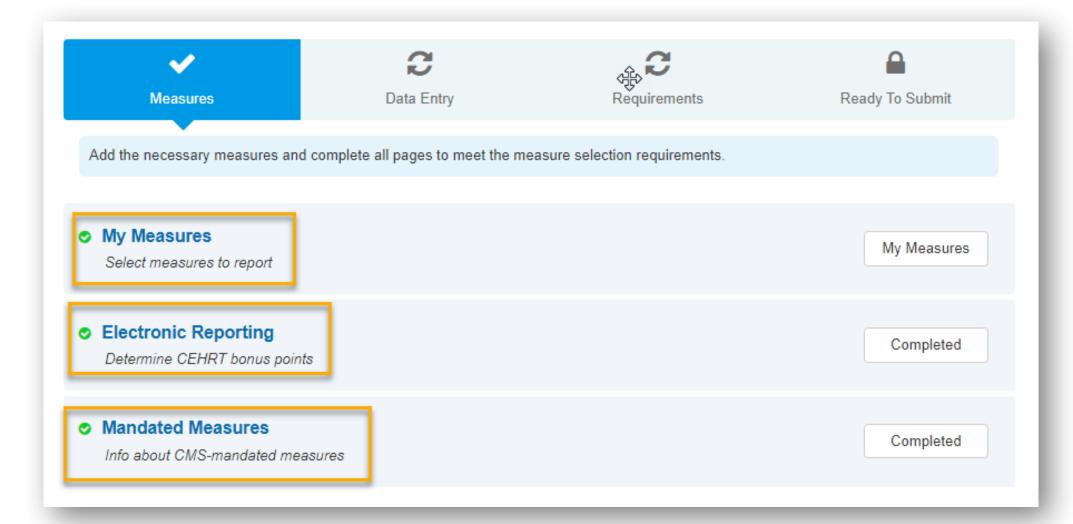
### **Tracking Performance in EZDERM**

## **PROFILE PAGES**

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Practice Profile						
1.) Select Preferred Email Contact*	Primary Admin (Ipatrick@	@healthmonix.con	n)			
Select who should be contacted regarding	Secondary Admin(s)	mlewis@healthmo	onix.com 🗙			
account questions, issues, and updates.		Select All	Remove All			
1.) Administrator Name*	Lauren	Â	Patrick			
2.) Practice Address Line 1*	72 E Swedesford Road					
3.) Practice Address Line 2						
4.) City*	Malvern					
5.) State*	Pennsylvania			~		

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### **MEASURES PAGE**





## **MEASURE SELECTION**

Measure Selec	tion		
Filters SI Measure Title Measure Number	Chowing 194 of 215	Measures       Select All Measures       Deselect All Measures       Measures Benchmarks       View Selected Measures         #1       Diabetes: Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control         Percentage of patients 18-75 years of age with diabetes who had hemoglobin A1c > 9.0% during the measurement period	Items per page ures 50 ~ Select View Details
Codes CMS Measure Set High Priority Measures	0	High Priority: True Outcome: True Reporting Frequency: Once per patient per year Benchmarks Exist: Yes Topped Out: No	
Outcome Measures Provisional Measures Measures With Benchmark Topped Out Benchmarks Measures Capped At 7 Pts	0	<ul> <li>#5 Heart Failure (HF): Angiotensin-Converting Enzyme (ACE) Inhibitor or Angiotensin Receptor Blocker (ARB) or Angiotensin Receptor-Neprilysin Inhibitor (ARNI) Therapy for Left Ventricular Systolic Dysfunction (LVSD)</li> <li>Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of heart failure (HF) with a current or prior left ventricular ejection fraction (LVEF) &lt; 40% who were prescribed ACE inhibitor or ARB or ARNI therapy either within a 12-month period when seen in the outpatient setting OR at each hospital discharge</li> <li>High Priority: False</li> </ul>	Select View Details
Re	eset Filter	Outcome: False Reporting Frequency: 1: Once per patient/year; 2: Every Visit Benchmarks Exist: Yes Topped Out: Yes	
Selection Requirement Measures Selecter You must select at measures Outcome or HP m	<b>ed: 8 of 6</b> t least 6	<ul> <li>#6 **Provisional** Coronary Artery Disease (CAD): Antiplatelet Therapy         Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of coronary artery disease (CAD) seen within a 12 month period who were prescribed aspirin or clopidogrel         High Priority: False         Outcome: False         Reporting Frequency: Once per patient per year         Benchmarks Exist: Yes         Topped Out: No     </li> </ul>	Select View Details
You must select at or 1 high-priority (H	t least 1 outcome	#7         Coronary Artery Disease (CAD): Beta-Blocker Therapy – Prior Myocardial Infarction (MI) or Left Ventricular Systolic Dysfunction (LVEF < 40%)	Select

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## **ELECTRONIC REPORTING PAGE**

### Electronic Reporting

Select Yes for the measures you've electronically reported end-to-end for this reporting year. Select No for the others.

CMS allows one bonus point for each measure under the quality performance category score, up to a maximum of 10 percent of the denominator of the quality performance category score if:

- The MIPS eligible clinician uses CEHRT to record the measure's demographic and clinical data elements in conformance to the standards relevant for the measure and submission pathway, including but not necessarily limited to the standards included in the CEHRT definition
- The MIPS eligible clinician exports and transmits measure data electronically to a third party using relevant standards or directly to us using a submission method; AND
- The third party intermediary (for example, this registry) uses automated software to aggregate measure data, calculate measures, perform any filtering of measurement data, and submit the data electronically to us using a submission method

These requirements are referred to as "end-to-end electronic reporting." This bonus works in conjunction with the bonus points for reporting high priority measures. MIPS eligible clinicians are eligible for both this bonus option and the high priority bonus option with appropriate bonus caps for each option.

Electronically Reported	Selecte Measur		
Yes 🖲 No 🔿	MIPS CQM	#47	Advance Care Plan Percentage of patients aged 65 years and older who have an advance care plan or surrogate decision maker documented in the medical record or documentation in the medical record that an advance care plan was discussed but the patient did not wish or was not able to name a surrogate decision maker or provide an advance care plan
Yes ● No O	MIPS CQM	#110	Preventive Care and Screening: Influenza Immunization Percentage of patients aged 6 months and older seen for a visit between October 1 and March 31 who received an influenza immunization OR who reported previous receipt of an influenza immunization
Yes 🖲 No 🔿	MIPS CQM	#111	Pneumococcal Vaccination Status for Older Adults Percentage of patients 65 years of age and older who have ever received a pneumococcal vaccine



## **AUTOMATIC CMS MEASURE PAGE**

#### Automatic CMS Measures

Information about possible CMS measures that contribute to your MIPS Quality score

There is a measure that CMS will automatically calculate from submitted Medicare Part B claims. The measure is a population measure and its title is, "30-day All-Cause Hospital Readmission (ACR)."

The 30-day All-Cause Hospital Readmission measure is a risk-standardized readmission rate for beneficiaries age 65 or older who were hospitalized at a short-stay acute care hospital and experienced an unplanned readmission for any cause to an acute care hospital within 30 days of discharge.

This measure **cannot** be reported to CMS through MIPSPRO (or any other registry). Instead, it will be automatically calculated by CMS for groups of 16 or more providers who meet the case volume requirement. And, if you qualify for the measure, it will impact your MIPS score for Quality.

If this group account meets the following requirements and if you wish to nominally track the effect of the measure in Quality (track the increase in possible bonus points, but not track how the actual measure will be scored), answer "Yes" to the following questions:

#### Does this group account meet the following criteria?

- Is this a group of 16 or more providers?
- Did the group have, in 2021, 200 or more beneficiaries who were age 65 or older and were hospitalized at a short-stay acute care hospital who then, within 30 days of that discharge, experienced an unplanned readmission for any cause to an acute care hospital?
- . Do you wish to nominally track the effect of this measure in Quality for this account?

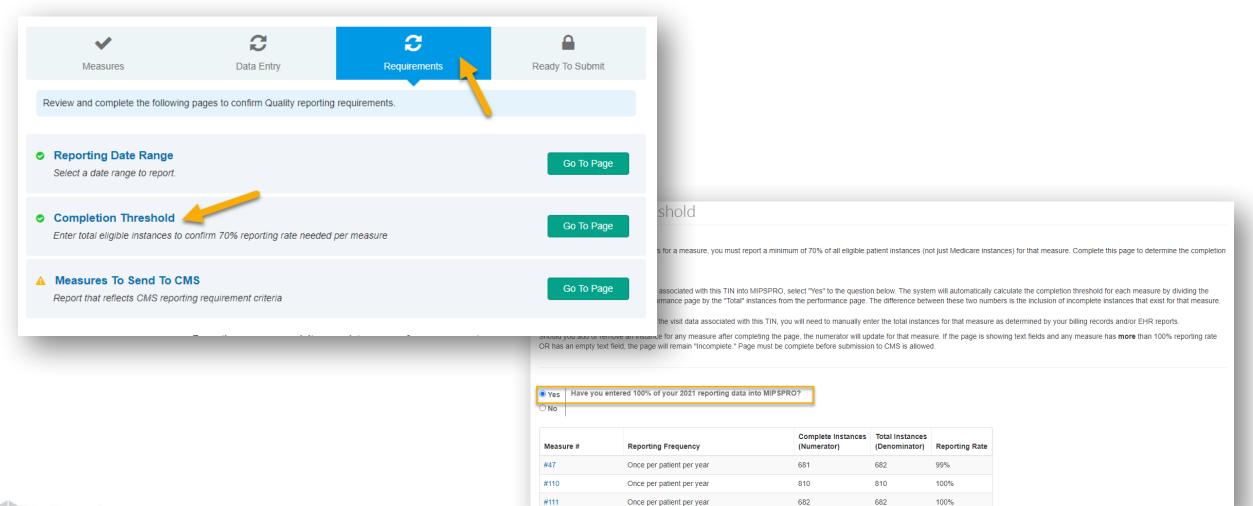
Yes O No

By answering "Yes," the Quality points page will be modified so that the CMS cap on bonus points will be raised by one point for high priority/outcome measures and by one point for end-to-end reporting. This means you could see a one- or two-point increase in your Quality points. Regardless of how you answer on this page, no data will be sent to CMS concerning this measure because CMS automatically calculates your eligibility and performance for this measure.



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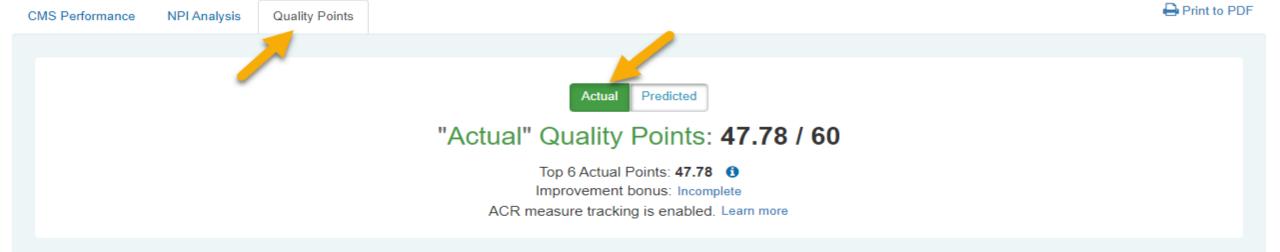
#### **Complete after data has been imported from the interface:**



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## **QUALITY PERFORMANCE**

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Quality Reports								
CMS Performance * 2021 Reporting Year •								
CMS Performance NPI Analysis Quality Points							🖂 Email Repo	ort 🔒 Print to PDF
Measure	Total Instances	Complete Instances	Met	Exclusions	Not Met		Performance Rate	Rate Decile
#47 - Advance Care Plan	682	681	619	0	62	90.9%		
#110 - Influenza Immunization	810	810	633	2	175	78.34%		
#111 - Pneumococcal Vaccination Status for Older Adults	682	682	591	0	91	86.66%		
#113 - Colorectal Cancer Screening	442	426	245	0	181	57.51%		
#130 - Documentation of Current Medications in the Me	917	916	868	35	13	98.52%		
#134 - Screening for Depression and Follow-Up Plan	857	768	560	0	208	72.92%		
#410 - Psoriasis: Clinical Response to Systemic Medica	15	15	15	0	0	100%		
#418 - Osteoporosis Management in Women Who Had a	0	0	0	0	0			



#### "Actual" Top 6 measures with reporting completion rules

Compare actual vs predicted points for all selected measures in this section. Use the "20 instances" and "Completion Threshold" columns to determine why the actual and predicted points for each measure do (or do not) match.

Measure	Performance	20 Instances	Completion Threshold	Actual Points	Predicted Points	Total Possible Points	Top 6	Send To CMS Status
#47 - Advance Care Plan	100%	Yes (173)	Yes (100%)	10	10	10	Yes	Selected
#48 - Urinary Incontinence: Assessment of Presence or Absence of UI in Women Aged 65 Years and Older	100%	Yes (83)	Yes (100%)	10	10	10	Yes	Selected
#112 - Breast Cancer Screening	86.7%	Yes (196)	Yes (100%)	10	10	10	Yes	Selected
#374 - Closing the Referral Loop: Receipt of Specialist Report	93.3%	Yes (134)	Yes (100%)	10	10	10	Yes	Selected
#127 - DM: Diabetic Foot and Ankle Care, Ulcer Prevention – Evaluation of Footwear	89.6%	Yes (309)	Yes (100%)	4.2	4.2	10	Yes	Selected
#331 - Adult Sinusitis: Antibiotic Prescribed for Acute Viral Sinusitis (Overuse)	61.8%	Yes (76)	Yes (100%)	3.58	3.58	10	Yes	Selected

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## **GAPS IN CARE REPORT**

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Gender	0	•	1			5/31/1945	4/28/2021	9	Delete
Status	0	•	5			8/13/1938	4/28/2021	2	Delete
Has NPI	•	•	5/			7/22/1947	4/28/2021	2	Delete
Last Updated Date	0		-					-	

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Patient Identifier	Last Name	First Name	Date of Birth	Gender	DOS	Time	Modifier	NPI	Measure
					04/13/20				Documentation of Current Medications in the Medical
XXX	Jane	Smith	05/31/1945	Female	21			1235111436	Record
					02/17/20				Documentation of Current Medications in the Medical
YYY	Cindy	Jones	05/31/1945	Female	21			1235111436	Record
					01/02/20				
ZZZ	Jane	Doe	07/22/1947	Male	21			1235111436	Advance Care Plan

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### PROMOTING INTEROPERABILITY

**Select Measures** 



#### 2022 PI Measures

Select and review the PI measures you will be reporting

Measure ID	Required Measures	Points	Required Measures
PI_PPHI_1	Security Risk Analysis	0	Measures selected: 7 of 7
PI_PPHI_2	High Priority Practices Guide of the Safety Assurance Factors for EHR Resilience (SAFER) Guides	0	Required measures are automatically selected.
PI_EP_1	e-Prescribing	10	
PI_EP_2	Query of Prescription Drug Monitoring Program (PDMP)	10	HIE Measures
PI_PEA_1	Provide Patients Electronic Access to Their Health Information	40	Measures selected: 2 of 2
PI_PHCDRR_1	Immunization Registry Reporting	5	You have selected to report HIE 1 and HIE 4
PI_PHCDRR_3	Electronic Case Reporting	5	

#### **HIE Measures**

For HIE measures, HIE\_1 and HIE\_4 are required but can be replaced by HIE\_5 as an alternative measure. Since they are mutually exclusive, only one set of them can be selected to report.

Note that HIE\_1 and HIE\_4 have exclusion possibilities and have numerator and denominator answers. This means a percentage of the total possible points of these two measures can be received. However, HIE\_5 is an all or nothing measure. In other words, if this group meets all the criteria for HIE\_5, then all the points for the measure will be applied. If just one of the criteria is not met, then 0 points will be applied for this measure. To learn more about each measure, click the measure title for details.

If you wish to provide answers to all three measures and then compare the difference between PI score, you can select one set of measures, enter data and check the Track PI Measures page. Then return to this page and select the other option, enter data, and compare results. Switching back and forth will not remove or change data from any measure. Whatever option is selected here and appears on the track measures page once you choose to submit to CMS is the set of measures that will be submitted to CMS.

Measure ID	Measure Name	Points	HIE Selection
PI_HIE_1	Support Electronic Referral Loops by Sending Health Information	20	Selected
PI_HIE_4	Support Electronic Referral Loops by Receiving and Reconciling Health Information	20	
PI_HIE_5	Health Information Exchange (HIE) Bi-Directional Exchange	40	Select

#### **Optional Bonus Measures**

Select one of the following measures to report it as a bonus measure to receive five bonus points. Reporting more than one of these measures will still result in a total of five bonus points. It is not required to report any of these measures.

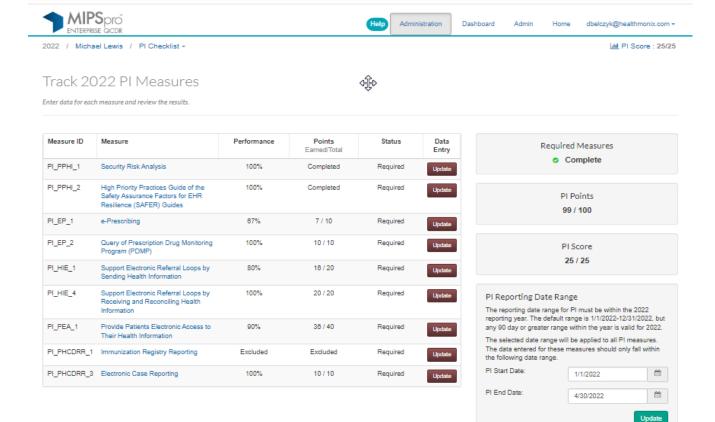
Measure ID	Optional Bonus Measures	Points	Select
PI_PHCDRR_2	Syndromic Surveillance Reporting	5	Add
PI_PHCDRR_4	Public Health Registry Reporting	5	Add
PI_PHCDRR_5	Clinical Data Registry Reporting	5	Add



### PROMOTING **INTEROPERABILITY**

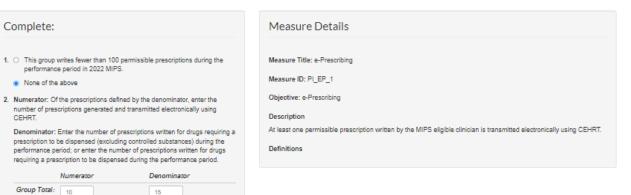
**Track Measures** 





#### e-Prescribing (PI EP 1)

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### IMPROVEMENT ACTIVITIES Select Measures



Select Activ	rities					
ters Activity Name Subcategory Activity Weight	Showing <b>50</b> of 104	Activities IA_EPA_1: Provide 24/7 Access to MIPS Eligible Clinicians or Groups Who Have Real-Time Access to Patient's Medical Record Subcategory: Expanded Practice Access Activity Weight: 20 Time Requirement: 90	Select View Details	Selected Activities Activities Added: 2 Points Selected: 40 Points Needed: 40		
	Reset Filter	IA_EPA_2: Use of telehealth services that expand practice access Subcategory: Expanded Practice Access Activity Weight: 10 Time Requirement: 90	Select View Details	IA_BE_6: Collection and follow-up on patient experience and satisfaction data on beneficiary engagement × Points :20		
		IA_EPA_3: Collection and use of patient experience and satisfaction data on access Subcategory: Expanded Practice Access	Select View Details	IA_BE_14: Engage Patients and Families to Guide Improvement in the System of Care X Points :20		

#### Improvement Activity Component - Attest

Congratulations! Activity was attested on 4/28/2021

Activity Weight: 10

ACTIVITY: IA\_BE\_6: Collection and follow-up on patient experience and satisfaction data on beneficiary engagement ACTIVITY ID: IA\_BE\_6 SUBCATEGORY: Beneficiary Engagement WEIGHT: 20 points REQUIRED PARTICIPATION PERIOD: 90 days

I attest that I have completed the above Improvement Activity as prescribed by the MIPS 2021 program.

lp	Ente	your initials.	
Signature:		Lauren Patrick	First and last name
Date:		4/28/2021	



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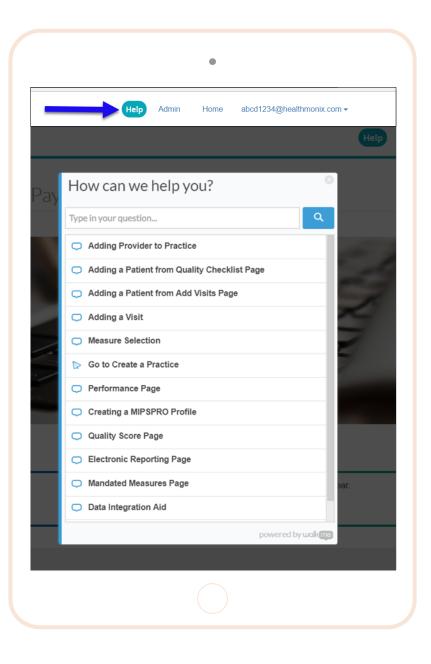
**INTERFACE BRIDGE INITIATION:** Q4 2022

**COMPLETION OF DATA IMPORT:** ~1 week after notification given to EZDERM

**EZDERM CHART UPDATES:** ~Every 20 minutes

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: February 15th, 2023





### INTRODUCTION TO CUSTOMER SUPPORT

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- <u>The Healthmonix Advisor</u>
  - MIPS Final Rule: New Programs, Higher Standards, and COVID-19
- <u>The MIPS PROficiency: Customer Support Newsletter</u>
- <u>Customer Support Webinar Curriculum</u>
- Healthmonix Help Desk
- What is MIPS? Fact Sheet
- QPP Website
- EZDERM Account Guides



### **THANK YOU**

Questions?