

Inpatient Quality Reporting Program

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CY 2014 Vendors and Impending Submitters of QRDA-I PM Questions and Answers

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- Question 1:** Is it too late to volunteer to be one of the trial hospitals for submitting?
- Answer 1:** It is not too late to voluntarily submit eCQM files for IQR Reporting. I'm unsure if you would like to submit voluntary eCQM files in addition to any chart-reporting requirements for the IQR program.
- Question 2:** We are Year 1 of Stage 2. Can you explain, is electronic submission required or can we still attest to our CQM results? Can you speak to some general reporting requirements on that?
Thanks!
- Answer 2:** Please follow up with the EHR Information center for additional questions related to Meaningful Use. Call 888-734-6433 available Monday through Friday, 7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. central time.
- Question 3:** Are these eCQMs due to submit in one month?
- Answer 3:** The submission deadline for voluntary eCQM submissions this year is November 30th.
- Question 4:** Can you repeat that answer please?

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- Answer 4:** Submission of eCQMs is voluntary for the IQR program, but mandatory for the Meaningful Use program.
- Question 5:** Is the data needed to meet Meaningful Use submitted through the Secure Portal the same as the eCQM data is?
- Answer 5:** Hi, yes, if the facility intends to submit QRDA-I files for Meaningful Use and/or IQR Reporting, this can be completed through the Secure Portal. If a facility intends to attest for Meaningful Use, that information is submitted through the CMS Registration and Attestation system.
- Question 6:** My situation number is 721452 for the file that was submitted with no reply e-mail back that it was received. Thanks.
- Answer 6:** I received your email earlier today with your QualityNet ticket number. I am checking the system now to determine the status and will follow up with you by the end of the day today.
- Question 7:** Do we have to successfully submit eCQMs to meet Meaningful Use Second Year Stage 1?
- Answer 7:** Please follow up with the EHR Information center for additional questions related to the Meaningful Use program. Call 888-734-6433 available Monday through Friday, 7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. central time.
- Question 8:** Is the Nov 30th deadline this year voluntary only or required now?
- Answer 8:** The November 30, 2015 deadline for submitting eCQMs remains voluntary.

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