

Medicare Beneficiary Quality Improvement Project (MBQIP) Data Submission Deadlines^{1,2}

MBQIP 2025 Core Measure Set

Starting in calendar year 2025, hospitals will collect data to report on the updated MBQIP core measure set as part of the Flex Program. Details on the new MBQIP core measure set submission/reporting deadlines along with those measures continuing from the current MBQIP measure set are depicted in the following tables.

During calendar years 2023 and 2024, hospitals should continue reporting the [existing MBQIP core measure set](#). In addition, hospitals are encouraged to start reporting on the measures that will be new in MBQIP 2025 measures as soon as they are able. At a minimum, hospitals need to put processes in place so they can collect and report data from the 2025 calendar year. During this time, State Flex Programs and the RQITA team are available to assist hospitals and health systems with the transition.

This 2025 Core Measure Set has been adopted after a process involving State Flex Programs, Critical Access Hospitals, FORHP staff, and the general public via a public comment process. It has been finalized but is subject to change as necessary to respond to changes in federal and state health care quality programs as well as to the needs of rural hospitals and the communities they serve.

MBQIP 2025 – Measures Being Added to Core Set

| Submission Process and Deadlines ^{1,2} | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Measure ID | Description | MBQIP Domain | Reported To | Encounter Period | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | Q3 / 2023 Jul - Sep | Q4 / 2023 Oct - Dec | Q1 / 2024 Jan - Mar | Q2 / 2024 Apr - Jun | Q3 / 2024 Jul - Sep | Q4 / 2024 Oct - Dec | Q1 / 2025 Jan - Mar | Q2 / 2025 Apr - Jun | Q3 / 2025 Jul - Sep | Q4 / 2025 Oct - Dec |
| TBD | CAH Quality Infrastructure | Global Measures | FMT via Qualtrics | <u>MBQIP 2025 Core Measure starting with this measurement period</u> due Dec 15, 2023 | | National CAH Inventory and Assessment Continues Due date TBD | | | | National CAH Inventory and Assessment Continues Due date TBD | | | |
| HCHE | Hospital Commitment to Health Equity | Global Measures | HQR Secure Portal | Hospitals may choose to report to CMS. Data submission is available starting April 1, 2024 Deadline May 15, 2024 (CY 2023 data) | | Hospitals may choose to report to CMS Submission Deadline May 15, 2025 (CY 2024 data) | | | | <u>MBQIP 2025 Core Measure starting with this measurement period</u> Submission Deadline May 15, 2026 (CY 2025 data) | | | |
| Safe Use of Opioids | Safe Use of Opioids-Concurrent Prescribing | Patient Safety | HQR Secure Portal | Hospitals may choose to report to CMS ³ . Deadline February 29, 2024 (CY 2023 data) | | Hospitals may choose to report to CMS ³ Submission Deadline February 28, 2025 (CY 2024 data) | | | | <u>MBQIP 2025 Core Measure starting with this measurement period³</u> Submission Deadline February 27, 2026 (CY 2025 data) | | | |
| Hybrid HWR | Hybrid Hospital-Wide Readmission | Care Coordination | HQR Secure Portal | Hospitals may choose to report to CMS Submission Deadline September 30, 2024 (Q3 2023 - Q2 2024 data) | | | | <u>MBQIP 2025 Core Measure starting with this measurement period</u> Submission Deadline September 30, 2025 (Q3 2024 - Q2 2025 data) | | | | Submission Deadline September 30, 2026 (Q3 2025 - Q2 2026 data) | |
| SDOH-1 | Social Drivers of Health (SDOH) Screening | Care Coordination | HQR Secure Portal | Hospitals may choose to report to CMS. Data submission is available starting April 1, 2024 Deadline May 15, 2024 (CY 2023 data) | | Hospitals may choose to report to CMS Submission Deadline May 15, 2025 (CY 2024 data) | | | | <u>MBQIP 2025 Core Measure starting with this measurement period</u> Submission Deadline May 15, 2026 (CY 2025 data) | | | |
| SDOH-2 | Screen Positive for Social Drivers of Health (SDOH) | Care Coordination | HQR Secure Portal | Hospitals may choose to report to CMS. Data submission is available starting April 1, 2024 Deadline May 15, 2024 (CY 2023 data) | | Hospitals may choose to report to CMS Submission Deadline May 15, 2025 (CY 2024 data) | | | | <u>MBQIP 2025 Core Measure starting with this measurement period</u> Submission Deadline May 15, 2026 (CY 2025 data) | | | |

MBQIP 2025 – Measures Continuing in Core Set from Prior Years

| Submission Process and Deadlines ^{1,2} | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Measure ID | Description | MBQIP Domain | Reported To | Encounter Period | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | Q3 / 2023 Jul - Sep | Q4 / 2023 Oct - Dec | Q1 / 2024 Jan - Mar | Q2 / 2024 Apr - Jun | Q3 / 2024 Jul - Sep | Q4 / 2024 Oct - Dec | Q1 / 2025 Jan - Mar | Q2 / 2025 Apr - Jun | Q3 / 2025 Jul - Sep | Q4 / 2025 Oct - Dec |
| HCP/IMM-3 ⁴ | Influenza vaccination coverage among health care personnel | Patient Safety | NHSN | N/A | May 15, 2024 (Q4 2023 - Q1 2024 aggregate) | | N/A | N/A | May 15, 2025 (Q4 2024 - Q1 2025 aggregate) | | N/A | N/A | May 15, 2026 (Q4 2025 - Q1 2026 aggregate) |
| Antibiotic Stewardship | CDC NHSN Annual Facility Survey | Patient Safety | NHSN | March 1, 2024 ⁵ (CY 2023 data) | | | March 3, 2025 ⁵ (CY 2024 data) | | | March 2, 2026 ⁵ (CY 2025 data) | | | |
| HCAHPS | Hospital Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems | Patient Experience | HQR via Vendor | January 3, 2024 | April 3, 2024 | July 3, 2024 | October 2, 2024 | January 2, 2025 | April 2, 2025 | July 2, 2025 anticipated | October 1, 2025 anticipated | January 7, 2026 anticipated | April 1, 2026 anticipated |
| EDTC ⁶ | Emergency Department Transfer Communication | Emergency Department | Submission process directed by state Flex Program | October 31, 2023 | January 31, 2024 | April 30, 2024 | July 31, 2024 | October 31, 2024 | January 31, 2025 | April 30, 2025 | July 31, 2025 | October 31, 2025 | January 31, 2026 |
| OP-18 | Median time from ED arrival to ED departure for discharged ED patients | Emergency Department | HQR via Outpatient CART/ Vendor | February 1, 2024 | May 1, 2024 | August 1, 2024 | November 1, 2024 | February 1, 2025 | May 1, 2025 | August 1, 2025 | November 1, 2025 | February 1, 2026 | May 1, 2026 |
| OP-22 | Patient left without being seen | Emergency Department | HQR Secure Portal | May 15, 2024 (CY 2023 data aggregate) | | May 15, 2025 (CY 2024 data aggregate) | | | May 15, 2026 (CY 2025 data aggregate) | | | | |

1. Based on currently available information. Submissions dates are subject to change.
2. Data submission deadlines on a federal holiday or weekend (Saturday or Sunday) will default to the first business day thereafter in this document where applicable.
3. The Safe Use of Opioids-Concurrent Prescribing measure is required as part of the Promoting Interoperability Program.
4. The encounter period for HCP/IMM-3 is limited to Q4 and Q1.
5. Hospitals are strongly encouraged to complete the NHSN Annual Facility Survey by March 1 of each year but may submit or update survey responses throughout the year.
6. State Flex Programs must submit data to FMT by the 10th day of the month following the hospital deadline (e.g. Q3 2023 data due to FMT by Nov 10, 2023).