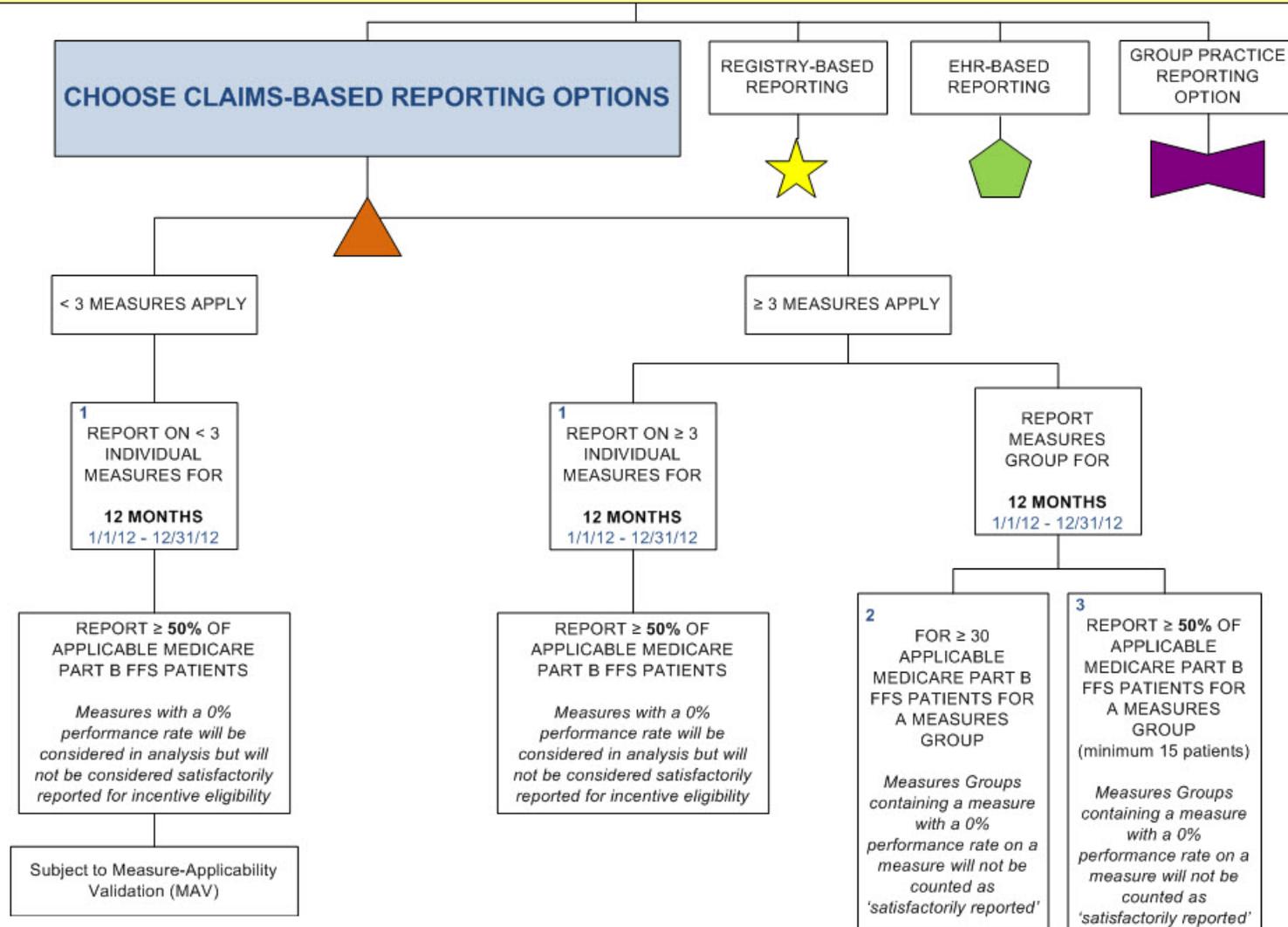


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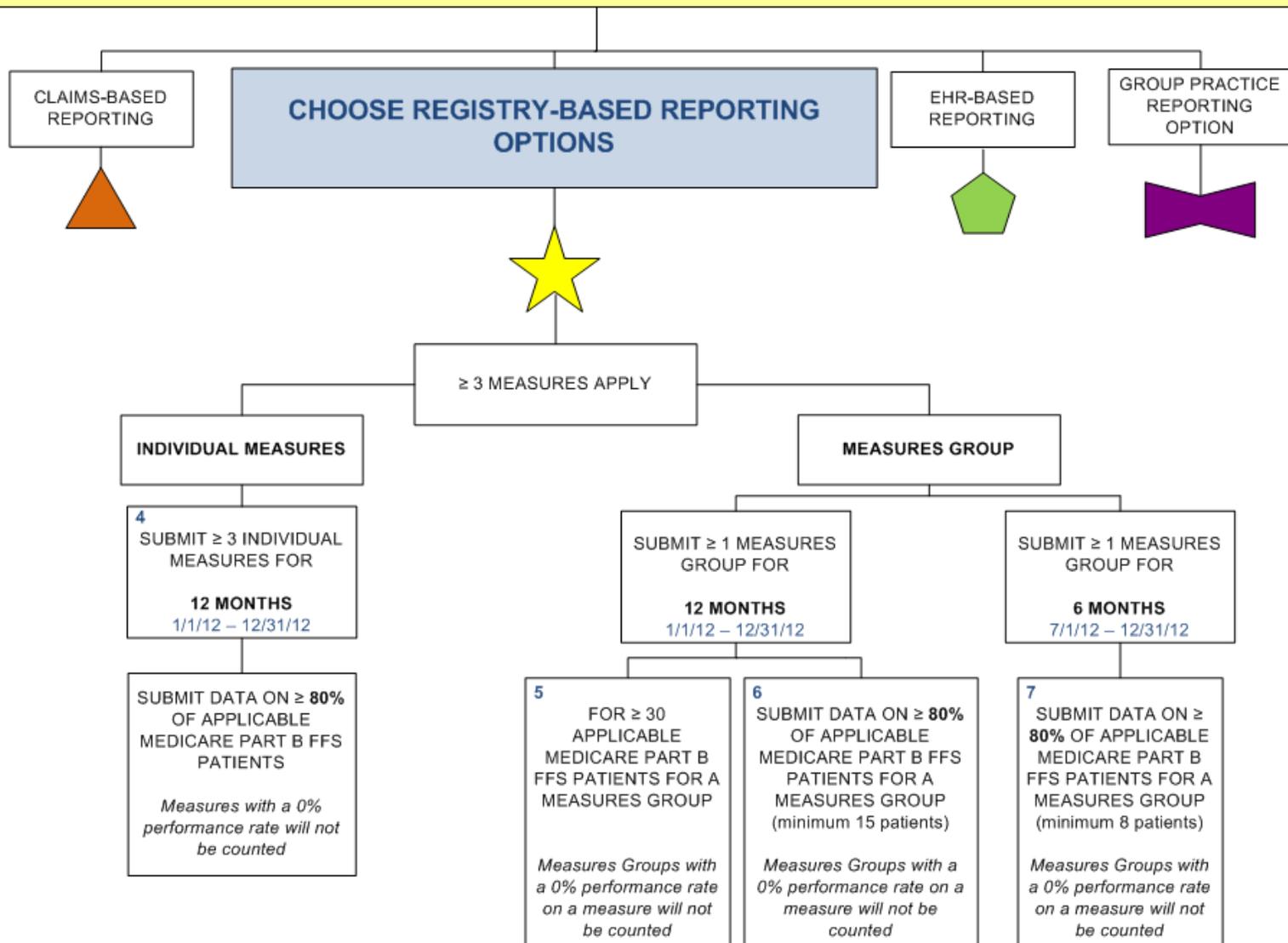


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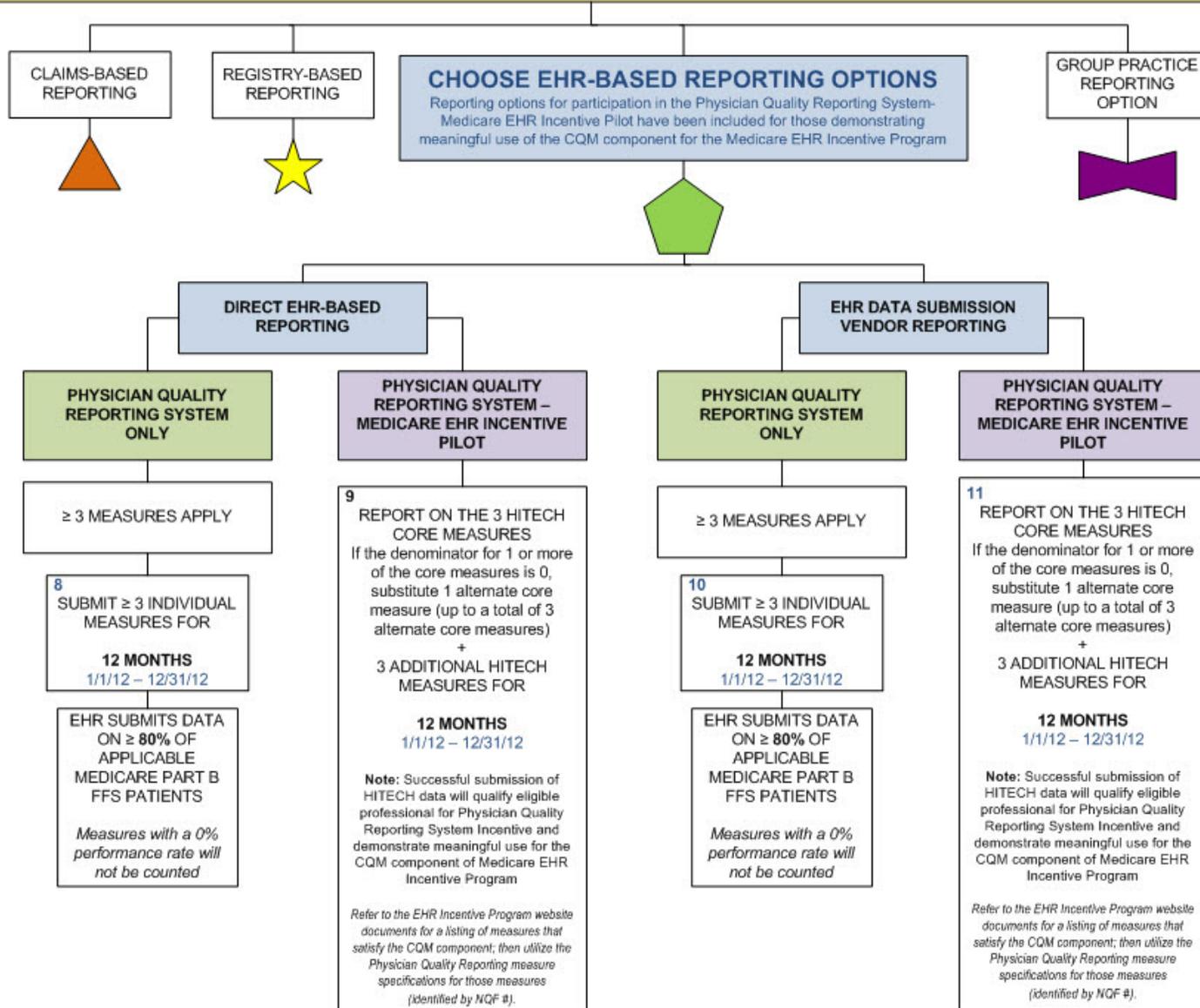


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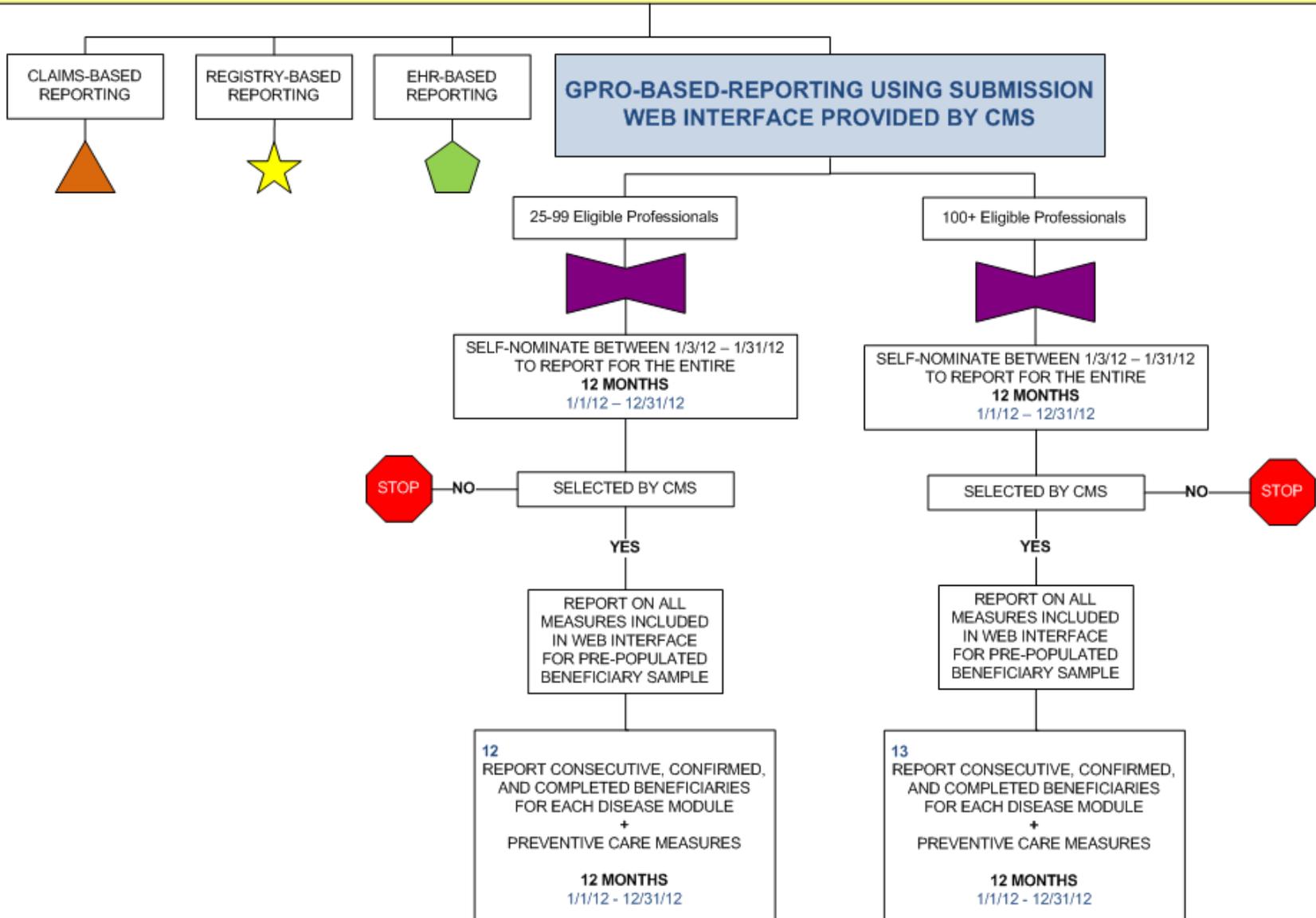


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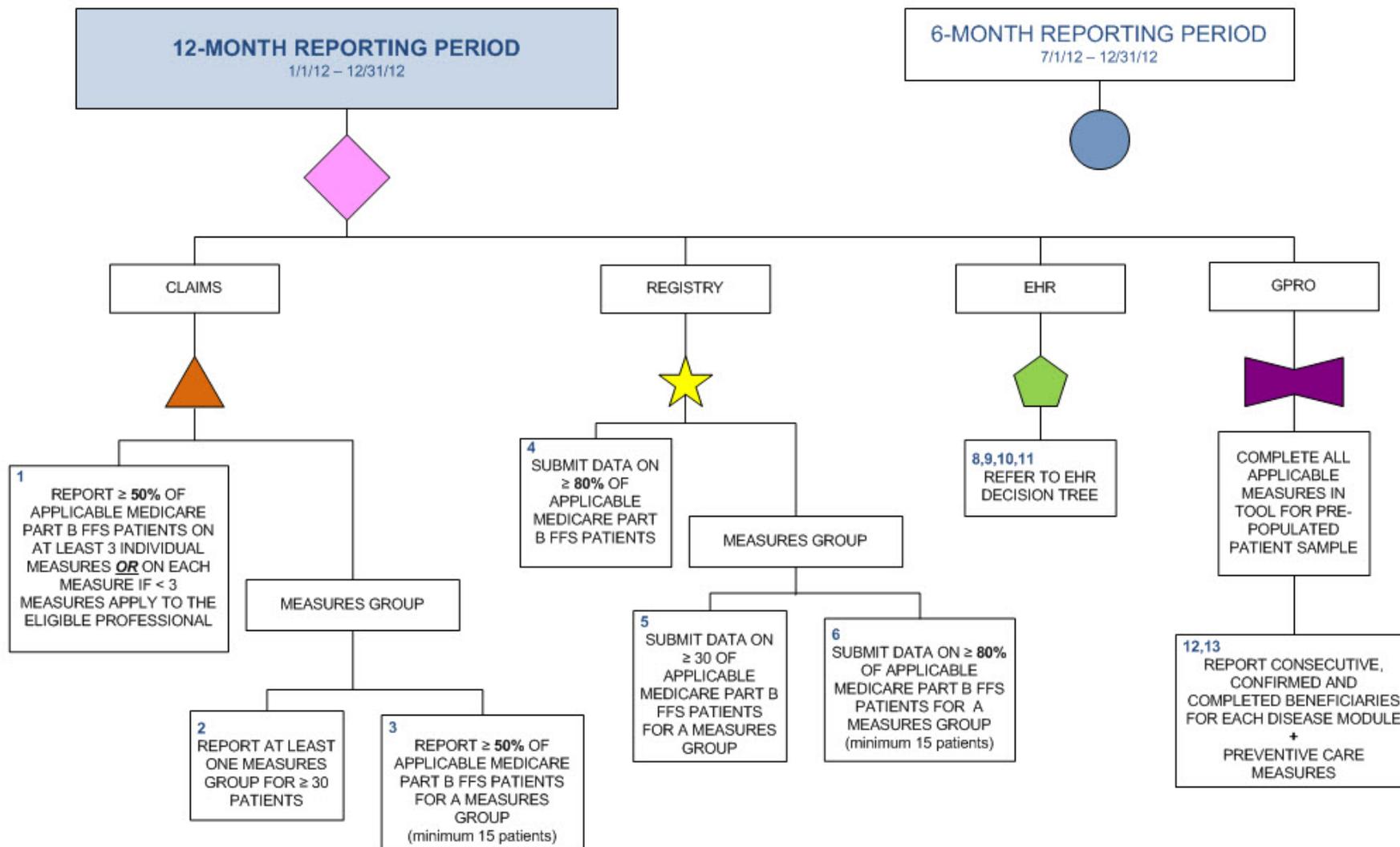
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**Note:** Measures with a 0% performance rate will be considered in analysis but will not be considered satisfactorily reported for incentive eligibility. Measures Groups containing a measure with a 0% performance rate on a measure will not be counted as 'satisfactorily reported'

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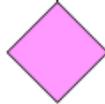
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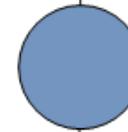
12-MONTH REPORTING PERIOD

1/1/12 – 12/31/12



6-MONTH REPORTING PERIOD

7/1/12 – 12/31/12



REGISTRY



MEASURES GROUP

**7**  
SUBMIT DATA ON **≥ 80%** OF  
APPLICABLE MEDICARE  
PART B FFS PATIENTS FOR  
A MEASURES GROUP  
(minimum 8 patients)

*Measures groups with a 0%  
performance rate on a  
measure will not be counted*

## 2012 Program Reporting Options

Number assigned coordinates with appropriate box on the 2012 Physician Quality Reporting Participation Decision Tree.

1. Claims-based reporting of individual measures (12 months)
2. Claims-based reporting of at least one measures group for 30 unique Medicare Part B FFS patients (12 months)
3. Claims-based reporting of at least one measures group for 50% or more of applicable Medicare Part B FFS patients of each eligible professional (with a minimum of 15 patients) (12 months)
4. Registry-based reporting of at least 3 individual Physician Quality Reporting measures for 80% or more of applicable Medicare Part B FFS patients of each eligible professional (12 months)
5. Registry-based reporting of at least one measures group for 30 unique Medicare Part B FFS patients (12 months)
6. Registry-based reporting of at least one measures group for 80% or more of applicable Medicare Part B FFS patients of each eligible professional (with a minimum of 15 patients) (12 months)
7. Registry-based reporting of at least one measures group for 80% or more of applicable Medicare Part B FFS patients of each eligible professional (with a minimum of 8 patients) (6 months)
8. Direct EHR-based reporting of at least 3 individual Physician Quality Reporting measures for 80% or more of applicable Medicare Part B FFS patients of each eligible professional (12 months)
9. Direct EHR-based reporting of a total of 3 HITECH core or alternate core measures AND at least 3 additional HITECH measures (12 months)
10. EHR Data Submission Vendor reporting of at least 3 individual Physician Quality Reporting measures for 80% or more of applicable Medicare Part B FFS patients of each eligible professional (12 months)
11. EHR Data Submission Vendor reporting of a total of 3 HITECH core or alternate core measures AND at least 3 additional HITECH measures (12 months)
12. GPRO-based reporting (25-99 eligible professionals) of all applicable measures included in the submission web interface provided by CMS for consecutive, confirmed, and completed patients for each disease module and preventive care measures (12 months)
13. GPRO-based reporting (100+ eligible professionals) of all applicable measures included in the submission web interface provided by CMS for consecutive, confirmed, and completed patients for each disease module and preventive care measures (12 months)