User Guide

2010
Physician Quality Reporting Initiative (PQRI)
Feedback Reports

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Purpose

The Physician Quality Reporting Initiative (PQRI) Feedback Report User Guide is designed to assist eligible professionals and their authorized users with accessing and interpreting the 2010 PQRI feedback reports. The 2010 PQRI incentive payment will occur in September-October 2011. The 2010 PQRI feedback reports reflect data from the Medicare Part B claims received for the dates of service January 1, 2010 – December 31, 2010 that were processed into the National Claims History (NCH) by February 25, 2011. In 2011, PQRI became the Physician Quality Reporting System. However, for the purpose of this guide for 2010 we will refer to the program as PQRI.

PQRI Program Overview

The 2006 Tax Relief and Health Care Act (TRHCA) authorized a physician quality reporting system, including an incentive payment for eligible professionals who satisfactorily reported data on quality measures for Medicare Part B Physician Fee Schedule (PFS) covered professional services furnished to Medicare Fee-for-Service beneficiaries during the second half of 2007. CMS named this program the Physician Quality Reporting Incentive (PQRI).

The PQRI was further modified as a result of The Medicare, Medicaid, and SCHIP Extension Act (MMSEA) and the Medicare Improvements for Patients and Providers Act of 2008 (MIPPA). MMSEA authorized CMS to establish two alternative reporting periods, the reporting of measures groups, and to allow submission of data on PQRI quality measures through clinical data registries. For each program year, CMS implements PQRI through an annual rulemaking process published in the *Federal Register*. The program has expanded the number of measures and reporting options over time to facilitate quality reporting by a broad array of eligible professionals.

The 2010 PQRI continued as a pay-for-reporting program that included claims-, registry-, electronic health record (EHR)-, and Group Practice Reporting Option (GPRO)-based reporting of data on 175 individual quality measures as well as 13 measures groups. The two alternative reporting periods for this program year were: January 1, 2010 – December 31, 2010 and July 1, 2010 – December 31, 2010. There were 12 options for satisfactorily reporting quality measures data for the 2010 PQRI that differed based on the reporting period, the reporting option (individual measures or measures groups), and the selected data collection method (claims, qualified registry, qualified EHR, or GPRO).

Beginning with the 2010 PQRI, group practices that satisfactorily submitted data on quality measures could qualify to earn a PQRI incentive payment if it was determined that the group practice satisfactorily reported data on PQRI quality measures. This incentive payment is equal to two percent of the group practice's total estimated Medicare Part B Physician Fee Schedule (PFS) allowed charges processed no later than two months after the end of the applicable 2010 reporting period. Previously, the determination of satisfactory reporting and calculation of the incentive payment amount was made only at the individual eligible professional level. GPROs consist of a single Tax Identification Number (TIN) with 200 or more individual eligible professionals or individual National Provider Identifiers (NPIs). Group practices must go through a self-nomination process and meet the requirements for participating in the 2010 PQRI GPRO.

For more information on the 2010 PQRI, please visit the PQRI section of the CMS website at http://www.cms.gov/PQRS.

Report Overview

The 2010 PQRI feedback reports are packaged at the Taxpayer Identification Number (Tax ID Number, or TIN) level, with individual-level reporting (by National Provider Identifier or NPI level) and performance information for each eligible professional who reported at least one valid PQRI quality-data code (QDC) on a claim submitted under that TIN for services furnished during the reporting period. GPRO participants will not have reporting or performance data at the eligible professional level, only the TIN level. Reports include information on reporting rates, clinical performance, and incentives earned by individual professionals, with summary information on reporting success and incentives earned at the practice (TIN) level. Reports for individual measures via claims also include information on the measure-applicability validation (MAV) process and any impact it may have had on the eligible professional's incentive eligibility. For more information about MAV, go to http://www.cms.gov/PQRS.

The 2010 PQRI included five claims-based reporting methods, five registry-based reporting methods, GPRO reporting, and EHR reporting. All Medicare Part B claims submitted with PQRI QDCs, all registry data, all EHR data, and all GPRO data received for services furnished from January 1, 2010 – December 31, 2010 (for the 12-month reporting period) and for services furnished from July 1, 2010 – December 31, 2010 (for the 6-month reporting period) were analyzed to determine whether the eligible professional earned a PQRI incentive payment. Each TIN/NPI had the opportunity to participate in PQRI via multiple reporting methods. Participation is defined as eligible professionals submitting at least one valid QDC via claims or submitting data via a qualified registry, qualified EHR, or GPRO. Valid submissions are where a QDC was submitted and all measure-eligibility criteria were met (i.e., correct age, gender, diagnosis, and CPT). For those NPIs satisfactorily reporting using multiple reporting methods, the method associated with the most advantageous reporting period satisfied was used to determine their PQRI incentive.

- Eligible professionals who participated in the 2010 eRx Incentive Program as an individual NPI solo proprietor (submitted claims under a SSN) will be able to access their individual reports by three methods: 1) TIN/SSN level report via the Portal (will show only their data) at http://www.qualitynet.org/PQRI, or 2) NPI-level report via their Part B Carrier/MAC (will receive NPI report via email that also shows only their data), or 3) a web-based support page (when available, additional information on this new request method will be provided through the usual CMS communication channels.
- Eligible professionals who participated in the 2010 eRx Incentive Program as an individual NPI under a Tax ID practice (assigned benefits to a TIN) will be able to access their individual reports by three methods: 1) TIN-level report via the Portal (will show Table 1 TIN summary as well as all of the NPI-level reports for that TIN), or 2) NPI-level report via their Part B Carrier/MAC (will receive NPI report via email that shows only the data of that one NPI), or 3) another web-based support page (when available, additional information on this new request method will be provided through the usual CMS communication channels.
- Eligible professionals who participated in the 2010 eRx Incentive Program under the GPRO will receive TIN-level based reports through the Portal. Eligible professionals under the GPRO who reported at least one valid eRx QDC on a claim, or eRx data through a qualified registry or EHR system will have available to them a feedback report for each TIN under which they submitted services furnished during the reporting period.

CMS aims to distribute feedback reports as closely as possible to the incentive payment timeframe. 2010 PQRI feedback reports will be distributed in approximately September-October 2011. For more information on that process, see: http://www.cms.gov/MLNMattersArticles/downloads/SE0922.pdf.

Note: *These reports may contain a partial or "masked" Social Security Number/Social Security Account Number (SSN/SSAN) as part of the TIN field. Care should be taken in the handling and disposition of these reports to protect the privacy of the individual practitioner with whom the SSN is potentially associated. Please ensure that these reports are handled appropriately and disposed of properly to avoid a potential Personally Identifiable Information (PII) exposure or Identity Theft risk*.

System Requirements

Minimum hardware and software requirements to effectively access and view the PQRI feedback reports are listed below.

Hardware

- 166 MHZ Pentium processor with a minimum of 125 MB free disk space
- 32 MB Ram

Software

- Microsoft® Internet Explorer version 7.0
- Adobe® Acrobat® Reader version 5.0 and above
- JRE 6 or higher
- Windows XP operating system
- WinZip version 7.0 or greater (or compatible zip programs using default compression settings) for Zip file creation to upload data

Internet Connection

- The Physician Quality Reporting System Submission Portlet will be accessible via any Internet connection running on a minimum of 33.6k or high-speed Internet.

Participant Feedback Report Content and Appearance

Four tables may be included in the 2010 PQRI feedback reports. PQRI feedback reports will be generated for each TIN with at least one eligible professional reporting a QDC. Participants reporting via claims will receive Tables 1-4; via registry will receive Tables 1, 2, and 4; via EHR will receive Tables 1, 2, and 4; and via GRPO will receive Tables 1 and 4. The TIN-level feedback report is only accessible by the TIN. It is up to the TIN to distribute the information in Tables 2-4 to the individual NPI. The length of the feedback report will depend on the number of TIN/NPIs participating in PQRI. For TIN/NPIs reporting via multiple reporting methods, the feedback report will display each reporting method. A total incentive payment amount will be calculated for all TIN/NPIs. A breakdown of each individual NPI and their earned incentive amount will also be included.

Table 1: Earned Incentive Summary for Taxpayer Identification Number (Tax ID)

Each TIN will receive only one report.

- **Total Tax ID Earned Amount for NPIs:** The total incentive amount earned by the Tax ID. The actual incentive payment may vary slightly from this amount due to rounding.
- **NPI Total Earned Incentive Amount:** The 2.0% incentive amount earned for each TIN/NPI. TIN reporting thru GPRO will not receive information by NPI. This field will display "N/A" if the eligible professional is not incentive eligible or $0 if the NPI is incentive eligible but does not have any Part B allowed charges.

For definition of terms related to 2010 PQRI feedback reports, see **Appendix A**. Also refer to the footnotes within each table for additional content detail.

Examples of Table 1: Earned Incentive Summary for Taxpayer Identification Number (Tax ID) in this *Guide* include:

- *Figure 1.1 Screenshot of Table 1: Earned Incentive Summary for Taxpayer Identification Number (Tax ID)*
- *Figure 1.2 Screenshot of Table 1: Earned Incentive Summary for Taxpayer Identification Number (Tax ID – GPRO (pass)*
- *Figure 1.3 Screenshot of Table 1: Earned Incentive Summary for Taxpayer Identification Number (Tax ID) – GPRO (fail)*

Example 1.1: Earned Incentive Summary for Taxpayer Identification Number (Tax ID)

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Table 1: Earned Incentive Summary for Taxpayer Identification Number (Tax ID)
Sorted by NPI Number and sub-sorted by Earned Incentive Yes/No

Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Tax ID Number: XXXXX6789

Total incentive amount earned for all NPIs reporting under one TIN

Total incentive amount earned for TIN under each Carrier/MAC

Total Tax ID Earned Incentive Amount for NPIs (listed below):	Distribution of Total Incentive Earned Among Carriers/MACs That Processed Payments		
	Carrier/MAC Identification #	Proportion of Incentive per Carrier/MAC¤	Tax ID Earned Incentive Amount Under Carrier/MAC
$22,826.67	12345	90.0%	$20,544.00
	67890	10.0%	$2,282.67

Estimated total amount of Medicare Part B PFS charges per individual NPI

Total 2% incentive amount earned by each individual NPI

NPIs that did not earn an incentive will still appear in the report along with the reason they were not incentive eligible.

NPI	NPI Name«	Incentive Eligible•				Total # Measures Submitted^	Total # Measures Denominator Eligible~	Total # Measures Satisfactorily Reported‡	Total Estimated Allowed Medicare Part B PFS Charges	NPI Total Earned Incentive Amount*
		Method of Reporting	Reporting Period	Yes/No	Rationale					
1000000001	Not Available	Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via registry	6 months	No	Insufficient % of beneficiaries reported	N/A	N/A	N/A	$20,000.00	N/A
1000000002	Smith, Susie	Individual measure(s) reporting via registry	6 months	Yes	Sufficient # of measures reported at 80%	10	8	5	$100,000.00	$2,000.00
1000000002	Smith, Susie	Individual measure(s) reporting via claims	12 months	No	Did not pass MAV	8	4	1	$100,000.00	N/A
1000000002	Smith, Susie	Measures Groups - 30 patients via registry	12 months	No	Insufficient # of patients reported	N/A	N/A	N/A	$100,000.00	N/A
1000000003	Not Available	Individual measure(s) reporting via registry	12 months	Yes	Sufficient # of measures reported at 80%	6	4	3	$133,333.33	$2,666.67
1000000004	Not Available	Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via claims	6 months	Yes	Sufficient # of beneficiaries reported at 80% and a minimum of 8 eligible beneficiaries	N/A	N/A	N/A	$93,000.00	$1,860.00
1000000005	Not Available	Individual measure(s) reporting via claims	12 months	No	Insufficient # of measures reported at 80%	6	3	2	$68,000.00	N/A
1000000005	Not Available	Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via registry	12 months	No	Insufficient # of minimum eligible beneficiaries	N/A	N/A	N/A	$68,000.00	N/A
1000000006	Not Available	Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via registry	12 months	Yes	Sufficient # of beneficiaries reported at 80% and a minimum of 15 eligible beneficiaries	N/A	N/A	N/A	$125,000.00	$2,500.00

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NPI	NPI Name«	Incentive Eligible•				Total # Measures Submitted^	Total # Measures Denominator Eligible~	Total # Measures Satisfactorily Reported‡	Total Estimated Allowed Medicare Part B PFS Charges□	NPI Total Earned Incentive Amount*
		Method of Reporting	Reporting Period	Yes/No	Rationale					
1000000007	Not Available	Individual measure(s) reporting via claims	12 months	No	Did not pass MAV	8	4	1	$580,000.00	N/A
1000000008	Beans, John	Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via claims	12 months	Yes	Sufficient # of beneficiaries reported at 80% and a minimum of 15 eligible beneficiaries	N/A	N/A	N/A	$40,000.00	$800.00
1000000009	Smithson, Steve	Measures Groups - 30 patients via registry	12 months	Yes	Sufficient # of patients reported	N/A	N/A	N/A	$125,000.00	$2,500.00
1000000010	Johnson, John	Measures Groups - 30 patients via registry	12 months	No	Insufficient # of patients reported	N/A	N/A	N/A	$120,000.00	N/A
1000000011	Jones, Josie	Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via registry	6 months	Yes	Sufficient # of beneficiaries reported at 80% and a minimum of 8 eligible beneficiaries	N/A	N/A	N/A	$70,000.00	$1,400.00
1000000012	Doe, John	Individual measure(s) reporting via claims	12 months	Yes	Sufficient # of measures reported at 80%	6	4	3	$60,000.00	$1,200.00
1000000013	Not Available	Measures Groups - 30 beneficiaries via claims	12 months	Yes	Sufficient # of beneficiaries reported	N/A	N/A	N/A	$65,000.00	$1,300.00
1000000014	Not Available	Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via registry	12 months	No	Insufficient # of minimum eligible beneficiaries	N/A	N/A	N/A	$109,000.00	N/A
1000000015	Doe, Jane	Individual measure(s) reporting via claims	6 months	Yes	Sufficient # of measures reported at 80%	6	4	3	$30,000.00	$600.00
1000000016	Smith, Melissa	Individual measure(s) reporting via electronic health records	12 months	Yes	Sufficient # of measures reported at 80%	6	4	3	$300,000.00	$6,000.00
									Total:	$22,826.67

«Name identified by matching the identifier number in the CMS national Provider Enrollment Chain and Ownership System (PECOS) database. If the organization or professional's enrollment record or enrollment changes have not been processed and established in the national PECOS database as well as at the local Carrier/MAC systems at the time this report was produced, this is indicated by "Not Available". This does not affect the organization's or professional's enrollment status or eligibility for a 2010 PQRI incentive payment, only the system's ability to populate this field in the report.

◘The percentage of the total incentive amount earned by the TIN/NPI combinations, split across Carrier/MACs based on the proportionate split of the Tax ID's total estimated allowed Medicare Part B Physician Fee Schedule (PFS) charges billed across the Carrier/MACs. (100% of incentive will be distributed by a single Carrier/MAC if a single Carrier/MAC processed all claims within the reporting period for the

•An NPI satisfactorily reporting at least one claims-based reporting method or at least one registry-based reporting method and passing the applicable validation process is eligible to receive a PQR information regarding the incentive calculations is available on the CMS website.

^The number of measures where quality-data codes (QDCs) or quality action data are submitted, but are not necessarily valid. Only valid submissions count towards reporting success. If the reporti measures groups, this field will be populated with 'N/A'.

~The number of measures for which the TIN/NPI reported at least one valid quality-data code (QDC) or quality action data. If the reporting method is through measures groups, this field will be populated with 'N/A'.

‡The total number of measures the TIN/NPI reported at a satisfactory rate; satisfactory rate is for ≥ 80% of instances. If the reporting method is through measures groups, this field will be populated with 'N/A'.

□The total estimated amount of Medicare Part B Physician Fee Schedule (PFS) charges associated with services rendered during the reporting period. The PFS claims included were based on the six or twelve month reporting period for the method by which the NPI was incentive eligible.

*The amount of the incentive is based on the total estimated allowed Medicare Part B PFS charges for services performed within the length of the reporting period for which a TIN/NPI was eligible. If N/A, the NPI was not eligible to receive an incentive.

Note: The registry information is based on data calculated and supplied by the 2010 PQRI participating registries.
Note: The PQRI incentive payments are subject to offsets. Payments are made to the first NPI associated with the TIN. If the first NPI associated with the TIN has an offset, Carrier/MACs will apply the lump sum and/or sanction.

Caution: This report may contain a partial or "masked" Social Security Number (SSN/SSAN) as part of the Tax Identification Number (TIN) field. Care should be taken in the handling and disposition of this report to protect the privacy of the individual practitioner this SSN is potentially associated with. Please ensure that these reports are handled appropriately and disposed of properly to avoid a potential Personally Identifiable Information (PII) exposure or Identity Theft risk.

Total 2% incentive earned by the TIN for all participating NPIs

Figure 1.1 Screenshot of Table 1: Earned Incentive Summary for Taxpayer Identification Number (Tax ID)

Example 1.2: Earned Incentive Summary for Taxpayer Identification Number (Tax ID) – GPRO (Pass)

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Table 1: Earned Incentive Summary for Taxpayer Identification Number (Tax ID) - GPRO
Sorted by DM/PCM

Tax ID Name«: John Q. Jr. Public Clinic
Tax ID Number: XXXXX1234

Total incentive amount earned for the GPRO (TIN)

Total Tax ID Earned Incentive Amount*:	Total Estimated Allowed Medicare Part B PFS Charges¤:	Distribution of Total Incentive Earned Among Carriers/MACs That Processed Payments		
		Carrier/MAC Identification #	Proportion of Incentive per Carrier/MAC ¥	Tax ID Earned Incentive Amount Under Carrier/MAC
$92,425.67	$4,621,283.50	12345	90.0%	$83,183.10
		67890	10.0%	$9,242.57

Total incentive amount earned for GPRO under each Carrier/MAC

Disease Module/Preventive Care Measure (DM/PCM)	Incentive Eligibleψ	
	Yes/No	Rationale
Coronary Artery Disease	Yes	Met reporting requirements for consecutively completed cases
Diabetes Mellitus	Yes	Met reporting requirements for consecutively completed cases
Heart Failure	Yes	Met reporting requirements for consecutively completed cases
Hypertension	Yes	Met reporting requirements for consecutively completed cases
Preventive Care and Screening: Colorectal Cancer Screening	Yes	Met reporting requirements for consecutively completed cases
Preventive Care and Screening: Influenza Immunization for Patients ≥ 50 Years Old	Yes	Met reporting requirements for consecutively completed cases
Preventive Care and Screening: Pneumonia Vaccination for Patients 65 Years and Older	Yes	Met reporting requirements for consecutively completed cases
Preventive Care and Screening: Screening Mammography	Yes	Met reporting requirements for consecutively completed cases

Incentive Eligible column shows whether the GPRO met reporting requirements for each disease module -- in this example, the GPRO met all reporting requirements for consecutively completed cases

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Example 1.2 continued

«Name identified by matching the identifier number in the CMS national Provider Enrollment Chain and Ownership System (PECOS) database. If the organization or professional's enrollment record or enrollment changes have not been processed and established in the national PECOS database as well as at the local Carrier/MAC systems at the time this report was produced, this is indicated by "Not Available". This does not affect the organization's or professional's enrollment status or eligibility for a 2010 PQRI incentive payment, only the system's ability to populate this field in the report.

*The amount of t…ated allowed Medicare Part B PFS charges for services performed within the length of the reporting period for which a TIN was eligible. If N/A, the TIN was not eligible to receiv…

U The tota… estimated charges associated with services rendered during the reporting period.

¥ The percentage of the total incentive amount earned by the TIN, split across Carrier/MACs based on the proportionate split of the Tax ID's total estimated allowed Medicare Part B Physician Fee Schedule (PFS) charges billed across the Carrier/MACs. (100% of incentive will be distributed by a single Carrier/MAC if a single Carrier/MAC processed all claims within the reporting period for the Tax ID).

ψ A TIN satisfactorily reporting on all selected beneficiaries for each disease module and preventive measure and passing the applicable validation process is eligible to receive a PQRI incentive. More information regarding the incentive calculations is available on the CMS website.

Symbols are explained with footnotes

Note: The PQRI incentive payments are subject to offsets. Payments are made to the first NPI associated with the TIN. If the first NPI associated with the TIN has an offset, Carrier/MACs will apply the lump sum and/or sanction.

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Figure 1.2 Screenshot of Table 1: Earned Incentive Summary for Taxpayer Identification Number (Tax ID) – GPRO (Pass)

Example 1.3: Earned Incentive Summary for Taxpayer Identification Number (Tax ID) – GPRO (Fail)

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Table 1: Earned Incentive Summary for Taxpayer Identification Number (Tax ID) - GPRO
Sorted by DM/PCM

Tax ID Name«: Jane Q. Public Clinic
Tax ID Number: XXXXX5678

Total incentive amount earned for the GPRO (TIN)

Total Tax ID Earned Incentive Amount*:	Total Estimated Allowed Medicare Part B PFS ChargesU:	Distribution of Total Incentive Earned Among Carriers/MACs That Processed Payments		
		Carrier/MAC Identification #	Proportion of Incentive per Carrier/MAC ¥	Tax ID Earned Incentive Amount Under Carrier/MAC
N/A	$3,865,482.20	12345	90.0%	N/A
		67890	10.0%	N/A

Disease Module/Preventive Care Measure (DM/PCM)	Incentive Eligibleψ: Yes/No	Rationale
Coronary Artery Disease	Yes	Met reporting requirements for consecutively completed cases
Diabetes Mellitus	Yes	Met reporting requirements for consecutively completed cases
Heart Failure	Yes	Met reporting requirements for consecutively completed cases
Hypertension	Yes	Met reporting requirements for consecutively completed cases
Preventive Care and Screening: Colorectal Cancer Screening	Yes	Met reporting requirements for consecutively completed cases
Preventive Care and Screening: Influenza Immunization for Patients ≥ 50 Years Old	Yes	Met reporting requirements for consecutively completed cases
Preventive Care and Screening: Pneumonia Vaccination for Patients 65 Years and Older	No	Did not meet reporting requirements for consecutively completed cases
Preventive Care and Screening: Screening Mammography	No	Did not meet reporting requirements for consecutively completed cases

Earned Incentive fields will show the dollar amount earned if successful or "N/A" if the GPRO was not incentive eligible (as shown in this example)

Incentive Eligible column shows whether the GPRO met reporting requirements for each disease module -- in this example, the GPRO did not meet the reporting requirements for consecutively completed cases in two of the Preventive Care and Screening measures

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Example 1.3 continued

«Name identified by matching the identifier number in the ... have not been processed and established in the national ... organization's or professional's enrollment status or eligibi... *The amount of the incentive is based on the total estima... to receive an incentive.

ЏThe total estimated amount of Medicare Part B PFS ch...

¥The percentage of the total incentive amount earned by ... billed across the Carrier/MACs. (100% of incentive will b...

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Figure 1.3 Screenshot of Table 1: Earned Incentive Summary for Taxpayer Identification Number (Tax ID) – GPRO (Fail)

Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail

Each TIN/NPI who submitted via claims, registry, or EHR for Medicare Part B Physician Fee Schedule (PFS) covered professional services for which one or more PQRI quality measure applied will receive Table 2. This report reflects 1) the Participation Summary, 2) PQRI Incentive Detail listing the NPI's total earned incentive amount, and 3) a PQRI Reporting Detail listing the individual NPI's reporting rate for each measure.

- **Total # Measures Denominator Eligible:** The number of measures for which a TIN/NPI reported a valid quality-data code (QDC).
- **Total # Measures Satisfactorily Reported:** The total number of measures the TIN/NPI reported at a satisfactory rate; satisfactory rate is reporting on 80% or more of eligible instances.
- **Reporting Rate:** The TIN/NPI's reporting rate is calculated by finding the quotient of the number of numerator-eligible reporting instances divided by the number of denominator-eligible instances.
- **Total Estimated Allowed Medicare Part B PFS Charges:** The total estimated amount of Medicare Part B Physician Fee Schedule (PFS) allowed charges associated with covered professional services rendered during the reporting period. The PFS claims included were based on the reporting period for the method by which the NPI was incentive eligible.
- **NPI Total Earned Incentive Amount:** The 2.0% incentive for each incentive-eligible professional's TIN/NPI. This field will display "N/A" if the eligible professional is not incentive eligible.

Examples of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail in this *Guide* include:

- *Figure 2.1 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Claims for 12 Months*
- *Figure 2.2 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Registry for 12 Months*
- *Figure 2.3 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via EHR for 12 Months*
- *Figure 2.4 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Claims for 6 Months*
- *Figure 2.5 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Registry for 6 Months*
- *Figure 2.6 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Measures Groups: 30 Beneficiaries via Claims for 12 Months*
- *Figure 2.7 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Measures Groups: 30 Patients via Registry for 12 Months*
- *Figure 2.8 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Claims for 12 Months*
- *Figure 2.9 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Registry for 12 Months*
- *Figure 2.10 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Claims for 6 Months*
- *Figure 2.11 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Registry for 6 Months*

For definition of terms related to 2010 PQRI feedback reports, see **Appendix A**. Also refer to the footnotes within each table for additional content detail. All eligible TIN/NPIs will have detailed reports generated for them.

Example 2.1: NPI Reporting Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Claims for 12 Months

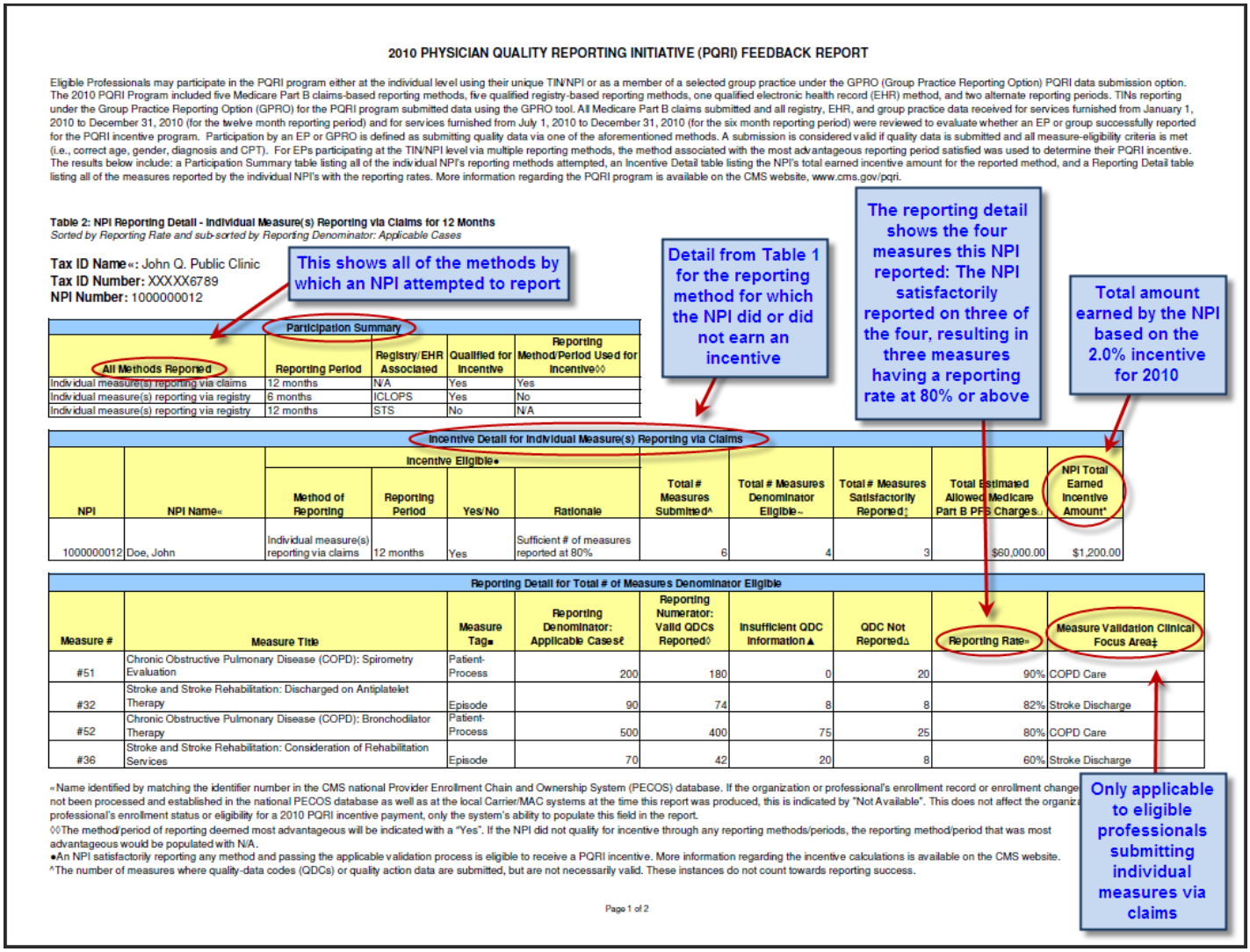

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Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail - Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Claims for 12 Months
Sorted by Reporting Rate and sub-sorted by Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases

Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Tax ID Number: XXXXX6789
NPI Number: 1000000012

This shows all of the methods by which an NPI attempted to report

Detail from Table 1 for the reporting method for which the NPI did or did not earn an incentive

The reporting detail shows the four measures this NPI reported: The NPI satisfactorily reported on three of the four, resulting in three measures having a reporting rate at 80% or above

Total amount earned by the NPI based on the 2.0% incentive for 2010

Participation Summary				
All Methods Reported	Reporting Period	Registry/EHR Associated	Qualified for Incentive	Reporting Method/Period Used for Incentive◊◊
Individual measure(s) reporting via claims	12 months	N/A	Yes	Yes
Individual measure(s) reporting via registry	6 months	ICLOPS	Yes	No
Individual measure(s) reporting via registry	12 months	STS	No	N/A

Incentive Detail for Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Claims										
		Incentive Eligible●								
NPI	NPI Name«	Method of Reporting	Reporting Period	Yes/No	Rationale	Total # Measures Submitted^	Total # Measures Denominator Eligible~	Total # Measures Satisfactorily Reported‡	Total Estimated Allowed Medicare Part B PFS Charges⊥	NPI Total Earned Incentive Amount*
1000000012	Doe, John	Individual measure(s) reporting via claims	12 months	Yes	Sufficient # of measures reported at 80%	6	4	3	$60,000.00	$1,200.00

Reporting Detail for Total # of Measures Denominator Eligible								
Measure #	Measure Title	Measure Tag■	Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases‹	Reporting Numerator: Valid QDCs Reported◊	Insufficient QDC Information▲	QDC Not Reported△	Reporting Rate»	Measure Validation Clinical Focus Area‡
#51	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD): Spirometry Evaluation	Patient-Process	200	180	0	20	90%	COPD Care
#32	Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Discharged on Antiplatelet Therapy	Episode	90	74	8	8	82%	Stroke Discharge
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◊◊The method/period of reporting deemed most advantageous will be indicated with a "Yes". If the NPI did not qualify for incentive through any reporting methods/periods, the reporting method/period that was most advantageous would be populated with N/A.
●An NPI satisfactorily reporting any method and passing the applicable validation process is eligible to receive a PQRI incentive. More information regarding the incentive calculations is available on the CMS website.
^The number of measures where quality-data codes (QDCs) or quality action data are submitted, but are not necessarily valid. These instances do not count towards reporting success.

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Only applicable to eligible professionals submitting individual measures via claims

Figure 2.1 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Claims for 12 Months

Example 2.2: NPI Reporting Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Registry for 12 Months

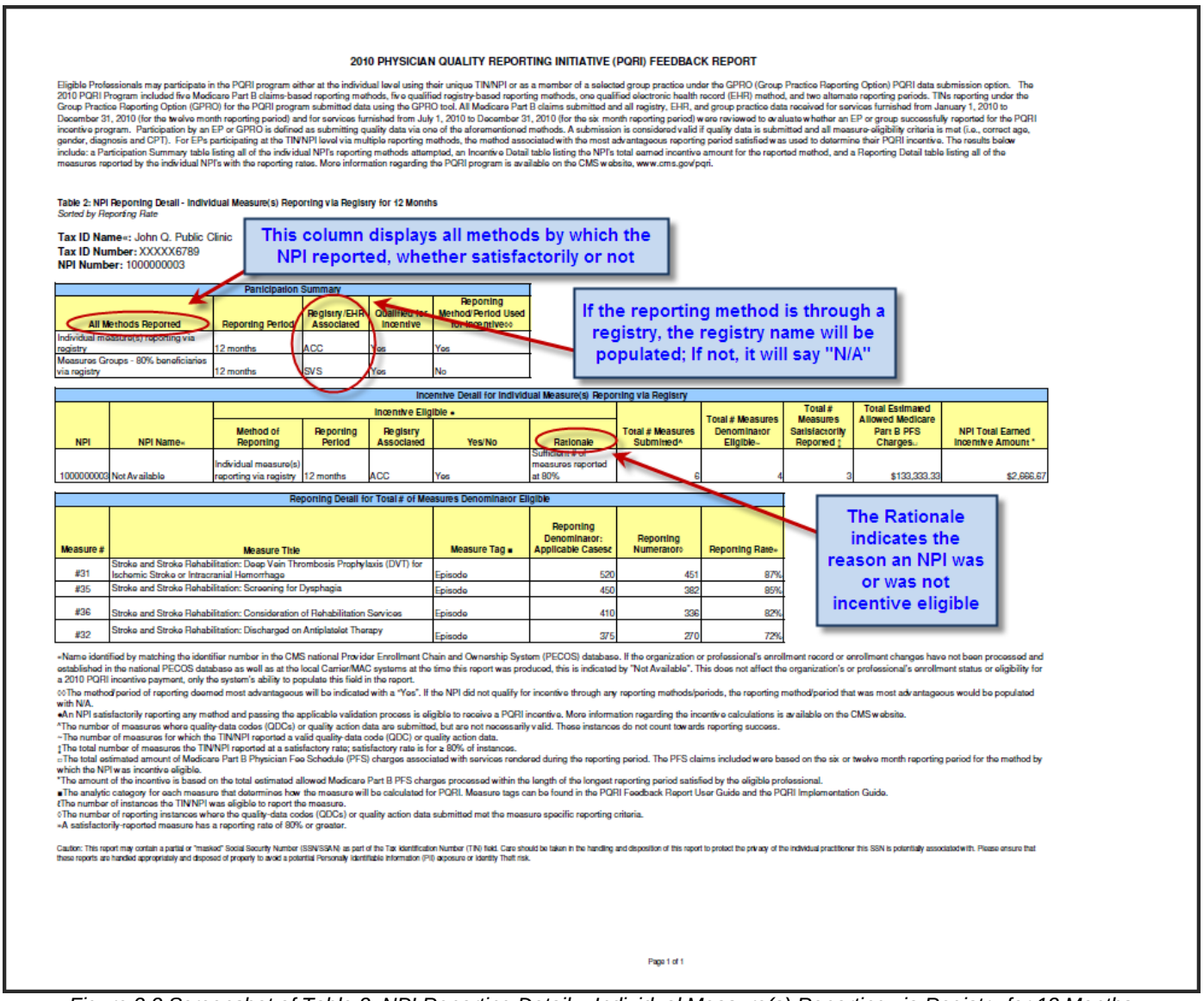

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Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail - Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Registry for 12 Months
Sorted by Reporting Rate

Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Tax ID Number: XXXXX6789
NPI Number: 1000000003

This column displays all methods by which the NPI reported, whether satisfactorily or not

If the reporting method is through a registry, the registry name will be populated; If not, it will say "N/A"

Participation Summary				
All Methods Reported	Reporting Period	Registry/EHR Associated	Qualified for Incentive	Reporting Method/Period Used for Incentive◊◊
Individual measure(s) reporting via registry	12 months	ACC	Yes	Yes
Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via registry	12 months	SVS	Yes	No

Incentive Detail for Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Registry											
		Incentive Eligible ▪									
NPI	NPI Name«	Method of Reporting	Reporting Period	Registry Associated	Yes/No	Rationale	Total # Measures Submitted^	Total # Measures Denominator Eligible~	Total # Measures Satisfactorily Reported ‡	Total Estimated Allowed Medicare Part B PFS Charges□	NPI Total Earned Incentive Amount *
1000000003	Not Available	Individual measure(s) reporting via registry	12 months	ACC	Yes	Sufficient # of measures reported at 80%	5	4	3	$133,333.33	$2,666.67

The Rationale indicates the reason an NPI was or was not incentive eligible

Reporting Detail for Total # of Measures Denominator Eligible					
Measure #	Measure Title	Measure Tag ■	Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases¢	Reporting Numerator◊	Reporting Rate«
#31	Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Deep Vein Thrombosis Prophylaxis (DVT) for Ischemic Stroke or Intracranial Hemorrhage	Episode	520	451	87%
#35	Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Screening for Dysphagia	Episode	450	382	85%
#36	Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Consideration of Rehabilitation Services	Episode	410	336	82%
#32	Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Discharged on Antiplatelet Therapy	Episode	375	270	72%

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◊◊The method/period of reporting deemed most advantageous will be indicated with a "Yes". If the NPI did not qualify for incentive through any reporting methods/periods, the reporting method/period that was most advantageous would be populated with N/A.
▪An NPI satisfactorily reporting any method and passing the applicable validation process is eligible to receive a PQRI incentive. More information regarding the incentive calculations is available on the CMS website.
^The number of measures where quality-data codes (QDCs) or quality action data are submitted, but are not necessarily valid. These instances do not count towards reporting success.
~The number of measures for which the TIN/NPI reported a valid quality-data code (QDC) or quality action data.
‡The total number of measures the TIN/NPI reported at a satisfactory rate; satisfactory rate is for ≥ 80% of instances.
□The total estimated amount of Medicare Part B Physician Fee Schedule (PFS) charges associated with services rendered during the reporting period. The PFS claims included were based on the six or twelve month reporting period for the method by which the NPI was incentive eligible.
*The amount of the incentive is based on the total estimated allowed Medicare Part B PFS charges processed within the length of the longest reporting period satisfied by the eligible professional.
■The analytic category for each measure that determines how the measure will be calculated for PQRI. Measure tags can be found in the PQRI Feedback Report User Guide and the PQRI Implementation Guide.
¢The number of instances the TIN/NPI was eligible to report the measure.
◊The number of reporting instances where the quality-data codes (QDCs) or quality action data submitted met the measure specific reporting criteria.
«A satisfactorily-reported measure has a reporting rate of 80% or greater.

Caution: This report may contain a partial or "masked" Social Security Number (SSN/SSAN) as part of the Tax Identification Number (TIN) field. Care should be taken in the handling and disposition of this report to protect the privacy of the individual practitioner this SSN is potentially associated with. Please ensure that these reports are handled appropriately and disposed of properly to avoid a potential Personally Identifiable Information (PII) exposure or Identity Theft risk.

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Figure 2.2 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Registry for 12 Months

Example 2.3: NPI Reporting Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via EHR for 12 Months

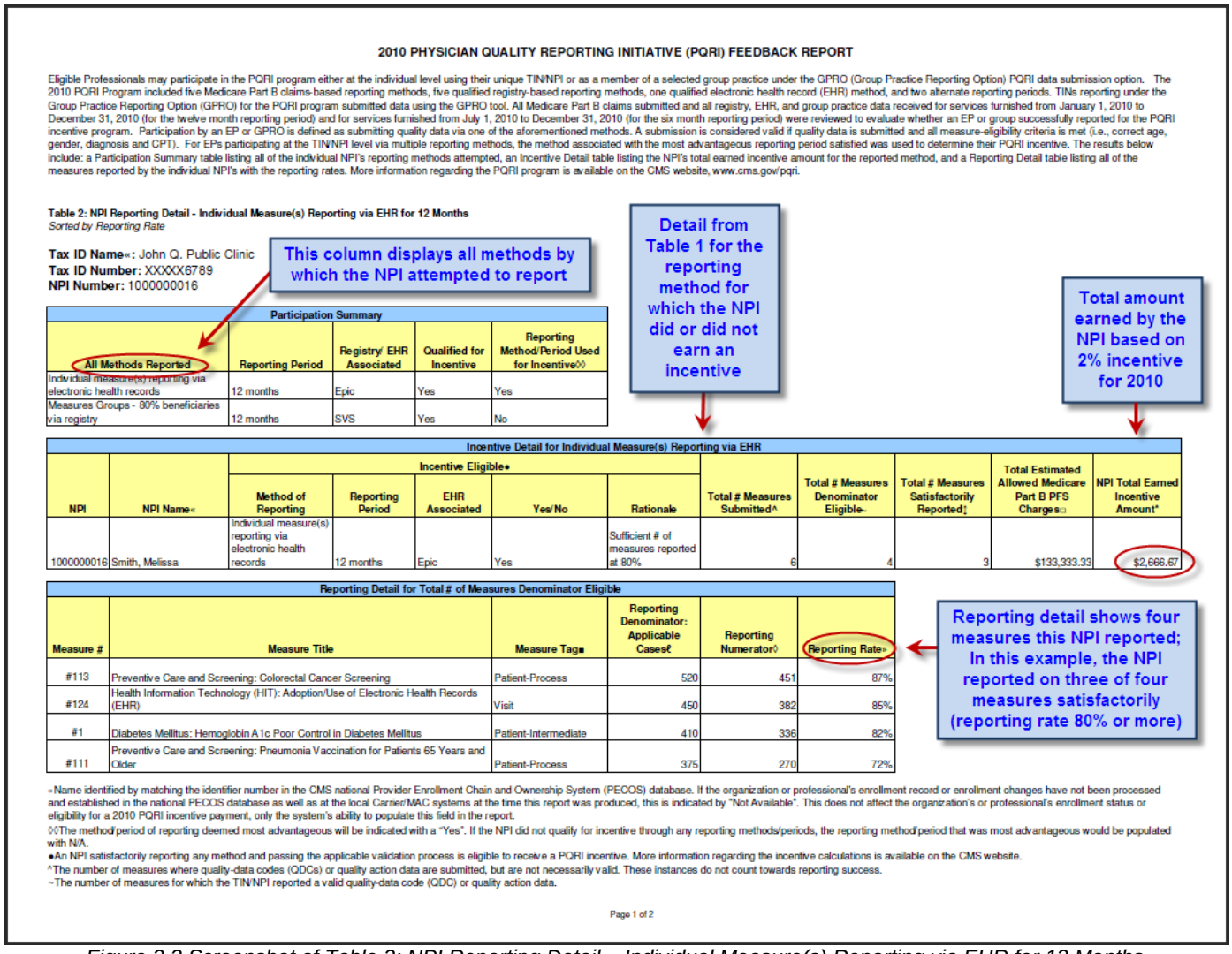

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Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail - Individual Measure(s) Reporting via EHR for 12 Months
Sorted by Reporting Rate

Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Tax ID Number: XXXXX6789
NPI Number: 1000000016

This column displays all methods by which the NPI attempted to report

Detail from Table 1 for the reporting method for which the NPI did or did not earn an incentive

Total amount earned by the NPI based on 2% incentive for 2010

Participation Summary

All Methods Reported	Reporting Period	Registry/ EHR Associated	Qualified for Incentive	Reporting Method/Period Used for Incentive◊◊
Individual measure(s) reporting via electronic health records	12 months	Epic	Yes	Yes
Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via registry	12 months	SVS	Yes	No

Incentive Detail for Individual Measure(s) Reporting via EHR

NPI	NPI Name«	Incentive Eligible•					Total # Measures Submitted^	Total # Measures Denominator Eligible~	Total # Measures Satisfactorily Reported‡	Total Estimated Allowed Medicare Part B PFS Charges□	NPI Total Earned Incentive Amount*
		Method of Reporting	Reporting Period	EHR Associated	Yes/No	Rationale					
1000000016	Smith, Melissa	Individual measure(s) reporting via electronic health records	12 months	Epic	Yes	Sufficient # of measures reported at 80%	6	4	3	$133,333.33	$2,666.67

Reporting Detail for Total # of Measures Denominator Eligible

Measure #	Measure Title	Measure Tag▪	Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases‡	Reporting Numerator◊	Reporting Rate»
#113	Preventive Care and Screening: Colorectal Cancer Screening	Patient-Process	520	451	87%
#124	Health Information Technology (HIT): Adoption/Use of Electronic Health Records (EHR)	Visit	450	382	85%
#1	Diabetes Mellitus: Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Diabetes Mellitus	Patient-Intermediate	410	336	82%
#111	Preventive Care and Screening: Pneumonia Vaccination for Patients 65 Years and Older	Patient-Process	375	270	72%

Reporting detail shows four measures this NPI reported; In this example, the NPI reported on three of four measures satisfactorily (reporting rate 80% or more)

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~The number of measures for which the TIN/NPI reported a valid quality-data code (QDC) or quality action data.

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Figure 2.3 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via EHR for 12 Months

Example 2.4: NPI Reporting Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Claims for 6 Months

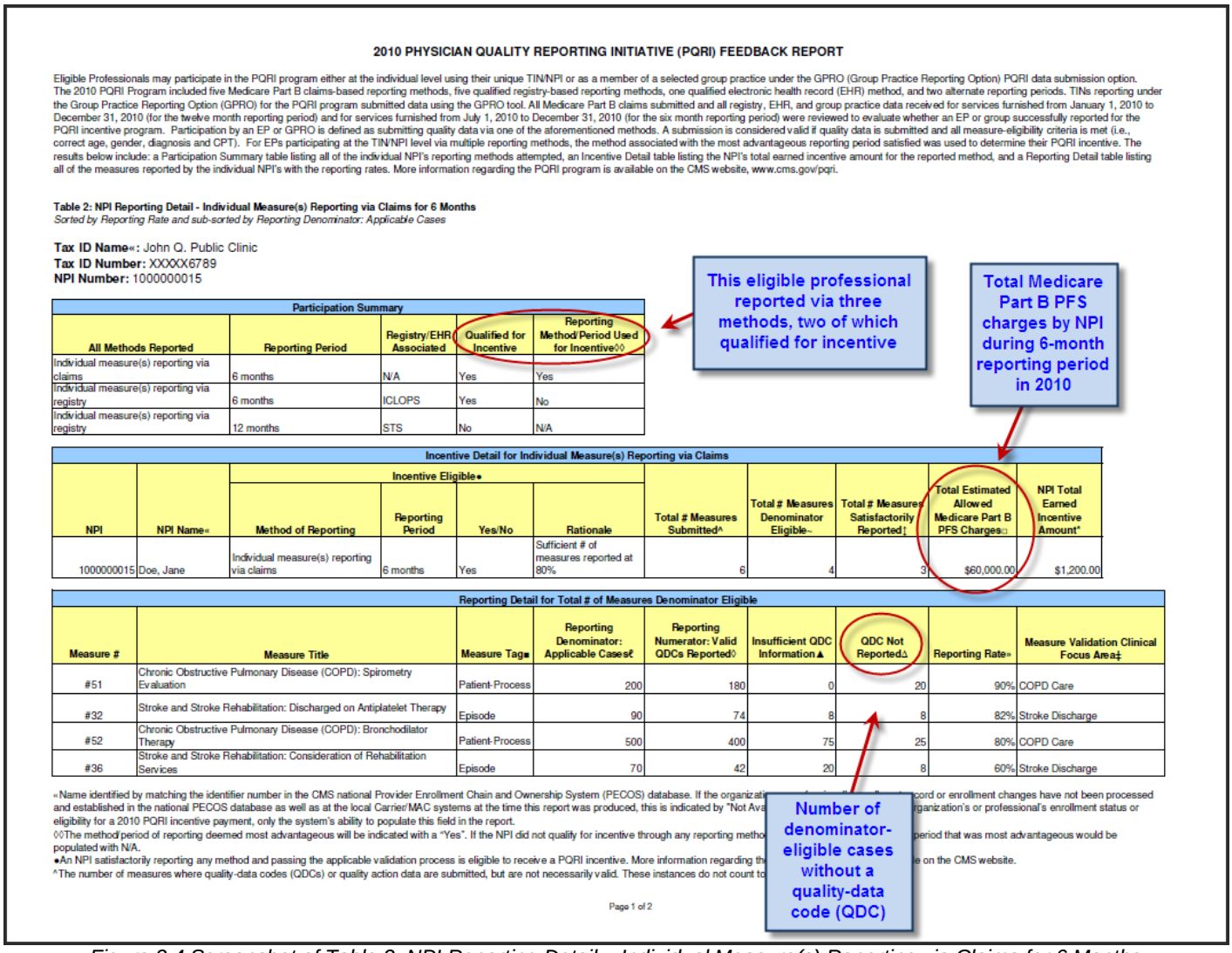

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Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail - Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Claims for 6 Months
Sorted by Reporting Rate and sub-sorted by Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases

Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Tax ID Number: XXXXX6789
NPI Number: 1000000015

This eligible professional reported via three methods, two of which qualified for incentive

Total Medicare Part B PFS charges by NPI during 6-month reporting period in 2010

Participation Summary				
All Methods Reported	Reporting Period	Registry/EHR Associated	Qualified for Incentive	Reporting Method/Period Used for Incentive◊◊
Individual measure(s) reporting via claims	6 months	N/A	Yes	Yes
Individual measure(s) reporting via registry	6 months	ICLOPS	Yes	No
Individual measure(s) reporting via registry	12 months	STS	No	N/A

Incentive Detail for Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Claims										
		Incentive Eligible•								
NPI	NPI Name«	Method of Reporting	Reporting Period	Yes/No	Rationale	Total # Measures Submitted^	Total # Measures Denominator Eligible~	Total # Measures Satisfactorily Reported‡	Total Estimated Allowed Medicare Part B PFS Charges□	NPI Total Earned Incentive Amount*
1000000015	Doe, Jane	Individual measure(s) reporting via claims	6 months	Yes	Sufficient # of measures reported at 80%	6	4	3	$60,000.00	$1,200.00

Reporting Detail for Total # of Measures Denominator Eligible								
Measure #	Measure Title	Measure Tag•	Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases£	Reporting Numerator: Valid QDCs Reported◊	Insufficient QDC Information▲	QDC Not Reported△	Reporting Rate»	Measure Validation Clinical Focus Area‡
#51	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD): Spirometry Evaluation	Patient-Process	200	180	0	20	90%	COPD Care
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Number of denominator-eligible cases without a quality-data code (QDC)

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Figure 2.4 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Claims for 6 Months

Example 2.5: NPI Reporting Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Registry for 6 Months

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Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail - Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Registry for 6 Months
Sorted by Reporting Rate

Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Tax ID Number: XXXXX6789
NPI Number: 1000000002

Measure Tags shows the analytic category for each measure that determines how the measure will be calculated for PQRI

Participation Summary				
All Methods Reported	Reporting Period	Registry/ EHR Associated	Qualified for Incentive	Reporting Method/Period Used for Incentive◊◊
Individual measure(s) reporting via registry	6 months	ACC	Yes	Yes
Individual measure(s) reporting via registry	12 months	ACC	No	N/A
Individual measure(s) reporting via claims	12 months	N/A	No	N/A

Incentive Detail for Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Registry											
		Incentive Eligible•									
NPI	NPI Name«	Method of Reporting	Reporting Period	Registry Associated	Yes/No	Rationale	Total # Measures Submitted^	Total # Measures Denominator Eligible~	Total # Measures Satisfactorily Reported‡	Total Estimated Allowed Medicare Part B PFS Charges□	NPI Total Earned Incentive Amount*
1000000002	Smith, Susie	Individual measure(s) reporting via registry	6 months	ACC	Yes	Sufficient # of measures reported at 80%	10	8	5	$100,000.00	$2,000.00

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#36	Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Consideration of Rehabilitation Services	Episode	410	336	82%
#33	Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Anticoagulent Therapy Prescribed for Atrial Fibrillation at Discharge	Episode	406	330	81%
#32	Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Discharged on Antiplatelet Therapy	Episode	400	320	80%
#34	Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Tissue Pasminogen Activator (t-PA) Considered	Episode	370	274	74%
#47	Advance Care Plan	Patient-Process	358	261	73%
#124	HIT: Adoption/Use of Health Information Technology (Electronic Health Records)	Visit	321	201	63%

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Measure #	Measure Title	Measure Tag■	Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases£	Reporting Numerator◊	Reporting Rate»

«Name identified by matching the identifier number in the CMS national Provider Enrollment Chain and Ownership System (PECOS) database. If the organization or professional's enrollment record or enrollment changes have not been processed and established in the national PECOS database as well as at the local Carrier/MAC systems at the time this report was produced, this is indicated by "Not Available". This does not affect the organization's or professional's enrollment status or eligibility for a 2010 PQRI incentive payment, only the system's ability to populate this field in the report.

◊◊The method/period of reporting deemed most advantageous will be indicated with a "Yes". If the NPI did not qualify for incentive through any reporting methods/periods, the reporting method/period that was most advantageous would be populated with N/A.
•An NPI satisfactorily reporting any method and passing the applicable validation process is eligible to receive a PQRI incentive. More information regarding the incentive calculations is available on the CMS website.
^The number of measures where quality-data codes (QDCs) or quality action data are submitted, but are not necessarily valid. These instances do not count towards reporting success.
~The number of measures for which the TIN/NPI reported a valid quality-data code (QDC) or quality action data.
‡The total number of measures the TIN/NPI reported at a satisfactory rate; satisfactory rate is for ≥ 80% of instances.
□The total estimated amount of Medicare Part B Physician Fee Schedule (PFS) charges associated with services rendered during the reporting period. The PFS claims included were based on the six or twelve month reporting period for the method by which the NPI was incentive eligible.
*The amount of the incentive is based on the total estimated allowed Medicare Part B PFS charges processed within the length of the longest reporting period satisfied by the eligible professional.
■The analytic category for each measure that determines how the measure will be calculated for PQRI. Measure tags can be found in the PQRI Feedback Report User Guide and the PQRI Implementation Guide.
£The number of instances the TIN/NPI was eligible to report the measure.
◊The number of reporting instances where the quality-data codes (QDCs) or quality action data submitted met the measure specific reporting criteria.
»A satisfactorily-reported measure has a reporting rate of 80% or greater.

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Figure 2.5 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Registry for 6 Months

Example 2.6: NPI Reporting Detail – Measures Groups: 30 Beneficiaries via Claims for 12 Months

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Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail - Measures Groups: 30 Beneficiaries via Claims for 12 Months
Sorted by Reporting Numerator of Measures Group and Sub-Sorted by Measure #

Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Tax ID Number: XXXXX6789
NPI Number: 1000000013

Participation Summary				
All Methods Reported	Reporting Period	Registry/ EHR Associated	Qualified for Incentive	Reporting Method/Period Used for Incentive◊◊
Measures Groups - 30 beneficiaries via claims	12 months	N/A	Yes	Yes
Individual measure(s) reporting via registry	6 months	Cedaron	No	N/A

Incentive Detail for Measures Groups - 30 Beneficiaries via Claims							
		Incentive Eligible♦					
NPI	NPI Name«	Method of Reporting	Reporting Period	Yes/No	Rationale	Total Estimated Allowed Medicare Part B PFS Charges□	NPI Total Earned Incentive Amount"
1000000013	Not Available	Measures Groups - 30 beneficiaries via claims	12 months	Yes	Sufficient # of beneficiaries reported	$65,000.00	$1,300.00

Reporting Detail					
Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)►	Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases♦	Reporting Numerator□□	Insufficient QDC Information+	QDC Not Reported∆∆
N/A	**Preventive Care Measures Group►►**	35	30	N/A	N/A
#39	Screening or Therapy for Osteoporosis for Women Aged 65 Years and Older	40	40	0	0
#48	Urinary Incontinence: Assessment of Presence or Absence of Urinary Incontinence in Women Aged 65 Years and Older	38	38	0	0
#110	Preventive Care and Screening: Influenza Immunization for Patients ≥ 50 Years Old	32	30	2	0
#111	Preventive Care and Screening: Pneumonia Vaccination for Patients 65 years and Older	41	41	0	0
#112	Preventive Care and Screening: Screening Mammography	38	30	0	8
#113	Preventive Care and Screening: Colorectal Cancer Screening	30	30	0	0
#114	Preventive Care and Screening: Inquiry Regarding Tobacco Use	52	52	0	0
#115	Preventive Care and Screening: Advising Smokers to Quit	36	36	0	0
#128	Preventive Care and Screening: Body Mass Index (BMI) Screening and Follow-Up	88	88	0	0
N/A	**Diabetes Mellitus Measures Group►►**	95	95	N/A	N/A
#1	Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Type 1 or 2 Diabetes Mellitus	30	30	0	0

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Eligible professional's name is identified by matching the identifier number in the CMS National Provider Enrollment Chain and Ownership System (PECOS) database

If no name is listed in PECOS, report will display Not Available. Not available name does not affect eligibility for incentive.

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Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles) ►	Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases ♦	Reporting Numerator●●	Insufficient QDC Information♠	QDC Not Reported ♣	Reporting Rate**
#122	Blood Pressure Management	250	225	25	0	90%
#123	Plan of Care - Elevated Hemoglobin for Patients Receiving Erythropoiesis-Stimulating	250	215	35	0	86%
#135	Influenza Immunization	250	215	33	2	86%
#153	Referral for Arteriovenous (AV) Fistula	250	215	35	0	86%

«Name identified by matching the identifier number in the CMS national Provider Enrollment Chain and Ownership System (PECOS) database. If the organization or professional's enrollment record or enrollment changes have not been processed and established in the national PECOS database [illegible] time this report was produced, this is indicated by "Not Available". This does not affect the organization's or professional's enrollment status or eligibility for a 2010 PQ[illegible] populate this field in the report.

◊◊The method/period of reporting deemed most advantageous will be indicated with a[illegible]ough any reporting methods/periods, the reporting method/period that was most advantageous would be populated with N/A.

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●An NPI satisfactorily reporting any method and passing the applicable validation process is eligible to receive a PQRI incentive. More information regarding the incentive calculations is available on the CMS website.

□The total estimated amount of Medicare Part B Physician Fee Schedule (PFS) charges associated with services rendered during the reporting period. The PFS claims included were based on the six or twelve month reporting period for the method by which the NPI was incentive eligible.

*The amount of the incentive is based on the total estimated allowed Medicare Part B PFS charges processed within the length of the longest reporting period satisfied by the eligible professional.

►Each measure within the measures group is analyzed as specified in the 2010 PQRI Measures Groups Specifications Manual located on the CMS PQRI website.

►►This count is for all measures reported within the measures group.

♦The # of reporting instances meeting the common denominator inclusion criteria for the measures group.

●●The # of reporting instances for which this TIN/NPI submitted all quality-data code(s) (QDCs) or quality action data corresponding with all applicable measures within the measures group or submitted the composite G-code for the measures group. For each measure within the measures group, this indicates the # of reporting instances for which this TIN/NPI submitted one or more QDCs or quality actions corresponding with the applicable measure within the measures group.

♠The number of instances where reporting was not met due to insufficient quality-data code (QDC) information/numerator coding not complete for the measure from the TIN/NPI combination (e.g. two numerator codes are necessary for the measure, only one was submitted; inappropriate CPT II modifier submitted for the measure). This column will be populated with N/A for the Measures Group Title line.

♣The number of instances where reporting was not met due to no quality-data code (QDC) information/numerator coding existing for the measure from the TIN/NPI combination. This column will be populated with N/A for the Measures Group Title line.

**The reporting rate for the measures group where all applicable QDCs or quality action data for all applicable measures within the measures group is reported for an eligible reporting instance which is used to determine incentive eligibility. The reporting rate for the measure where a QDC or quality action for the measure is reported for applicable cases.

Note: Due to measures group calculations, the overall measures groups reporting rate will not be an average of the individual measure's reporting rates.

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Figure 2.6 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Measures Groups: 30 Beneficiaries via Claims for 12 Months

Example 2.7: NPI Reporting Detail – Measures Groups: 30 Patients via Registry for 12 Months

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Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail - Measures Groups: 30 Patients via Registry for 12 Months
Sorted by Reporting Numerator of Measures Group and Sub-Sorted by Measure #

Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Tax ID Number: XXXXX6789
NPI Number: 1000000009

The name of the Registry used is listed in the Registry/EHR Associated column

Participation Summary

All Methods Reported	Reporting Period	Registry/EHR Associated	Qualified for Incentive	Reporting Method/Period Used for Incentive◊◊
Measures Groups - 30 patients via registry	12 months	ICLOPS	Yes	Yes

Incentive Detail for Measures Groups - 30 Patients via Registry

NPI	NPI Name«	Incentive Eligible•					Total Estimated Allowed Medicare Part B PFS Charges□	NPI Total Earned Incentive Amount*
		Method of Reporting	Reporting Period	Registry Associated	Yes/No	Rationale		
1000000009	Smithson, Steve	Measures Groups - 30 patients via registry	12 months	ICLOPS	Yes	Sufficient # of patients reported	$125,000.00	$2,500.00

Reporting Detail

Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)►	Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases♦	Reporting Numerator β
N/A	**Preventive Care Measures Group► ►**	30	30
#39	Screening or Therapy for Osteoporosis for Women Aged 65 Years and Older	42	42
#48	Urinary Incontinence: Assessment of Presence or Absence of Urinary Incontinence in Women Aged 65 Years and Older	56	56
#110	Preventive Care and Screening: Influenza Immunization for Patients ≥ 50 Years Old	92	92
#111	Preventive Care and Screening: Pneumonia Vaccination for Patients 65 years and Older	74	74
#112	Preventive Care and Screening: Screening Mammography	32	32

The NPI satisfactorily reported for all of the measures within this measures group for at least 30 eligible Medicare patients

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Example 2.7 continued

Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)►	Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases♦	Reporting Numerator β
#113	Preventive Care and Screening: Colorectal Cancer Screening	30	30
#114	Preventive Care and Screening: Inquiry Regarding Tobacco Use	38	38
#115	Preventive Care and Screening: Advising Smokers to Quit	30	30
#128	Preventive Care and Screening: Body Mass Index (BMI) Screening and Follow-Up	30	30
N/A	**Diabetes Mellitus Measures Group►►**	30	30
#1	Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Type 1 or 2 Diabetes Mellitus	251	251
#2	Low Density Lipoprotein Control in Type 1 or 2 Diabetes Mellitus	233	233
#3	High Blood Pressure Control in Type 1 or 2 Diabetes Mellitus	291	291
#117	Dilated Eye Exam in Diabetic Patient	267	267
#119	Urine Screening for Microalbumin or Medical Attention for Nephropathy in Diabetic Patients	211	211
#163	Foot Exam	229	211

The NPI also satisfactorily reported all of the measures within this measures group for at least 30 eligible Medicare patients

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□The total estimated amount of Medicare Part B Physician Fee Schedule (PFS) charges associated with services rendered during the reporting period. The PFS claims included were based on the six or twelve month reporting period for the method by which the NPI was incentive eligible.
*The amount of the incentive is based on the total estimated allowed Medicare Part B PFS charges processed within the length of the longest reporting period satisfied by the eligible professional.
►Each measure within the measures group is analyzed as specified in the 2010 PQRI Measures Groups Specifications Manual located on the CMS PQRI website.
►►This count is for all measures reported within the measures group.
♦The # of reporting instances meeting the common denominator inclusion criteria for the measures group.
βThe # of reporting instances for which this TIN/NPI submitted all quality-data code(s) (QDCs) or quality action data corresponding with all applicable measures within the measures group or submitted the composite G-code for the measures group. For each measure within the measures group, this indicates the # of reporting instances for which this TIN/NPI submitted one or more QDCs or quality actions corresponding with the applicable measure within the measures group. A satisfactorily-reported measures group for 30 patients has a reporting numerator of at least 30.

Note: Due to measures group calculations, the overall measures groups reporting rate will not be an average of the individual measure's reporting rates.

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Figure 2.7 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Measures Groups: 30 Beneficiaries via Registry for 12 Months

Example 2.8: NPI Reporting Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Claims for 12 Months

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Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail - Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Claims for 12 Months
Sorted by Reporting Rate of Measures Group and Sub-Sorted by Measure #

Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Tax ID Number: XXXXX6789
NPI Number: 1000000008

The NPI reported using two different methods, and qualified for the incentive through each of the two methods. If the NPI achieved satisfactory reporting under more than one 2010 PQRI reporting method, (s)he will receive the incentive payment for the most advantageous reporting period for which (s)he qualified (in this case, 12 months)

Participation Summary

All Methods Reported	Reporting Period	Registry/ EHR Associated	Qualified for Incentive	Reporting Method/Period Used for Incentive ◊◊
Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via claims	12 months	N/A	Yes	Yes
Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via registry	6 months	SVS	Yes	No

Incentive Detail for Measures Groups - 80% Beneficiaries via Claims

NPI	NPI Name«	Incentive Eligible•				Total Estimated Allowed Medicare Part B PFS Charges□	NPI Total Earned Incentive Amount*
		Method of Reporting	Reporting Period	Yes/No	Rationale		
1000000008	Beans, John	Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via claims	12 months	Yes	Sufficient # of beneficiaries reported at 80% and a minimum of 15 eligible beneficiaries	$40,000.00	$800.00

Reporting Detail

Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)►	Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases ♦	Reporting Numerator••	Insufficient QDC Information♠	QDC Not Reported ♣	Reporting Rate**
N/A	**Rheumatoid Arthritis Measures Group►►**	250	215	N/A	N/A	86%
#108	Disease Modifying Anti-Rheumatic Drug (DMARD) Therapy	250	220	30	0	88%
#176	Tuberculosis Screening	250	225	19	6	90%
#177	Periodic Assessment of Disease Activity	250	215	35	0	86%
#178	Functional Status Assessment	250	215	35	0	86%
#179	Assessment and Classification of Disease Prognosis	250	215	35	0	86%
#180	Glucocorticoid Management	250	215	34	1	86%
N/A	**Chronic Kidney Disease Measures Group►►**	250	215	N/A	N/A	86%
#121	Laboratory Testing (Calcium, Phosphorus, Intact Parathyroid Hormone (iPTH) and Lipid	250	220	30	0	88%

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Example 2.8 continued

Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles) ►	Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases ♦	Reporting Numerator ♦♦	Insufficient QDC Information ♠	QDC Not Reported ♣	Reporting Rate**
#122	Blood Pressure Management	250	225	25	0	90%
#123	Plan of Care - Elevated Hemoglobin for Patients Receiving Erythropoiesis-Stimulating	250	215	35	0	86%
#135	Influenza Immunization	250	215	33	2	86%
#153	Referral for Arteriovenous (AV) Fistula	250	215	35	0	86%

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□The total estimated amount of Medicare Part B Physician Fee Schedule (PFS) charges associated with services rendered during the reporting period. The PFS claims nth reporting period for the method by which the NPI was incentive eligible.

*The amount of the incentive is based on the total estimated allowed Medicare Part B PFS charges processed within the length of the longest reporting period satisfied

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►►This count is for all measures reported within the measures group.

♦The # of reporting instances meeting the common denominator inclusion criteria for the measures group.

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♠The number of instances where reporting was not met due to insufficient quality-data code (QDC) information/numerator coding not complete for the measure from the TIN/NPI combination (e.g. two numerator codes are necessary for the measure, only one was submitted; inappropriate CPT II modifier submitted for the measure). This column will be populated with N/A for the Measures Group Title line.

♣The number of instances where reporting was not met due to no quality-data code (QDC) information/numerator coding existing for the measure from the TIN/NPI combination. This column will be populated with N/A for the Measures Group Title line.

**The reporting rate for the measures group where all applicable QDCs or quality action data for all applicable measures within the measures group is reported for an eligible reporting instance which is used to determine incentive eligibility. The reporting rate for the measure where a QDC or quality action for the measure is reported for applicable cases.

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Insufficient quality-data codes refers to instances where two numerator codes are necessary for the measure but only one was submitted or an inappropriate CPT II modifier was submitted

Figure 2.8 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Claims for 12 Months

Example 2.9: NPI Reporting Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Registry for 12 Months

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Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail - Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Registry for 12 Months
Sorted by Reporting Rate of Measures Group and Sub-Sorted by Measure #

Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Tax ID Number: XXXXX6789
NPI Number: 1000000006

Rheumatoid Arthritis is one of 13 measures groups used in 2010 PQRI. The measures within this specific measures group are also listed.

Participation Summary				
All Methods Reported	Reporting Period	Registry/ EHR Associated	Qualified for Incentive	Reporting Method/Period Used for Incentive◊◊
Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via registry	12 months	Cedaron	Yes	Yes

Incentive Detail for Measures Groups - 80% Beneficiaries via Registry								
		Incentive Eligible•						
NPI	NPI Name«	Method of Reporting	Reporting Period	Registry Associated	Yes/No	Rationale	Total Estimated Allowed Medicare Part B PFS Charges□	NPI Total Earned Incentive Amount*
1000000006	Not Available	Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via registry	12 months	Cedaron	Yes	Sufficient # of beneficiaries reported at 80% and a minimum of 15 eligible beneficiaries	$125,000.00	$2,500.00

Total earned incentive for this particular NPI

Reporting Detail				
Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)►	Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases♦	Reporting Numerator••	Reporting Rate**
N/A	**Rheumatoid Arthritis Measures Group►►**	462	397	86%
#108	Disease-Modifying Anti-Rheumatic Drug (DMARD) Therapy	462	407	88%
#176	Tuberculosis Screening	462	416	90%
#177	Periodic Assessment of Disease Activity	462	397	86%
#178	Functional Status Assessment	462	397	86%
#179	Assessment and Classification of Disease Prognosis	462	397	86%
#180	Glucocorticoid Management	462	420	91%
N/A	**Chronic Kidney Disease Measures Group►►**	250	233	93%
#121	Laboratory Testing (Calcium, Phosphorus, Intact Parathyroid Hormone (iPTH)	250	213	85%
#122	Blood Pressure Management	250	200	80%
#123	Plan of Care - Elevated Hemoglobin for Patients Receiving Erythropoiesis-	250	205	82%
#135	Influenza Immunization	250	225	90%
#153	Referral for Arteriovenous (AV) Fistula	250	233	93%

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Example 2.9 continued

Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)►	Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases♦	Reporting Numerator••	Reporting Rate**

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◊◊The method/period of reporting deemed most advantageous will be indicated with a "Yes". If the NPI did not qualify for incentive through any [illegible] would be populated with N/A.

•An NPI satisfactorily reporting any method and passing the applicable validation process is eligible to receive a PQRI incentive. More informa

□The total estimated amount of Medicare Part B Physician Fee Schedule (PFS) charges associated with services rendered during the reporti period for the method by which the NPI was incentive eligible.

*The amount of the incentive is based on the total estimated allowed Medicare Part B PFS charges processed within the length of the longest

►Each measure within the measures group is analyzed as specified in the 2010 PQRI Measures Groups Specifications Manual located on th

►►This count is for all measures reported within the measures group.

♦The # of reporting instances meeting the common denominator inclusion criteria for the measures group.

••The # of reporting instances for which this TIN/NPI submitted all quality-data code(s) (QDCs) or quality action data corresponding with all ap composite G-code for the measures group. For each measure within the measures group, this indicates the # of reporting instances for which t corresponding with the applicable measure within the measures group.

**The reporting rate for the measures group where all applicable QDCs or quality action data for all applicable measures within the measures group is reported for an eligible reporting instance which is used to determine incentive eligibility. The reporting rate for the measure where a QDC or quality action for the measure is reported for applicable cases.

Because of measures groups calculations, the overall measures groups reporting rate will not be an average of the individual measures' reporting rates. The measures groups reporting rate is the percentage of eligible beneficiaries with all individual measures within the measure group successfully reported.

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Figure 2.9 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Registry for 12 Months

Example 2.10: NPI Reporting Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Claims for 6 Months

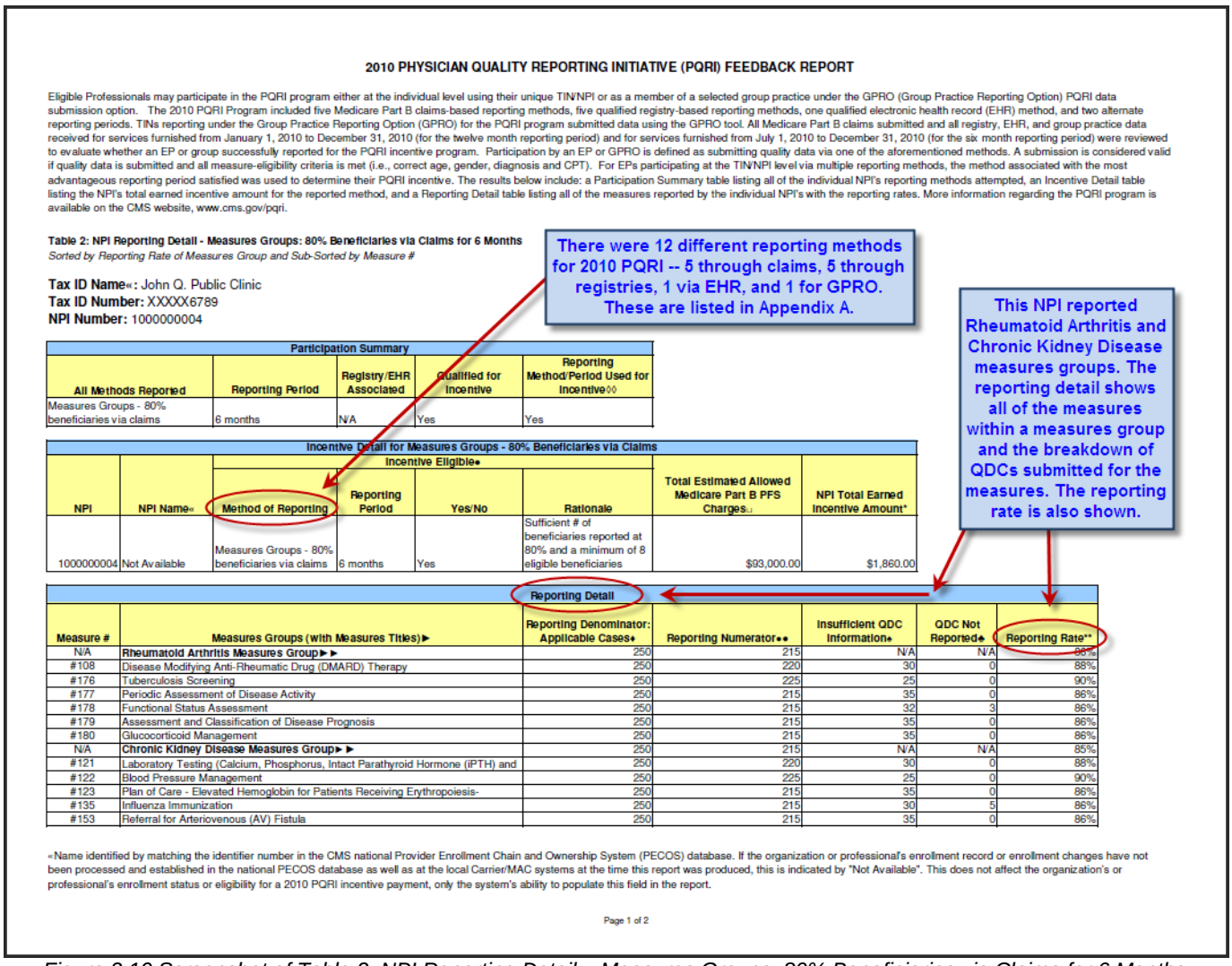

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Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail - Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Claims for 6 Months
Sorted by Reporting Rate of Measures Group and Sub-Sorted by Measure #

Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Tax ID Number: XXXXX6789
NPI Number: 1000000004

There were 12 different reporting methods for 2010 PQRI -- 5 through claims, 5 through registries, 1 via EHR, and 1 for GPRO. These are listed in Appendix A.

This NPI reported Rheumatoid Arthritis and Chronic Kidney Disease measures groups. The reporting detail shows all of the measures within a measures group and the breakdown of QDCs submitted for the measures. The reporting rate is also shown.

Participation Summary				
All Methods Reported	Reporting Period	Registry/EHR Associated	Qualified for Incentive	Reporting Method/Period Used for Incentive◊◊
Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via claims	6 months	N/A	Yes	Yes

Incentive Detail for Measures Groups - 80% Beneficiaries via Claims							
		Incentive Eligible♦					
NPI	NPI Name«	Method of Reporting	Reporting Period	Yes/No	Rationale	Total Estimated Allowed Medicare Part B PFS Charges♫	NPI Total Earned Incentive Amount*
1000000004	Not Available	Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via claims	6 months	Yes	Sufficient # of beneficiaries reported at 80% and a minimum of 8 eligible beneficiaries	$93,000.00	$1,860.00

Reporting Detail						
Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)►►	Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases♦	Reporting Numerator♦♦	Insufficient QDC Information♦	QDC Not Reported♦	Reporting Rate**
N/A	**Rheumatoid Arthritis Measures Group►►**	250	215	N/A	N/A	86%
#108	Disease Modifying Anti-Rheumatic Drug (DMARD) Therapy	250	220	30	0	88%
#176	Tuberculosis Screening	250	225	25	0	90%
#177	Periodic Assessment of Disease Activity	250	215	35	0	86%
#178	Functional Status Assessment	250	215	32	3	86%
#179	Assessment and Classification of Disease Prognosis	250	215	35	0	86%
#180	Glucocorticoid Management	250	215	35	0	86%
N/A	**Chronic Kidney Disease Measures Group►►**	250	215	N/A	N/A	85%
#121	Laboratory Testing (Calcium, Phosphorus, Intact Parathyroid Hormone (iPTH) and	250	220	30	0	88%
#122	Blood Pressure Management	250	225	25	0	90%
#123	Plan of Care - Elevated Hemoglobin for Patients Receiving Erythropoiesis-	250	215	35	0	86%
#135	Influenza Immunization	250	215	30	5	86%
#153	Referral for Arteriovenous (AV) Fistula	250	215	35	0	86%

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Figure 2.10 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Claims for 6 Months

Example 2.11: NPI Reporting Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Registry for 6 Months

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Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail - Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Registry for 12 Months
Sorted by Reporting Rate of Measures Group and Sub-Sorted by Measure #

Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Tax ID Number: XXXXX6789
NPI Number: 1000000006

Rheumatoid Arthritis is one of 13 measures groups used in 2010 PQRI. The measures within this specific measures group are also listed.

Participation Summary				
All Methods Reported	Reporting Period	Registry/ EHR Associated	Qualified for Incentive	Reporting Method/Period Used for Incentive◊◊
Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via registry	12 months	Cedaron	Yes	Yes

Incentive Detail for Measures Groups - 80% Beneficiaries via Registry								
		Incentive Eligible•						
NPI	NPI Name«	Method of Reporting	Reporting Period	Registry Associated	Yes/No	Rationale	Total Estimated Allowed Medicare Part B PFS Charges::	NPI Total Earned Incentive Amount*
1000000006	Not Available	Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via registry	12 months	Cedaron	Yes	Sufficient # of beneficiaries reported at 80% and a minimum of 15 eligible beneficiaries	$125,000.00	$2,500.00

Reporting Detail				
Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)►►	Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases♦	Reporting Numerator••	Reporting Rate**
N/A	**Rheumatoid Arthritis Measures Group►►**	462	397	86%
#108	Disease Modifying Anti-Rheumatic Drug (DMARD) Therapy	462	407	88%
#176	Tuberculosis Screening	462	416	90%
#177	Periodic Assessment of Disease Activity	462	397	86%
#178	Functional Status Assessment	462	397	86%
#179	Assessment and Classification of Disease Prognosis	462	397	86%
#180	Glucocorticoid Management	462	420	91%
N/A	**Chronic Kidney Disease Measures Group►►**	250	233	93%
#121	Laboratory Testing (Calcium, Phosphorus, Intact Parathyroid Hormone (iPTH)	250	213	85%
#122	Blood Pressure Management	250	200	80%
#123	Plan of Care - Elevated Hemoglobin for Patients Receiving Erythropoiesis-	250	205	82%
#135	Influenza Immunization	250	225	90%
#153	Referral for Arteriovenous (AV) Fistula	250	233	93%

Total earned incentive for this particular NPI

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Example 2.11 continued

Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)►	Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases♦	Reporting Numerator●●	Reporting Rate**
#108	Disease Modifying Anti-Rheumatic Drug (DMARD) Therapy	320	262	82%
#176	Tuberculosis Screening	320	272	85%
#177	Periodic Assessment of Disease Activity	320	256	80%
#178	Functional Status Assessment	320	282	88%
#179	Assessment and Classification of Disease Prognosis	320	282	88%
#180	Glucocorticoid Management	320	282	88%
N/A	**Chronic Kidney Disease Measures Group►►**	250	223	89%
#121	Laboratory Testing (Calcium, Phosphorus, Intact Parathyroid Hormone (iPTH) and	250	220	88%
#122	Blood Pressure Management	250	225	90%
#123	Plan of Care - Elevated Hemoglobin for Patients Receiving Erythropoiesis-Stimulating	250	215	86%
#135	Influenza Immunization	250	215	86%
#153	Referral for Arteriovenous (AV) Fistula	250	215	86%

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□The total estimated amount of Medicare Part B Physician Fee Schedule (PFS) charges associated with services rendered during the reporting per on the six or twelve month reporting period for the method by which the NPI was incentive eligible.

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►►This count is for all measures reported within the measures group.

♦The # of reporting instances meeting the common denominator inclusion criteria for the measures group.

●●The # of reporting instances for which this TIN/NPI submitted all quality-data code(s) (QDCs) or quality action data corresponding with all applicable measures within the measures group or submitted the composite G-code for the measures group. For each measure within the measures group, this indicates the # of reporting instances for which this TIN/NPI submitted one or more QDCs or quality actions corresponding with the applicable measure within the measures group.

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All measures groups submitted under the reporting method will be displayed, along with all the individual measures within each measures group.

Figure 2.11 Screenshot of Table 2: NPI Reporting Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Registry for 6 Months

Table 3: NPI QDC Submission Error Detail

For the 2010 PQRI, only NPIs who participated through claims-based measure reporting with QDC submission errors will receive Table 3. This will only apply to eligible professionals who submitted at least one insufficient QDC. There is one NPI detail report for each TIN/NPI participating in PQRI.

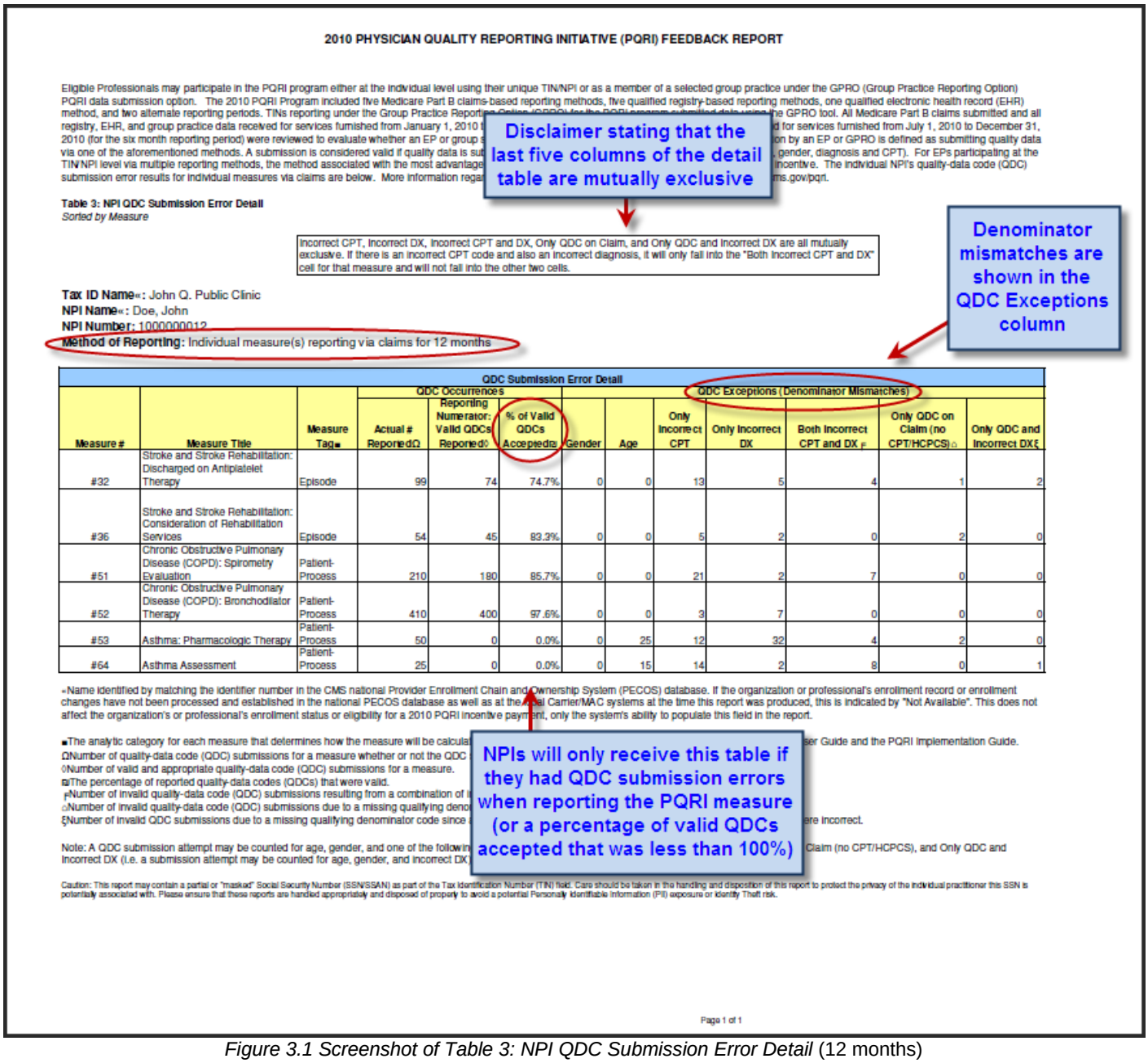
- **QDC Exceptions (Denominator Mismatches):**
  - **Only Incorrect CPT:** Number of invalid QDC submissions resulting from an incorrect CPT code.
  - **Only QDC on Claim (no CPT/HCPCS):** Number of invalid QDC submissions due to a missing qualifying denominator code since all lines were QDCs.

For definition of terms related to 2010 PQRI feedback reports, see **Appendix A**. Also refer to the footnotes within each table for additional content detail.

Examples of Table 3: NPI QDC Submission Error Detail in this *Guide* include:

- *Figure 3.1 Screenshot of Table 3: NPI QDC Submission Error Detail (12 months)*
- *Figure 3.2 Screenshot of Table 3: TIN QDC Submission Error Detail (6 months)*

Example 3.1: NPI QDC Submission Error Detail (12 months)



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Disclaimer stating that the last five columns of the detail table are mutually exclusive

Table 3: NPI QDC Submission Error Detail
Sorted by Measure

Incorrect CPT, Incorrect DX, Incorrect CPT and DX, Only QDC on Claim, and Only QDC and Incorrect DX are all mutually exclusive. If there is an incorrect CPT code and also an incorrect diagnosis, it will only fall into the "Both Incorrect CPT and DX" cell for that measure and will not fall into the other two cells.

Denominator mismatches are shown in the QDC Exceptions column

Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
NPI Name«: Doe, John
NPI Number: 1000000012
Method of Reporting: Individual measure(s) reporting via claims for 12 months

QDC Submission Error Detail													
			QDC Occurrences			QDC Exceptions (Denominator Mismatches)							
Measure #	Measure Title	Measure Tag▪	Actual # ReportedΩ	Reporting Numerator: Valid QDCs Reported◊	% of Valid QDCs Accepted¤	Gender	Age	Only Incorrect CPT	Only Incorrect DX	Both Incorrect CPT and DX ┌	Only QDC on Claim (no CPT/HCPCS)⌂	Only QDC and Incorrect DXξ
#32	Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Discharged on Antiplatelet Therapy	Episode	99	74	74.7%	0	0	13	5	4	1	2
#36	Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Consideration of Rehabilitation Services	Episode	54	45	83.3%	0	0	5	2	0	2	0
#51	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD): Spirometry Evaluation	Patient-Process	210	180	85.7%	0	0	21	2	7	0	0
#52	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD): Bronchodilator Therapy	Patient-Process	410	400	97.6%	0	0	3	7	0	0	0
#53	Asthma: Pharmacologic Therapy	Patient-Process	50	0	0.0%	0	25	12	32	4	2	0
#64	Asthma Assessment	Patient-Process	25	0	0.0%	0	15	14	2	8	0	1

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▪The analytic category for each measure that determines how the measure will be calcula[illegible]ser Guide and the PQRI Implementation Guide.
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ξNumber of invalid QDC submissions due to a missing qualifying denominator code since [illegible]re incorrect.

Note: A QDC submission attempt may be counted for age, gender, and one of the followin[illegible] Claim (no CPT/HCPCS), and Only QDC and Incorrect DX (i.e. a submission attempt may be counted for age, gender, and incorrect DX

NPIs will only receive this table if they had QDC submission errors when reporting the PQRI measure (or a percentage of valid QDCs accepted that was less than 100%)

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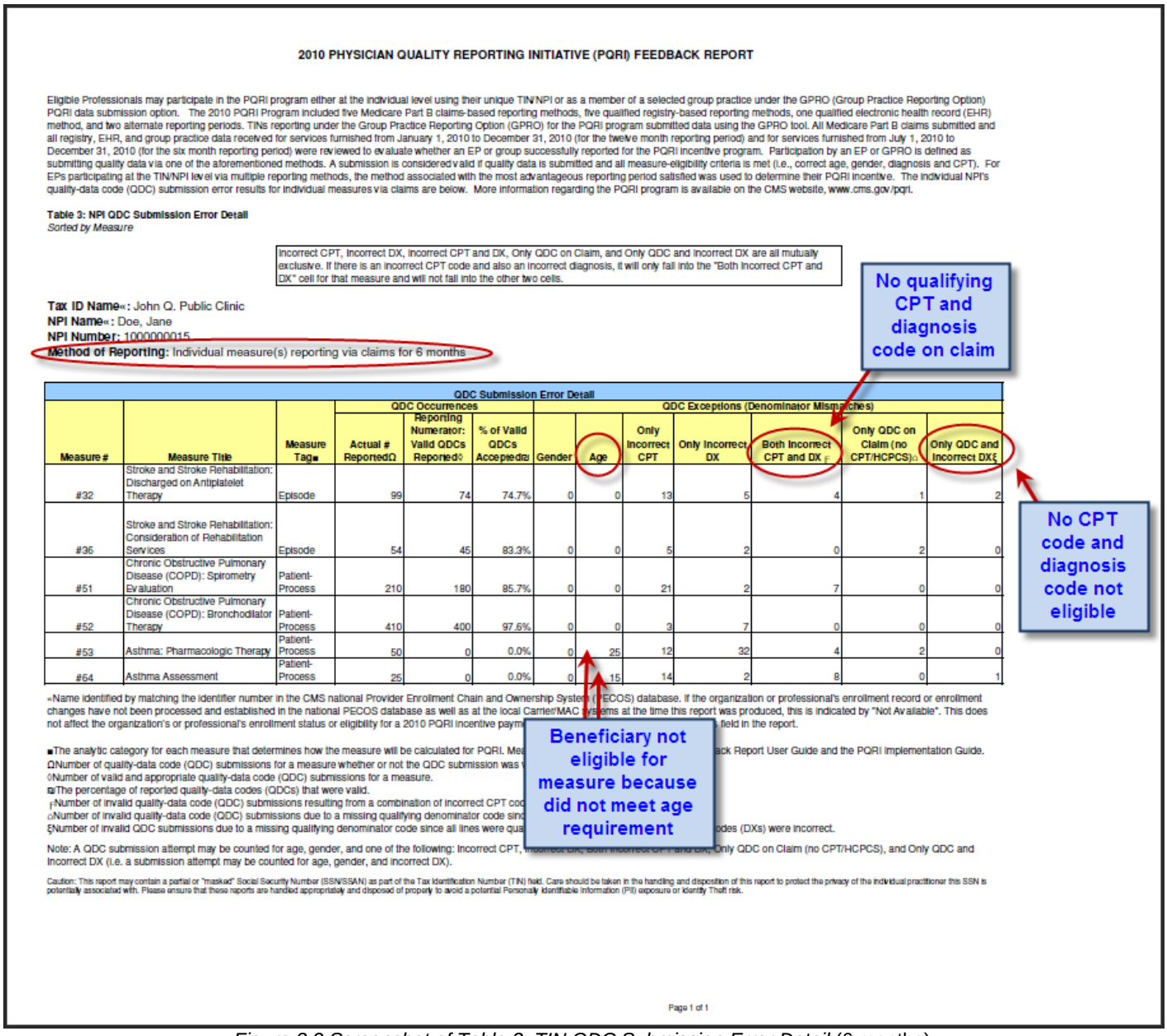
Figure 3.1 Screenshot of Table 3: NPI QDC Submission Error Detail (12 months)

Example 3.2: TIN QDC Submission Error Detail (6 months)



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Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
NPI Name«: Doe, Jane
NPI Number: 1000000015
Method of Reporting: Individual measure(s) reporting via claims for 6 months

No qualifying CPT and diagnosis code on claim

No CPT code and diagnosis code not eligible

Beneficiary not eligible for measure because did not meet age requirement

QDC Submission Error Detail													
			QDC Occurrences			QDC Exceptions (Denominator Mismatches)							
Measure #	Measure Title	Measure Tag■	Actual # ReportedΩ	Reporting Numerator: Valid QDCs Reported◊	% of Valid QDCs Accepted◘	Gender	Age	Only Incorrect CPT	Only Incorrect DX	Both Incorrect CPT and DX ƒ	Only QDC on Claim (no CPT/HCPCS)○	Only QDC and Incorrect DX§
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#51	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD): Spirometry Evaluation	Patient-Process	210	180	85.7%	0	0	21	2	7	0	0
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#53	Asthma: Pharmacologic Therapy	Patient-Process	50	0	0.0%	0	25	12	32	4	2	0
#64	Asthma Assessment	Patient-Process	25	0	0.0%	0	15	14	2	8	0	1

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Figure 3.2 Screenshot of Table 3: TIN QDC Submission Error Detail (6 months)

Table 4: NPI Performance Detail

Each TIN/NPI will receive Table 4 if they participated in the 2010 PQRI through any reporting method. **Note: *This information is provided for informational and performance improvement purposes. Performance rates do not affect the incentive payment for the 2010 PQRI.***

- **Clinical Performance Rate:** The Clinical Performance Rate is calculated by dividing the Clinical Performance Numerator by the Clinical Performance Denominator. If 'NULL', all of the measure's performance eligible instances were performance exclusions.
- **Clinical Performance Not Met:** Includes instances where a CPT II code with an 8P modifier or G-code is used to indicate the quality action was not provided for a reason not otherwise specified.
- **Clinical Performance Denominator:** The performance denominator is determined by subtracting the number of eligible instances excluded from the numerator eligible reporting instances (Clinical Performance Denominator = Clinical Performance Numerator Met + Clinical Performance Not Met). Valid reasons for exclusions may apply and are specific to each measure. The 2010 PQRI Quality Measures Specifications document is available on the CMS PQRI website.
- **Clinical Performance Numerator Met:** The number of instances the TIN/NPI submitted the appropriate QDCs or quality action data satisfactorily meeting the performance requirements for the measure.
- **Reporting Numerator:** The number of reporting instances where the QDCs or quality action data submitted met the measure specific reporting criteria. (Reporting Numerator = 1P + 2P + 3P + Other + Clinical Performance Denominator).

Examples of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail in this *Guide* include:

- *Figure 4.1 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Claims for 12 Months*
- *Figure 4.2 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Registry for 12 Months*
- *Figure 4.3 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via EHR for 12 Months*
- *Figure 4.4 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Claims for 6 Months*
- *Figure 4.5 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Registry for 6 Months*
- *Figure 4.6 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Measures Groups: 30 Beneficiaries via Claims for 12 Months*
- *Figure 4.7 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Measures Groups: 30 Patients via Registry for 12 Months*
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- *Figure 4.9 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Registry for 12 Months*
- *Figure 4.10 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Claims for 6 Months*
- *Figure 4.11 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Registry for 6 Months*
- *Figure 4.12 Screenshot of Table 4: TIN Performance Detail – GPRO*

For definition of terms related to 2010 PQRI feedback reports, see **Appendix A**. Also refer to the footnotes within each table for additional content detail. Only individuals (within the TIN) submitting valid QDCs will have detailed reports generated for them.

Example 4.1: NPI Performance Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Claims for 12 Months

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Table 4: NPI Performance Detail - Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Claims for 12 Months
Sorted by Clinical Performance Rate and Sub-Sorted by Reporting Numerator

Reporting Numerator = 1P + 2P + 3P + Other + Clinical Performance Denominator
Clinical Performance Denominator = Clinical Performance Numerator Met + Clinical Performance Not Met

Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
NPI Name«: Doe, John
NPI Number: 1000000012
Method of Reporting: Individual measure(s) via claims for 12 months

The National Comparison for Performance includes performance information for all TIN/NPI combinations submitting at least one quality-data code (QDC) for the measure

Performance Information														
			Eligible Instances Excluded								National Comparison for Performance◊◊			
Measure #	Measure Title	Reporting Numerator: Valid QDCs Reported◊	Medical (1P)	Patient (2P)	System (3P)	Other««	Clinical Performance Denominator▫▫	Clinical Performance Numerator Met‖	Clinical Performance Not Met▫	Clinical Performance Rate□□□	National Mean Performance Rate***	25th Percentile	50th Percentile	75th Percentile
#51	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD): Spirometry Evaluation	180	53	15	12	0	100	80	20	80%	50%	23%	51%	84%
#36	Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Consideration of Rehabilitation Services	42	6	4	0	0	32	18	14	56%	82%	74%	81%	91%
#52	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD): Bronchodilator Therapy	400	7	3	1	14	375	175	190	47%	33%	0%	34%	72%
#32	Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Discharged on Antiplatelet Therapy	74	72	2	0	0	0	0	0	NULL	52%	34%	53%	95%

The performance denominator is determined by subtracting the number of eligible instances excluded from the numerator-eligible reporting instances

«Name identified by matching the identifier number in the CMS national Provider Enrollment Chain and Ownership System (PECOS) database. If the organization or professional's enrollment record or enrollment changes have not been processed and established in the national PECOS database as well as[illegible]d, this is indicated by "Not Available". This does not affect the organization's or professional's enrollment status or eligibility for a 2010 PQRI incentive paym[illegible]
◊The number of reporting instances where the quality-data codes (QDCs) or[illegible]ria.
««Includes instances where an 8P modifier, G-code or CPT II code is used [illegible]
▫▫The performance denominator is determined by subtracting the number o[illegible]tances. Valid reasons for exclusions may apply and are specific to each measure. The 2010 PQRI Quality Measures Specifications document is available on the C[illegible]
‖The number of instances the TIN/NPI submitted the appropriate quality-da[illegible]ormance requirements for the measure.
▫Includes instances where an 8P modifier, G-code or CPT II code is used to indicate the quality action was not provided for a reason not otherwise specified.

□□□The Clinical Performance Rate is calculated by dividing the Clinical Performance Numerator by the Clinical Performance Denominator. If 'NULL', all of the measure's performance eligible instances were performance exclusions.
◊◊◊The National Comparison for Performance includes performance information for all TIN/NPI combinations submitting at least one quality-data code (QDC) for the measure. The 25th percentile indicates that 25% of the TIN/NPI combinations participating nationally are performing at or below this rate, the 50th percentile indicates that 50% of the TIN/NPI combinations participating nationally are performing at or below this rate, and the 75th percentile indicates that 75% of the TIN/NPI combinations participating nationally are performing at or below this rate.
***The mean performance rate for all TIN/NPI combinations submitting at least one QDC for the measure.

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Figure 4.1 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Claims for 12 Months

Example 4.2: NPI Performance Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Registry for 12 Months

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Table 4: NPI Performance Detail - Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Registry for 12 Months

Sorted by Clinical Performance Rate and Sub-Sorted by Reporting Numerator

Reporting Numerator = Eligible Instances Excluded + Clinical Performance Denominator
Clinical Performance Denominator = Clinical Performance Numerator Met + Clinical Performance Not Met

The registry reported three measures for the eligible professional with these clinical performance rates

NPI Name«: Not Available
NPI Number: 1000000003
Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Method of Reporting: Individual measure(s) via registry for 12 months

Performance Information							
Measure #	Measures Titles	Reporting Numerator	Eligible Instances Excluded	Clinical Performance Denominator▫▫	Clinical Performance Numerator Met‖	Clinical Performance Not Met	Clinical Performance Rate▫▫▫
#117	Dilated Eye Exam in Diabetic Patient	220	33	187	180	7	82%
#1	Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Diabetes Mellitus	184	22	162	150	12	82%
#119	Urine Screening for Microalbumin or Medical Attention for Nephropathy in Diabetic Patients	167	167	0	0	0	NULL

«Name identified by matching the identifier number in the CMS national Provider Enrollment Chain and Ownership System (PECOS) database. If the organization or professional's enrollment record or enrollment changes have not been processed and established in the national PECOS database as well as at the local Carrier/MAC systems at the time this report was produced, this is indicated by "Not Available". This does not affect the organization's or professional's enrollment status or eligibility for a 2010 PQRI incentive payment, only the system's ability to populate this field in the report.
▫▫The performance denominator is determined by subtracting the number of eligible instances excluded from the numerator eligible reporting instances. Valid reasons for exclusions may apply and are specific to each measure. The 2010 PQRI Quality Measures Specifications document is available on the CMS PQRI website.
‖The number of instances the TIN/NPI submitted the appropriate quality-data code(s) (QDCs) or quality action data satisfactorily meeting the performance requirements for the measure.
▫▫▫The Clinical Performance Rate is calculated by dividing the Clinical Performance Numerator by the Clinical Performance Denominator. If 'NULL', all of the measure's performance eligible instances were performance exclusions.

Note: For the Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Diabetes Mellitus (#1) measure, a lower performance rate indicates better performance.
Note: For the Inappropriate Use of "Probably Benign" Assessment Category in Mammography Screening (#146) measure, a lower performance rate indicates better performance.

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Figure 4.2 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Registry for 12 Months

Example 4.3: NPI Performance Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via EHR for 12 Months

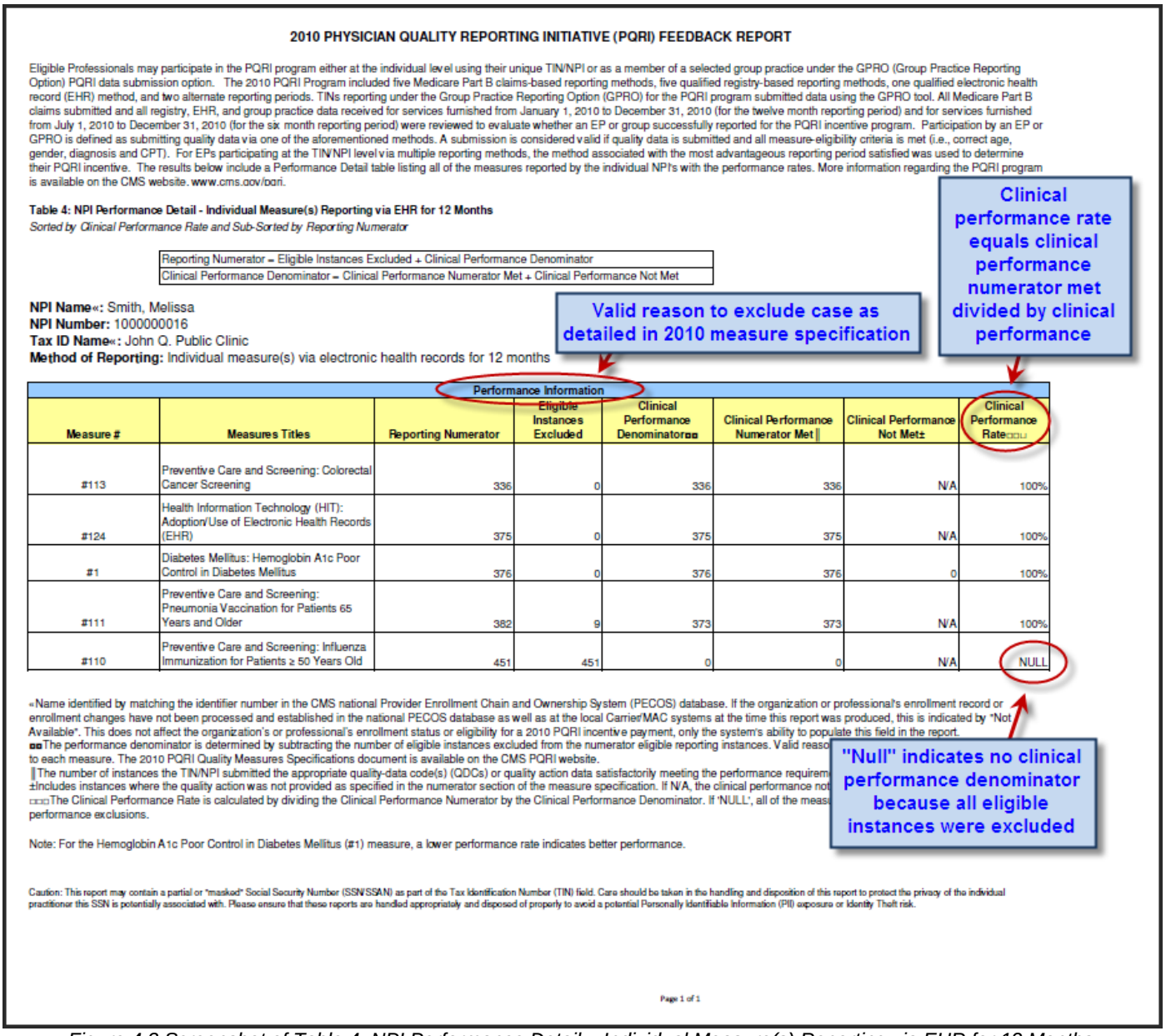

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Table 4: NPI Performance Detail - Individual Measure(s) Reporting via EHR for 12 Months

Sorted by Clinical Performance Rate and Sub-Sorted by Reporting Numerator

Reporting Numerator = Eligible Instances Excluded + Clinical Performance Denominator
Clinical Performance Denominator = Clinical Performance Numerator Met + Clinical Performance Not Met

NPI Name«: Smith, Melissa
NPI Number: 1000000016
Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Method of Reporting: Individual measure(s) via electronic health records for 12 months

Valid reason to exclude case as detailed in 2010 measure specification

Clinical performance rate equals clinical performance numerator met divided by clinical performance

Performance Information							
Measure #	Measures Titles	Reporting Numerator	Eligible Instances Excluded	Clinical Performance Denominator▫▫	Clinical Performance Numerator Met ‖	Clinical Performance Not Met±	Clinical Performance Rate□□□
#113	Preventive Care and Screening: Colorectal Cancer Screening	336	0	336	336	N/A	100%
#124	Health Information Technology (HIT): Adoption/Use of Electronic Health Records (EHR)	375	0	375	375	N/A	100%
#1	Diabetes Mellitus: Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Diabetes Mellitus	376	0	376	376	0	100%
#111	Preventive Care and Screening: Pneumonia Vaccination for Patients 65 Years and Older	382	9	373	373	N/A	100%
#110	Preventive Care and Screening: Influenza Immunization for Patients ≥ 50 Years Old	451	451	0	0	N/A	NULL

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▫▫The performance denominator is determined by subtracting the number of eligible instances excluded from the numerator eligible reporting instances. Valid reaso
to each measure. The 2010 PQRI Quality Measures Specifications document is available on the CMS PQRI website.
‖The number of instances the TIN/NPI submitted the appropriate quality-data code(s) (QDCs) or quality action data satisfactorily meeting the performance requirem
±Includes instances where the quality action was not provided as specified in the numerator section of the measure specification. If N/A, the clinical performance not
□□□The Clinical Performance Rate is calculated by dividing the Clinical Performance Numerator by the Clinical Performance Denominator. If 'NULL', all of the meas
performance exclusions.

"Null" indicates no clinical performance denominator because all eligible instances were excluded

Note: For the Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Diabetes Mellitus (#1) measure, a lower performance rate indicates better performance.

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Figure 4.3 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via EHR for 12 Months

Example 4.4: NPI Performance Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Claims for 6 Months

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Table 4: NPI Performance Detail - Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Claims for 6 Months

Sorted by Clinical Performance Rate and Sub-Sorted by Reporting Numerator

Reporting Numerator = 1P + 2P + 3P + Other + Clinical Performance Denominator
Clinical Performance Denominator = Clinical Performance Numerator Met + Clinical Performance Not Met

Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
NPI Name«: Doe, Jane
NPI Number: 1000000015
Method of Reporting: Individual measure(s) via claims for 6 months

Instances where QDC met measure-specific reporting criteria

Performance Information													
			Eligible Instances Excluded							National Comparison for Performance◊◊◊			
Measure #	Measure Title	Reporting Numerator: Valid QDCs Reported◊	Medical (1P)	Patient (2P)	System (3P)	Other««	Clinical Performance Denominator▫▫	Clinical Performance Numerator Met‖	Clinical Performance Not Met¤	Clinical Performance Rate□□□	National Mean Performance Rate***	25th Percentile	50th Percentile	75th Percentile
#51	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD): Spirometry Evaluation	180	53	15	12	0	100	80	20	80%	50%	23%	51%	84%
#36	Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Consideration of Rehabilitation Services	42	6	4	0	0	32	18	14	56%	82%	74%	81%	91%
#52	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD): Bronchodilator Therapy	400	7	3	1	14	375	175	190	47%	33%	0%	34%	72%
#32	Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Discharged on Antiplatelet Therapy	74	72	2	0	0	0	0	0	NULL	52%	34%	53%	95%

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◊The number of reporting instances where the quality-data codes (QDCs) or quality action data submitted met the measure specific reporting criteria.

««Includes instances where an 8P modifier, G-code or CPT II code is used as a performance exclusion for the measure.

▫▫The performance denominator is determined by subtracting the number of eligible instances excluded from the numerator eligible reporting instances. Valid reasons for exclusions may apply and are specific to each measure. The 2010 PQRI Quality Measures Specifications document is available on the CMS PQRI website.

‖The number of instances the TIN/NPI submitted the appropriate quality-data code(s) (QDCs) or quality action data satisfactorily meeting the performance requirements for the measure.

¤Includes instances where an 8P modifier, G-code or CPT II code is used to indicate the quality action was not provided for a reason not otherwise specified.

□□□The Clinical Performance Rate is calculated by dividing the Clinical Performance Numerator by the Clinical Performance Denominator. If 'NULL', all of the measure's performance eligible exclusions.

◊◊◊The National Comparison for Performance includes performance information for all TIN/NPI combinations submitting at least one quality-data code (QDC) for the measure. The 25th perc combinations participating nationally are performing at or below this rate, the 50th percentile indicates that 50% of the TIN/NPI combinations participating nationally are performing at or below that 75% of the TIN/NPI combinations participating nationally are performing at or below this rate.

***The mean performance rate for all TIN/NPI combinations submitting at least one QDC for the measure.

Note: For the Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Diabetes Mellitus (#1) measure, a lower performance rate indicates better performance.
Note: For the Inappropriate Use of "Probably Benign" Assessment Category in Mammography Screening (#146) measure, a lower performance rate indicates better performance.

Note: For 2010 Measure #146, a lower performance rate indicates better performance

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Figure 4.4 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Claims for 6 Months

Example 4.5: NPI Performance Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Registry for 6 Months

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Sorted by Clinical Performance Rate and Sub-Sorted by Reporting Numerator

Reporting Numerator = Eligible Instances Excluded + Clinical Performance Denominator
Clinical Performance Denominator = Clinical Performance Numerator Met + Clinical Performance Not Met

NPI Name«: Smith, Susie
NPI Number: 1000000002
Tax ID Name«: Not Available
Method of Reporting: Individual measure(s) via registry for 6 months

The registry reported three 2010 measures with these clinical performance rates

Performance Information							
Measure #	Measures Titles	Reporting Numerator	Eligible Instances Excluded	Clinical Performance Denominator▫▫	Clinical Performance Numerator Met ‖	Clinical Performance Not Met	Clinical Performance Rate▫▫▫
#117	Dilated Eye Exam in Diabetic Patient	89	4	85	80	5	90%
#1	Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Diabetes Mellitus	78	10	68	58	10	74%
#119	Urine Screening for Microalbumin or Medical Attention for Nephropathy in Diabetic Patients	92	92	0	0	0	NULL

«Name identified by matching the identifier number in the CMS national Provider Enrollment Chain and Ownership System (PECOS) database. If the organization or professional's enrollment record or enrollment changes have not been processed and established in the national PECOS database as well as at the local Carrier/MAC systems at the time this report was produced, this is indicated by "Not Available". This does not affect the organization's or professional's enrollment status or eligibility for a 2010 PQRI incentive payment, only the system's ability to populate this field in the report.
▫▫The performance denominator is determined by subtracting the number of eligible instances excluded from the numerator eligible reporting instances. Valid reasons for exclusions may apply and are specific to each measure. The 2010 PQRI Quality Measures Specifications document is available on the CMS PQRI website.
‖The number of instances the TIN/NPI submitted the appropriate quality-data code(s) (QDCs) or quality action data satisfactorily meeting the performance requirements for the measure.
▫▫▫The Clinical Performance Rate is calculated by dividing the Clinical Performance Numerator by the Clinical Performance Denominator. If 'NULL', all of the measure's performance eligible instances were performance exclusions.

Note: For the Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Diabetes Mellitus (#1) measure, a lower performance rate indicates better performance.
Note: For the Inappropriate Use of "Probably Benign" Assessment Category in Mammography Screening (#146) measure, a lower performance rate indicates better performance.

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Figure 4.5 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Individual Measure(s) Reporting via Registry for 6 Months

Example 4.6: NPI Performance Detail – Measures Groups: 30 Beneficiaries via Claims for 12 Months

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Table 4: NPI Performance Detail - Measures Groups: 30 Beneficiaries via Claims for 12 Months
Sorted by Measure Group and Sub-Sorted by Clinical Performance Rate

Reporting Numerator = 1P + 2P + 3P + Other + Clinical Performance Denominator
Clinical Performance Denominator = Clinical Performance Numerator Met + Clinical Performance Not Met

NPI Name«: Not Available
NPI Number: 1000000013
Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Method of Reporting: Measures Groups - 30 beneficiaries via claims for 12 months

The eligible professional reported two measures groups via claims with these clinical performance rates. If "NULL" is listed, then all of the measure's performance-eligible instances were performance exclusions.

Performance Information										
			Eligible Instances Excluded							
Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)►	Reporting Numerator	Medical (1P)	Patient (2P)	System (3P)	Other««	Clinical Performance Denominator▫▫▫	Clinical Performance Numerator Met	Clinical Performance Not Met¤	Clinical Performance Rate□□□
N/A	**Diabetes Mellitus Measures Group**									
#117	Dilated Eye Exam in Diabetic Patient	30	0	0	0	0	30	30	0	100%
#119	Urine Screening for Microalbumin or Medical Attention for Nephropathy in Diabetic Patients	30	0	0	0	0	30	28	2	97%
#1	Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Diabetes Mellitus	30	0	0	0	0	30	27	3	93%
#3	High Blood Pressure Control in Diabetes Mellitus	30	0	0	0	2	28	20	8	71%
#2	Low Density Lipoprotein Control in Diabetes Mellitus	30	0	0	0	0	30	20	10	67%
#163	Foot Exam	30	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	NULL
N/A	**Rheumatoid Arthritis Measures Group**									
#108	Disease Modifying Anti-Rheumatic Drug (DMARD) Therapy	250	27	0	0	0	223	203	20	91%
#176	Tuberculosis Screening	250	39	0	0	13	198	173	25	87%
#177	Periodic Assessment of Disease Activity	250	0	0	0	0	250	192	58	77%
#178	Functional Status Assessment	250	0	0	0	0	250	190	60	76%

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Example 4.6 continued

Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)►	Reporting Numerator	Eligible Instances Excluded				Clinical Performance Denominator▫▫▫	Clinical Performance Numerator Met‖	Clinical Performance Not Met▫	Clinical Performance Rate□□□
			Medical (1P)	Patient (2P)	System (3P)	Other««				
#179	Assessment and Classification of Disease Prognosis	250	0	0	0	0	250	180	70	72%
#180	Glucocorticoid Management	250	20	0	0	0	230	159	71	69%

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►Each measure within the measures group is analyzed as specified in the 2010 PQRI Measures Groups Specifications Manual located on the CMS PQRI website.
««Includes instances where an 8P modifier, G-code or CPT II code is used as a performance exclusion.
▫▫▫The performance denominator is determined by subtracting the number of eligible instances excluded from the performance rate calculation eligible reporting instances. Valid reasons for exclusions may apply and are specific to each measure. The 2010 PQRI Measures Groups Specifications Manual containing this information is available on the CMS website.

Eligible instances excluded from the performance rate calculation

‖The number of instances the TIN/NPI submitted the appropriate quality-data code(s) (QDCs) or quality action data satisfactorily meeting the performance requirements for the measure.
▫Includes instances where an 8P modifier, G-code or CPT II code is used to indicate the quality action was not provided for a reason not otherwise specified.
□□□The Clinical Performance Rate is calculated by dividing the Clinical Performance Numerator by the Clinical Performance Denominator. If 'NULL', all of the measure's performance eligible instances were performance exclusions.

Note: For the Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Diabetes Mellitus (#1) measure, a lower performance rate indicates better performance.
Note: For the Inappropriate Use of "Probably Benign" Assessment Category in Mammography Screening (#146) measure, a lower performance rate indicates better performance.

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Figure 4.6 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Measures Groups: 30 Beneficiaries via Claims for 12 Months

Example 4.7: NPI Performance Detail – Measures Groups: 30 Patients via Registry for 12 Months

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Table 4: NPI Performance Detail - Measures Groups: 30 Patients via Registry for 12 Months

Sorted by Measure Group and Sub-Sorted by Clinical Performance Rate

Reporting Numerator = Eligible Instances Excluded + Clinical Performance Denominator
Clinical Performance Denominator = Clinical Performance Numerator Met + Clinical Performance Not Met

NPI Name«: Smithson, Steve
NPI Number: 1000000009
Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Method of Reporting: Measures Groups - 30 patients via registry for 12 months

This table gives performance information for an NPI reporting the Diabestes Mellitus measures group

Performance Information							
Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)►	Reporting Numerator	Eligible Instances Excluded	Clinical Performance Denominator	Clinical Performance Numerator Met	Clinical Performance Not Met	Clinical Performance Rate
N/A	**Diabetes Mellitus Measures Group**						
#117	Dilated Eye Exam in Diabetic Patient	30	0	30	25	5	83%
#1	Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Diabetes Mellitus	30	2	28	23	5	82%
#119	Urine Screening for Microalbumin or Medical Attention for Nephropathy in Diabetic Patients	30	0	30	24	6	80%
#3	High Blood Pressure Control in Diabetes Mellitus	30	3	24	21	3	78%
#2	Low Density Lipoprotein (LDL-C) Control in Diabetes Mellitus	30	0	30	23	7	77%
#163	Foot Exam	30	30	0	0	0	NULL

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Example 4.7 continued

Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles) ►	Reporting Numerator	Eligible Instances Excluded	Clinical Performance Denominator▪▪▪	Clinical Performance Numerator Met ‖	Clinical Performance Not Met	Clinical Performance Rate□□□
N/A	**Rheumatoid Arthritis Measures Group**						
#108	Disease Modifying Anti-Rheumatic Drug (DMARD) Therapy	320	32	288	245	43	85%
#176	Tuberculosis Screening	320	18	302	233	69	77%
#177	Periodic Assessment of Disease Activity	320	26	294	213	81	72%
#178	Functional Status Assessment	320	23	297	193	104	65%
#179	Assessment and Classification of Disease Prognosis	320	33	287	181	106	63%
#180	Glucocorticoid Management	320	20	300	180	120	60%

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▪▪▪The performance denominator is determined by subtracting the number of eligible ins…r eligible reporting instances. Valid reasons for exclusions may apply and are specific to each measure. The 2010 PQRI Measures Groups Specification…fic information is available on the CMS website.

‖The number of instances the TIN/NPI submitted the appropriate quality-data code(s) (Q…orily meeting the performance requirements for the measure.

□□□The Clinical Performance Rate is calculated by dividing the Clinical Performance Nu…Denominator. If 'NULL', all of the measure's performance eligible instances were performance exclusions.

The performance denominator is determined by subtracting the number of eligible instances excluded from the number of eligible beneficiaries

Note: For the Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Diabetes Mellitus (#1) measure, a lower performance rate indicates better performance.
Note: For the Inappropriate Use of "Probably Benign" Assessment Category in Mammography Screening (#146) measure, a lower performance rate indicates better performance.

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Figure 4.7 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Measures Groups: 30 Patients via Registry for 12 Months

Example 4.8: NPI Performance Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Claims for 12 Months

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Table 4: NPI Performance Detail - Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Claims for 12 Months
Sorted by Measure Group and Sub-Sorted by Clinical Performance Rate

Reporting Numerator = 1P + 2P + 3P + Other + Clinical Performance Denominator
Clinical Performance Denominator = Clinical Performance Numerator Met + Clinical Performance Not Met

Includes instances where an 8P modifier, G-code, or CPT II code is used to indicate the quality action was not provided for a reason not otherwise specified

The number of instances the TIN/NPI submitted the appropriate quality-data codes (QDCs) or quality action data satisfactorily meeting the performance requirements for the measure

NPI Name: Beans, John
NPI Number: 1000000008
Tax ID Name: John Q. Public Clinic
Method of Reporting: Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via claims for 12 months

Performance Information										
			Eligible Instances Excluded							
Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)▶	Reporting Numerator	Medical (1P)	Patient (2P)	System (3P)	Other	Clinical Performance Denominator	Clinical Performance Numerator Met	Clinical Performance Not Met	Clinical Performance Rate
N/A	**Diabetes Mellitus Measures Group**									
#117	Dilated Eye Exam in Diabetic Patient	30	0	0	0	0	30	30	0	100%
#119	Urine Screening for Microalbumin or Medical Attention for Nephropathy in Diabetic Patients	30	0	0	0	0	30	28	2	97%
#1	Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Diabetes Mellitus	30	0	0	0	0	30	27	3	93%
#3	High Blood Pressure Control in Diabetes Mellitus	30	0	0	0	2	28	20	8	71%
#2	Low Density Lipoprotein Control in Diabetes Mellitus	30	0	0	0	0	30	20	10	67%
#163	Foot Exam	30	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	NULL

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Example 4.8 continued

Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)►	Reporting Numerator	Eligible Instances Excluded				Clinical Performance Denominator▫▫▫	Clinical Performance Numerator Met‖	Clinical Performance Not Met¤	Clinical Performance Rate□□□
			Medical (1P)	Patient (2P)	System (3P)	Other««				
N/A	**Rheumatoid Arthritis Measures Group**									
#108	Disease Modifying Anti-Rheumatic Drug (DMARD) Therapy	250	27	0	0	0	223	203	20	91%
#176	Tuberculosis Screening	250	39	0	0	13	198	173	25	87%
#177	Periodic Assessment of Disease Activity	250	0	0	0	0	250	192	58	77%
#178	Functional Status Assessment	250	0	0	0	0	250	190	60	76%
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#180	Glucocorticoid Management	250	20	0	0	0	230	159	71	69%

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□□□The Clinical Performance Rate is calculated by dividing the Clinical Performance Numerator by the Clinical Performance Denominator. If 'NULL', all of the measure's performance eligible instances were performance exclusions.

Note: For the Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Diabetes Mellitus (#1) measure, a lower performance rate indicates better performance.

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Figure 4.8 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Claims for 12 Months

Example 4.9: NPI Performance Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Registry for 12 Months

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Table 4: NPI Performance Detail - Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Registry for 12 Months
Sorted by Measure Group and Sub-Sorted by Clinical Performance Rate

Reporting Numerator = Eligible Instances Excluded + Clinical Performance Denominator
Clinical Performance Denominator = Clinical Performance Numerator Met + Clinical Performance Not Met

The number of reporting instances where quality-data codes (QDCs) or quality action data submitted met the measure-specific reporting criteria

NPI Name«: Not Available
NPI Number: 1000000006
Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Method of Reporting: Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via registry for 12 months

Performance Information							
Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)►	Reporting Numerator	Eligible Instances Excluded	Clinical Performance Denominator▫▫▫	Clinical Performance Numerator Met‖	Clinical Performance Not Met	Clinical Performance Rate▫▫▫
N/A	**Chronic Kidney Disease Measures Group**						
#121	Laboratory Testing (Calcium, Phosphorus, Intact Parathyroid Hormone (IPTH) and Lipid Profile)	462	32	430	385	45	90%
#122	Blood Pressure Management	462	0	462	373	89	81%
#123	Plan of Care - Elevated Hemoglobin for Patients Receiving Erythropoiesis-Stimulating Agents (ESA)	462	15	447	352	95	79%
#135	Influenza Immunization	462	22	440	365	75	74%
#153	Referral for Arteriovenous (AV) Fistula	462	25	437	300	137	69%
N/A	**Rheumatoid Arthritis Measures Group**						
#108	Disease Modifying Anti-Rheumatic Drug (DMARD) Therapy	320	32	288	245	43	85%
#176	Tuberculosis Screening	320	18	302	233	69	77%
#177	Periodic Assessment of Disease Activity	320	26	294	213	81	72%
#178	Functional Status Assessment	320	23	297	193	104	65%
#179	Assessment and Classification of Disease Prognosis	320	33	287	181	106	63%
#180	Glucocorticoid Management	320	320	0	0	0	NULL

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Note: For the Inappropriate Use of "Probably Benign" Assessment Category in Mammography Screening (#146) measure, a lower performance rate indicates better performance.

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Figure 4.9 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Registry for 12 Months

Example 4.10: NPI Performance Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Claims for 6 Months

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Table 4: NPI Performance Detail - Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Claims for 6 Months
Sorted by Measure Group and Sub-Sorted by Clinical Performance Rate

Reporting Numerator = 1P + 2P + 3P + Other + Clinical Performance Denominator
Clinical Performance Denominator = Clinical Performance Numerator Met + Clinical Performance Not Met

The clinical performance rate is a result of the clinical performance met divided by the clinical performance denominator. For 2010 PQRI Measure #119, it's 27 divided by 30 for 97%.

NPI Name«: Not Available
NPI Number: 1000000004
Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Method of Reporting: Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via claims for 6 months

Performance Information										
			Eligible Instances Excluded							
Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)►	Reporting Numerator	Medical (1P)	Patient (2P)	System (3P)	Other««	Clinical Performance Denominator	Clinical Performance Numerator Met	Clinical Performance Not Met¤	Clinical Performance Rate
N/A	**Diabetes Mellitus Measures Group**									
#117	Dilated Eye Exam in Diabetic Patient	30	0	0	0	0	30	30	0	100%
#1	Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Diabetes Mellitus	30	0	0	0	0	30	28	2	93%
#119	Urine Screening for Microalbumin or Medical Attention for Nephropathy in Diabetic Patients	30	0	0	0	0	30	27	3	97%
#3	High Blood Pressure Control in Diabetes Mellitus	30	0	0	0	2	28	20	8	71%
#2	Low Density Lipoprotein Control in Diabetes Mellitus	30	0	0	0	0	30	20	10	67%
#163	Foot Exam	30	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	NULL
N/A	**Rheumatoid Arthritis Measures Group**									

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Example 4.10 continued

Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)►	Reporting Numerator	Eligible Instances Excluded				Clinical Performance Denominator▫▫▫	Clinical Performance Numerator Met‖	Clinical Performance Not Met¤	Clinical Performance Rate□□□
			Medical (1P)	Patient (2P)	System (3P)	Other««				
#108	Disease Modifying Anti-Rheumatic Drug (DMARD) Therapy	250	27	0	0	0	223	203	20	91%
#176	Tuberculosis Screening	250	39	0	0	13	198	173	25	87%
#177	Periodic Assessment of Disease Activity	250	0	0	0	0	250	192	58	77%
#178	Functional Status Assessment	250	0	0	0	0	250	190	60	76%
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Figure 4.10 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Claims for 6 Months

Example 4.11: NPI Performance Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Registry for 6 Months

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Table 4: NPI Performance Detail - Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Registry for 6 Months
Sorted by Measure Group and Sub-Sorted by Clinical Performance Rate

Reporting Numerator = Eligible Instances Excluded + Clinical Performance Denominator
Clinical Performance Denominator = Clinical Performance Numerator Met + Clinical Performance Not Met

NPI Name«: Jones, Josie
NPI Number: 1000000011
Tax ID Name«: John Q. Public Clinic
Method of Reporting: Measures Groups - 80% beneficiaries via registry for 6 months

The number of instances the TIN/NPI submitted a modifier or quality-data code (QDC) as performance exclusion for the measure

Performance Information							
Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)►	Reporting Numerator	Eligible Instances Excluded	Clinical Performance Denominator▫▫▫	Clinical Performance Numerator Met‖	Clinical Performance Not Met	Clinical Performance Rate▫▫▫
N/A	**Chronic Kidney Disease Measures Group**						
#121	Laboratory Testing (Calcium, Phosphorus, Intact Parathyroid Hormone (iPTH) and Lipid Profile)	462	32	430	385	45	90%
#122	Blood Pressure Management	462	0	462	373	89	81%
#123	Plan of Care - Elevated Hemoglobin for Patients	462	15	447	352	95	79%
#135	Influenza Immunization	462	22	440	365	75	74%
#153	Referral for Arteriovenous (AV) Fistula	462	25	437	300	137	69%
N/A	**Rheumatoid Arthritis Measures Group**						
#108	Disease Modifying Anti-Rheumatic Drug (DMARD) Therapy	320	32	288	245	43	85%
#176	Tuberculosis Screening	320	18	302	233	69	77%
#177	Periodic Assessment of Disease Activity	320	26	294	213	81	72%
#178	Functional Status Assessment	320	23	297	193	104	65%

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Measure #	Measures Groups (with Measures Titles)►	Reporting Numerator	Eligible Instances Excluded	Clinical Performance Denominator▫▫▫	Clinical Performance Numerator Met‖	Clinical Performance Not Met	Clinical Performance Rate▫▫▫
#179	Assessment and Classification of Disease Prognosis	320	33	287	181	106	63%
#180	Glucocorticoid Management	320	320	0	0	0	NULL

Tables can be longer than one page

«Name identified by matching the identifier number in the CMS national Provider Enrollment Chain and Ownership System (PECOS) database. If the organization or professional's enrollment record or enrollment changes have not been processed and established in the national PECOS database as well as at the local Carrier/MAC systems at the time this report was produced, this is indicated by "Not Available". This does not affect the organization's or professional's enrollment status or eligibility for a 2010 PQRI incentive payment, only the system's ability to populate this field in the report.
►Each measure within the measures group is analyzed as specified in the 2010 PQRI Measures Groups Specifications Manual located on the CMS PQRI website.
▫▫▫The performance denominator is determined by subtracting the number of eligible instances excluded from the numerator eligible reporting instances. Valid reasons for exclusions may apply and are specific to each measure. The 2010 PQRI Measures Groups Specifications Manual containing measure specific information is available on the CMS website.
‖The number of instances the TIN/NPI submitted the appropriate quality-data code(s) (QDCs) or quality action data satisfactorily meeting the performance requirements for the measure.
▫▫▫The Clinical Performance Rate is calculated by dividing the Clinical Performance Numerator by the Clinical Performance Denominator. If 'NULL', all of the measure's performance eligible instances were performance exclusions.

Note: For the Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Diabetes Mellitus (#1) measure, a lower performance rate indicates better performance.
Note: For the Inappropriate Use of "Probably Benign" Assessment Category in Mammography Screening (#146) measure, a lower performance rate indicates better performance.

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Figure 4.11 Screenshot of Table 4: NPI Performance Detail – Measures Groups: 80% Beneficiaries via Registry for 6 Months

Example 4.12: TIN Performance Detail – GPRO

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Table 4: TIN Performance Detail - GPRO

Sorted by Measure #

Tax ID Name: John Q. Jr. Public Clinic
Tax ID Number: XXXXX1234

Number of patients or visits eligible for this measure

Clinical Performance Denominator = total patients/visits minus denominator exclusions (ex., 400 - 100 = 300)

Performance Information							
Measure #	Measures Title	Total Patients/Visits	Clinical Performance Denominator Exclusions	Clinical Performance Denominator	Clinical Performance Not Met	Clinical Performance Numerator Met	Clinical Performance Rate
CAD-1	Coronary Artery Disease (CAD): Oral Antiplatelet Therapy Prescribed for Patients with CAD	400	100	300	0	300	100%
CAD-2	Coronary Artery Disease (CAD): Drug Therapy for Lowering LDL-Cholesterol	400	100	300	200	100	33%
CAD-3	Coronary Artery Disease (CAD): Beta-Blocker Therapy for CAD Patients with Prior Myocardial Infarction (MI)	300	200	100	100	0	100%
CAD-7	Coronary Artery Disease (CAD): Angiotensin-Converting Enzyme (ACE) Inhibitor or Angiotensin Receptor Blocker (ARB) Therapy for Patients with CAD and Diabetes and/or Left Ventricular Systolic Dysfunction (LVSD)	300	0	300	200	100	33%
DM-1	Diabetes Mellitus: Hemoglobin A1c Testing	400	0	400	0	400	100%
DM-2	Diabetes Mellitus: Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Diabetes Mellitus	400	0	400	200	200	50%
DM-3	Diabetes Mellitus: High Blood Pressure Control in Diabetes Mellitus	400	0	400	200	200	50%
DM-5	Diabetes Mellitus: Low Density Lipoprotein (LDL-C) Control in Diabetes Mellitus	400	0	400	300	100	25%
DM-6	Diabetes Mellitus: Urine Screening for Microalbumin or Medical Attention for Nephropathy in Diabetic Patients	400	0	400	0	400	100%
DM-7	Diabetes Mellitus: Dilated Eye Exam in Diabetic Patient	400	0	400	0	400	100%
DM-8	Diabetes Mellitus: Foot Exam	400	100	300	0	300	100%
DM-9	Diabetes Mellitus: Lipid Profile	400	0	400	100	300	75%

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Measure #	Measures Title	Total Patients/Visits»	Clinical Performance Denominator Exclusions»	Clinical Performance Denominator₩	Clinical Performance Not Met€	Clinical Performance Numerator Metђ	Clinical Performance Rateß
HF-1	Heart Failure: Left Ventricular Function (LVF) Assessment	600	0	600	300	300	50%
HF-2	Heart Failure: Left Ventricular Function (LVF) Testing	600	100	500	200	300	60%
HF-3	Heart Failure: Weight Measurement	360	0	360	40	320	89%
HF-5	Heart Failure: Patient Education	600	0	600	300	300	50%
HF-6	Heart Failure: Beta-Blocker Therapy for Left Ventricular Systolic Dysfunction (LVSD)	400	200	200	100	100	50%
HF-7	Heart Failure: Angiotensin-Converting Enzyme (ACE) Inhibitor or Angiotensin Receptor Blocker (ARB) Therapy for Left Ventricular Systolic Dysfunction (LVSD)	400	0	400	200	200	50%
HF-8	Heart Failure: Warfarin Therapy for Patients with Atrial Fibrillation	500	0	500	200	300	60%
HTN-1	Hypertension (HTN): Blood Pressure Measurement	390	0	390	310	80	21%
HTN-2	Hypertension (HTN): Blood Pressure Control	70	0	70	60	10	14%
HTN-3	Hypertension (HTN): Plan of Care	50	0	50	20	30	60%
PREV-5	Preventive Care and Screening: Screening Mammography	70	0	70	10	60	86%
PREV-6	Preventive Care and Screening: Colorectal Cancer Screening	50	0	50	20	30	60%
PREV-7	Preventive Care and Screening: Influenza Immunization for Patients ≥ 50	70	0	70	0	70	100%
PREV-8	Preventive Care and Screening: Pneumonia Vaccination for Patients 65 Years and Older	30	0	30	0	30	100%

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»The number of Patients/Visits eligible for the measure (met the measure's inclusion criteria).

иThe number of eligible patients that were removed from the Clinical Performance Denominator for medical, patient or system exclusion reasons (where applicable).

₩The total number of Patients/Visits minus any Clinical Performance Denominator Exclusions. Valid reasons for exclusions may apply and are specific to each measure.

€ The number of Pati+A16ents/Visits that did not meet the performance requirements for the measure.

ЂThe number of Patients/Visits that met the performance requirements for the measure.

ßThe Clinical Performance Rate is calculated by dividing the Clinical Performance Numerator Met by the Clinical Performance Denominator.

Note: For DM-2, a lower Clinical Performance Rate indicates better performance/control.

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Figure 4.12 Screenshot of Table 4: TIN Performance Detail – GPRO

Accessing Feedback Reports

Eligible professionals can request individual National Provider Identifier (NPI)-level reports through their Carrier/Medicare Administrative Contractor (MAC) or a future web-based support page. Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)-level and GPRO reports will be available on the Physician and Other Health Care Professionals Quality Reporting Portal (Portal) at http://www.qualitynet.org/PQRI and will require an Individuals Authorized Access to CMS Computer Services (IACS) account (see https://idm.cms.hhs.gov/idm/user/newregistration.jsp).

The Portal is the secured entry point to access the complete 2010 feedback reports. Your report is safely stored online and accessible only to you (and those you specifically authorize). Eligible professionals will need to obtain a user name, password, and appropriate role in order to access their 2010 PQRI feedback reports through the secure Portal. As shown in Figure 5.1, the Quick Reference Guides provide step-by-step instructions to register for an IACS account, if you do not already have access. Downloadable 2010 PQRI feedback reports will be available as an Adobe® Acrobat® PDF in September-October of 2011. The report will also be available as a Microsoft® Excel or .csv file.

Please see the 2011 Portal User Guide (http://www.qualitynet.org/PQRI) for detailed instructions on logging into the Portal.

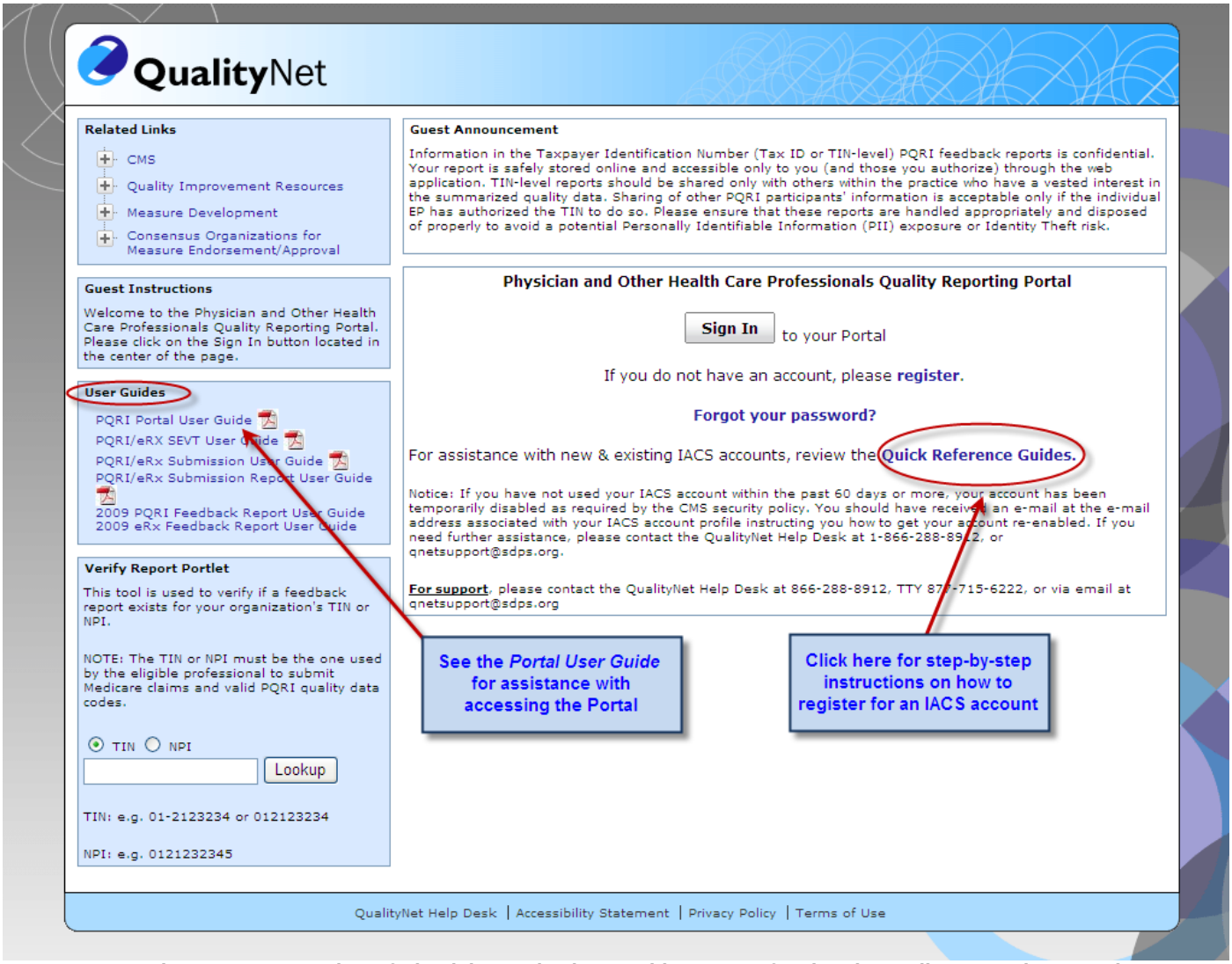

Figure 5.1 Screenshot of Physician and Other Health Care Professionals Quality Reporting Portal

Key Facts about PQRI Incentive Eligibility and Amount Calculation

Measure-Applicability Validation (MAV) and Incentive Eligibility

As required by the Tax Relief and Health Care Act of 2006 (TRHCA), the 2010 PQRI included a validation process to ensure that each eligible professional satisfactorily reported the minimum number of measures. Eligible professionals who satisfactorily submitted QDCs via claims-based reporting on one or two PQRI individual measures for at least 80% of their patients eligible for each measure reported and did not submit any QDCs on any additional measures were subject to MAV for determination of whether they should have submitted QDCs for additional measure(s). This validation process is only applicable to claims-based reporting and does not apply to registry or EHR-based submissions or to GPRO. For more information, refer to PQRI FAQs and the 2010 MAV documents on the CMS PQRI website at http://www.cms.gov/PQRS.

Lump-Sum Incentive Payment

Payment Calculations

- The 2.0% incentive is based on CMS' estimate of all Medicare Part B PFS allowed charges for covered professional services: (1) furnished during the applicable 2010 reporting period, (2) processed by the Carrier or Medicare Administrative Contractor (MAC) no more than two months past the end of the reporting period, and (3) paid under or based on the PFS. PQRI incentive payments will be aggregated at the TIN level.
- For the incentive payment calculation, an eligible professional eligible for the incentive is defined as a TIN/NPI who meets the PQRI criteria for satisfactory reporting for the applicable program year. A GPRO eligible for the incentive is defined as a TIN who met the PQRI criteria for successful reporting for the 2010 PQRI Incentive program year.
- The analysis of satisfactory reporting will be performed at the individual TIN/NPI level, except those participating in GPRO, to identify each eligible professional's services and quality data. The analysis of successful reporting among eligible professionals under the GPRO will be performed at the TIN level to identify the group's services and quality data.
    - Incentive payments earned by individual eligible professionals will be issued to the TIN under which he or she earned an incentive, based on the Medicare Part B PFS covered professional services claims submitted under the TIN, aggregating individual eligible professionals' incentives to the TIN level.
    - For eligible professionals who submit claims under multiple TINs, CMS plans to group claims by TIN for analysis and payment purposes. As a result, a professional who submits claims under multiple TINs may earn a PQRI incentive under one of the TINs and not the other(s), or may earn an incentive under each TIN. The PQRI financial incentive earned by any individual professional under a given TIN, based on the claims associated with that TIN, will be included in that TIN's aggregate PQRI incentive payment.
- For further information related to the incentive payment please refer to the 2010 PQRI program pages on the CMS PQRI website (http://www.cms.gov/PQRS), including the *Guide for Understanding 2010 PQRI Incentive Payment*.

Distribution

- 2010 PQRI Incentive payments will be issued to the TIN by the Carrier or MAC in September-October of 2011 electronically or via check, based on how the TIN normally receives payment for Medicare Part B PFS covered professional services furnished to Medicare beneficiaries.
- Incentive payments for the 2010 PQRI and the 2010 Electronic Prescribing (eRx) Incentive Program will be distributed separately.
- If a TIN submits claims to multiple Medicare claims-processing contractors (Carriers or MACs), each contractor may be responsible for a proportion of the TIN incentive payment equivalent to the proportion of Medicare Part B PFS claims the contractor processed for the 2010 PQRI reporting periods. *(Note: if splitting an incentive across contractors would result in any contractor issuing a PQRI incentive payment less than $20 to the TIN, the incentive will be issued by fewer contractors than may have processed PFS claims from the TIN for the reporting period).*

Frequent Concerns

- If the lump-sum incentive payment does not arrive, contact your Carrier or MAC.
- If the incentive payment amount does not match what is reflected in your PQRI feedback report, contact your Carrier or MAC. The incentive amount may differ by a penny or two from what is reflected in the feedback report due to rounding. The proportion of incentive amount by Carrier/MAC may not equal 100 percent due to rounding.
- The incentive payment and the PQRI feedback report will be issued at different times. The payment, with the remittance advice, will be issued by the Carrier or MAC and identified as a lump-sum PQRI incentive payment. CMS will provide the 2010 PQRI feedback reports through a separate process.
- The Electronic Remittance Advice sends a 2-character code (LE) to indicate incentive payments plus a 4-digit code for the type of incentive and reporting year (PQ10) to accompany the incentive payment.
- The Paper Remittance Advice states: “This is a PQRI incentive payment.”
- PQRI participants will not receive claim-level detail in the feedback reports.
- 2010 PQRI feedback reports will be available September-October 2011.
- PQRI feedback report availability is not based on whether or not an incentive payment was earned. Feedback reports will be available for every TIN under which at least one eligible professional (identified by his or her NPI submitting Medicare Part B PFS claims) reported at least one PQRI measure a minimum of once during the reporting period.
- Feedback reports for multiple years will now be accessible via the Portal and will not be archived.
- If **all** of the 2010 PQRI QDCs submitted by individual eligible professionals are not denominator-eligible events for the 2010 PQRI measure, Tables 1, 2, and 4 of the individual eligible professional’s NPI-level reports will be populated with zeroes in most or all of the numeric fields of the tables. Table 3 will give NPI-level detailed information in regards to these invalid submissions.
- In some cases for eligible professionals reporting as individuals via registry or EHR, an individual NPI will be indicated in the feedback report as incentive eligible, but the incentive payment is determined to be zero dollars. This is due to when the incentive payment calculation for the individual NPI indicates they do not have any total estimated Medicare Part B PFS allowed charges for covered professional services billed under that individual's TIN/NPI combination.

Help/Troubleshooting

Following are helpful hints and troubleshooting information:

- Adobe® Acrobat® Reader is required to view the feedback report in PDF format. You can download a free copy of the latest version of Adobe® Acrobat® Reader from http://www.adobe.com/products/acrobat/readstep2.html?promoid=BUIGO.
- The report may not function optimally, correctly, or at all with some older versions of Microsoft® Windows, Microsoft® Internet Explorer, Mozilla® Firefox, or Adobe® Acrobat® Reader.
- Feedback files for PQRI are generated in the 2007 version of Miscrosoft® Excel. Microsoft offers a free viewer application for opening Office 2007 files to users running Windows Server 2003, Windows XP, or Windows Vista Operating Systems. With Excel Viewer, you can open, view, and print Excel workbooks, even if you do not have Excel installed. You can also copy data from Excel Viewer to another program. However, you cannot edit data, save a workbook, or create a new workbook. This download is a replacement for Excel Viewer 97 and all previous Excel Viewer versions. See http://www.microsoft.com/download/en/details.aspx?DisplayLang=en&id=10 to download the free Microsoft® Excel Viewer.
- One of the format options for the feedback report is Character Separated Values (.csv) files. This is a commonly recognized delimited data format that has fields/columns separated by the comma character or other character and records/rows separated by a line feed or a carriage return and line feed pair. Csv files generated for the eRx feedback report will use the [tab] as the delimiting character. The .csv file type is generally accepted by spreadsheet programs and database management systems using the application's native features.
- Users may need to turn off their web browser’s Pop-up Blocker or temporarily allow Pop-up files in order to download the eRx feedback report.
- Regardless of the format, users should preview their feedback reports prior to printing. In Microsoft® Excel, view Print Preview to ensure all worksheets show as fit to one page.
- If you need assistance with the **IACS registration process** (i.e., forgot ID, password resets, etc.), contact the QualityNet Help Desk at 866-288-8912 (TTY 877-715-6222) or qnetsupport@sdps.org (Monday-Friday 7:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. CT). You may also contact them for **PQRI assistance including accessing the Portal**.
- Contact your Carrier or MAC with general payment questions. The Provider Contact Center Toll-Free Numbers Directory offers information on how to contact the appropriate provider contact center and is available for download at: http://www.cms.gov/MLNGenInfo/01_Overview.asp.

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Appendix A: 2010 PQRI Feedback Report Definitions

Table 1: Earned Incentive Summary for Taxpayer Identification Number (Tax ID)

Term	Definition
Tax ID Name	Legal business name associated with a Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN). Eligible professional's name identified by matching the identifier number in the CMS national Provider Enrollment Chain and Ownership System (PECOS) database. If the organization's or professional's enrollment record or enrollment changes have not been processed and established in the national PECOS database as well as at the local Carrier or MAC systems at the time this report was produced, this is indicated by "Not Available". This does not affect the organization's or professional's enrollment status or eligibility for a 2010 PQRI incentive payment; only the system's ability to populate this field in the report.
Tax ID Number	The masked TIN, whether individual or corporate TIN, Employer Identification Number, or individual professional's Social Security Number.
Total Tax ID Earned Incentive Amount for NPIs	The total incentive amount earned by the TIN.
Carrier MAC Identification #	Carrier and/or MAC number to which the TIN bills their claims.
Proportion of Incentive per Carrier/MAC	The percentage of the total incentive amount earned by the TIN/NPI, split across carriers based on the proportionate split of the TIN's total estimated allowed Physician Fee Schedule covered charges billed across the carriers (100% of incentive will be distributed by a single carrier if a single carrier processed all claims for the TIN for all dates of service for the applicable reporting period).
Tax ID Earned Incentive Amount Under Carrier/MAC	The total incentive amount earned by NPIs within the Tax ID (TIN) billing to each carrier. More information regarding incentive calculations can be found on the CMS website, http://www.cms.gov/PQRS.
NPI (Individual Only)	National Provider Identifier of the eligible professional billing under the TIN.
NPI Name (Individual Only)	Eligible professional's name identified by matching the identifier number in the CMS national Provider Enrollment Chain and Ownership System (PECOS) database. If the organization's or professional's enrollment record or enrollment changes have not been processed and established in the national PECOS database as well as at the local Carrier or MAC systems at the time this report was produced, this is indicated by "Not Available". This does not affect the organization's or professional's enrollment status or eligibility for a 2010 PQRI incentive payment; only the system's ability to populate this field in the report.

Term	Definition
Incentive Eligible	• **Method of Reporting:** The method of reporting attempted by the NPI. For those NPIs participating in PQRI by multiple reporting methods, the most advantageous method is displayed. The twelve reporting methods are: o 12 months – individual measures via claims o 12 months – individual measures via registry o 12 months – individual measures via EHR o 6 months – individual measures via claims o 6 months – individual measures via registry o 12 months – 30 beneficiary measures groups via claims o 12 months – 30 beneficiary measures groups via registry o 12 months – 80% measures groups via claims o 12 months – 80% measures groups via registry o 6 months – 80% measures groups via claims o 6 months – 80% measures groups via registry o 12 months – Group Practice Reporting Option • **Reporting Period:** The 12- or 6-month time period for which an eligible professional can submit quality data for PQRI. • **Yes/No:** "Yes" if the TIN/NPI is eligible for the incentive payment and "No" if the TIN/NPI is not eligible for the incentive payment. • **Rationale:** The rationale for those NPIs who were or were not eligible to receive an incentive. o Sufficient # of measures reported at 80% o Sufficient # of beneficiaries reported at 80% and a minimum of 8 eligible beneficiaries o Sufficient # of beneficiaries reported at 80% and a minimum of 15 eligible beneficiaries o Sufficient # of patients reported o Sufficient # of beneficiaries reported o Insufficient % of beneficiaries reported o Insufficient # of patients reported o Insufficient # of measures reported at 80% o Insufficient number of minimum eligible beneficiaries o Did not pass MAV More information regarding incentive calculations can be found on the CMS website, http://www.cms.gov/PQRS.
Total # Measures Submitted (Individual Only)	The number of measures where quality-data codes (QDCs) or quality actions data are submitted, but are not necessarily valid. Only valid submissions count toward reporting success. If the reporting method is through measures groups, this field will be populated with 'N/A'.
Total # Measures Denominator Eligible (Individual Only)	The number of measures for which the TIN/NPI reported at least one valid quality-data code (QDC) or quality action data. If the reporting method is through measures groups, this field will be populated with 'N/A'. o **Quality-Data Code:** Specified CPT Category II codes with or without modifiers (and G-codes where CPT II codes are not yet available) used for submission of PQRI data. CMS *PQRI Quality Measures Specifications* document contains all codes associated with each PQRI measure and instructions for data submission through the administrative claims system. This document can be found on the 2010 PQRI program page on the CMS website at http://www.cms.gov/pgrs.
Total # Measures Satisfactorily Reported (Individual Only)	The total number of measures the TIN/NPI reported at a satisfactory rate; satisfactory rate is for ≥ 80% of instances. If the reporting method is through measures groups, this field will be populated with 'N/A'.
Total Estimated Allowed Medicare Part B PFS Charges	The total estimated amount of Medicare Part B Physician Fee Schedule (PFS) allowed charges associated with covered professional services rendered during the reporting period. Date of service on the claim is used to determine the reporting period. The PFS claims included were based on the 12- or 6-month reporting period for the method by which the NPI was incentive eligible.

Term	Definition
NPI Total Earned Incentive Amount (Individuals Only)	The amount of the incentive is based on the total estimated allowed Medicare Part B PFS charges for services performed within the length of the reporting period for which a TIN/NPI was eligible. If N/A, the NPI was not eligible to receive an incentive.
TIN Total Earned Incentive Amount (GPROs Only)	The 2.0% incentive for incentive-eligible group TIN, based on the total estimated allowed Medicare Part B PFS charges for services performed within the length of the reporting period for which a TIN was eligible. If N/A, the group TIN was not eligible to receive an incentive.
Disease Module/Preventive Care Measures (GPROs Only)	The 2010 GPRO PQRI disease module or preventive care measures title.

Table 2: NPI Participation Detail

Term	Definition
Tax ID Name	Legal business name associated with a TIN. Eligible professional's name identified by matching the identifier number in the CMS national Provider Enrollment Chain and Ownership System (PECOS) database. If the organization's or professional's enrollment record or enrollment changes have not been processed and established in the national PECOS database as well as at the local Carrier or MAC systems at the time this report was produced, this is indicated by "Not Available". This does not affect the organization's or professional's enrollment status or eligibility for a 2010 PQRI incentive payment; only the system's ability to populate this field in the report.
Tax ID Number	The masked Taxpayer Identification Number, whether individual or corporate TIN, Employer Identification Number, or individual professional's Social Security Number.
All Methods Reported	All reporting methods attempted by the NPI. Every reporting method that may apply to the eligible professional is analyzed.
Reporting Period	The 12- or 6-month time period for which an eligible professional can submit quality data for PQRI.
Registry/EHR Associated	The registry submitting PQRI quality data on behalf of the NPI or the EHR product used by the NPI to submit their quality data.
Qualified for Incentive	"Yes" if satisfactorily met reporting criteria and "No" if did not satisfactorily meet reporting criteria.
Reporting Method/Period Used for Incentive	The method/period of reporting satisfactorily meeting the reporting criteria and deemed most advantageous will be indicated with a "Yes". If the NPI did not qualify for an incentive through any reporting methods/periods, the reporting method/period will be populated with N/A.
NPI	National Provider Identifier of the individual eligible professional billing under the TIN.
NPI Name	Eligible professional's name identified by matching the identifier number in the CMS national Provider Enrollment Chain and Ownership System (PECOS) database. If the organization's or professional's enrollment record or enrollment changes have not been processed and established in the national PECOS database as well as at the local Carrier or MAC systems at the time this report was produced, this is indicated by "Not Available". This does not affect the organization's or professional's enrollment status or eligibility for a 2010 PQRI incentive payment; only the system's ability to populate this field in the report.

Term	Definition
Incentive Eligible	• **Method of Reporting:** The method of reporting attempted by the NPI. For those NPIs participating in PQRI by multiple reporting methods, the most advantageous method is displayed. The twelve reporting methods are: o 12 months – individual measures via claims o 12 months – individual measures via registry o 12 months – individual measures via EHR o 6 months – individual measures via claims o 6 months – individual measures via registry o 12 months – 30 beneficiary measures groups via claims o 12 months – 30 beneficiary measures groups via registry o 12 months – 80% measures groups via claims o 12 months – 80% measures groups via registry o 6 months – 80% measures groups via claims o 6 months – 80% measures groups via registry o 12 months – Group Practice Reporting Option • **Reporting Period:** The 12- or 6-month time period for which an eligible professional can submit quality data for PQRI. • **Yes/No:** "Yes" if the TIN/NPI is eligible for the incentive payment and "No" if the TIN/NPI is not eligible for the incentive payment. • **Rationale:** The rationale for those NPIs who were or were not eligible to receive an incentive. o Sufficient # of measures reported at 80% o Sufficient # of beneficiaries reported at 80% and a minimum of 8 eligible beneficiaries o Sufficient # of beneficiaries reported at 80% and a minimum of 15 eligible beneficiaries o Sufficient # of patients reported o Sufficient # of beneficiaries reported o Insufficient % of beneficiaries reported o Insufficient # of patients reported o Insufficient # of measures reported at 80% o Insufficient number of minimum eligible beneficiaries o Did not pass MAV • More information regarding incentive calculations can be found on the CMS website, http://www.cms.gov/PQRS.
Total # Measures Submitted	The number of measures where QDCs or quality action data are submitted, but not necessarily valid. Only valid submissions count toward reporting success.
Total # Measures Denominator Eligible	The number of measures for which the TIN/NPI reported at least one valid quality-data code (QDC) or quality action data. If the reporting method is through measures groups, this field will be populated with 'N/A'. • **Quality-Data Code:** Specified CPT Category II codes with or without modifiers (and G-codes where CPT II codes are not yet available) used for submission of PQRI data. CMS *PQRI Quality Measures Specifications* document contains all codes associated with each PQRI measure and instructions for data submission through the administrative claims system. This document can be found on the 2010 PQRI program page on the CMS website at http://www.cms.gov/PQRS.
Total # Measures Satisfactorily Reported	The total number of measures the TIN/NPI reported at a satisfactory rate; satisfactory rate is for ≥ 80% of instances. If the reporting method is through measures groups, this field will be populated with 'N/A'.
Total Estimated Allowed Medicare Part B PFS Charges	The total estimated amount of Medicare Part B Physician Fee Schedule (PFS) allowed charges associated with covered professional services rendered during the reporting period. Date of service on the claim is used to determine the reporting period. The PFS claims included were based on the 12- or 6-month reporting period for the method by which the NPI was incentive eligible.

Term	Definition
NPI Total Earned Incentive Amount	The amount of the incentive is based on the total estimated allowed Medicare Part B PFS charges for services performed within the length of the reporting period for which a TIN/NPI was eligible. If N/A, the NPI was not eligible to receive an incentive.
Measure #/Measure Title	2010 PQRI measure number and title.
Measure Tag	The analytic category for each measure that determines how the measure will be calculated for PQRI. • Patient-Intermediate - Report a minimum of once per reporting period per individual eligible professional (NPI). • Patient-Process - Report a minimum of once per reporting period per individual eligible professional (NPI). • Patient-Periodic - Report once per time frame specified in the measure for each individual eligible professional (NPI) during the reporting period. • Episode - Report once for each occurrence of a particular illness/condition by each individual eligible professional (NPI) during the reporting period. • Procedure - Report each time a procedure is performed by the individual eligible professional (NPI) during the reporting period. • Visit - Report each time the patient is seen by the individual eligible professional (NPI) during the reporting period.
Reporting Denominator: Applicable Cases	The number of instances the TIN/NPI was eligible to report the measure or the number of reporting instances meeting the common denominator inclusion criteria for the measures group.
Reporting Numerator: Valid QDCs Reported	The number of reporting instances where the quality-data codes (QDCs) or quality action data submitted met the measure-specific reporting criteria for claims-based reporting. The number of reporting instances for which this TIN/NPI submitted all quality-data code(s) (QDCs) or quality action data corresponding with all applicable measures within the measures group or submitted the composite G-code for the measures group. For each measure within the measures group, this indicates the number of reporting instances for which this TIN/NPI submitted one or more QDCs or quality actions corresponding with the applicable measure within the measures group.
Insufficient QDC Information	The number of instances in claims-based reporting where reporting was not met due to insufficient quality-data code (QDC) information/numerator coding not complete for the measure from the TIN/NPI combination (e.g., two numerator codes are necessary for the measure, only one was submitted; inappropriate CPT II modifier submitted for the measure). This column will be populated with N/A for the measures group title line.
QDC Not Reported	The number of instances where reporting was not met due to no quality-data code (QDC) information/numerator coding existing for the measure from the TIN/NPI combination. This column will be populated with N/A for the measures group title line.
Reporting Rate	A satisfactorily-reported measure has a reporting rate of 80% or greater. The reporting rate for the measures group where all applicable QDCs or quality action data for all applicable measures within the measures group is reported for an eligible reporting instance which is used to determine incentive eligibility. The reporting rate for the measure where a QDC or quality action for the measure is reported for applicable cases.

Term	Definition
Measure Validation Clinical Focus Area	Eligible professionals may find that they have opportunities to report measures in areas that are clinically-related to measures they have chosen to report. The clinical focus area, according to the measure-applicability validation (MAV) process, for each measure is indicated for reporting via claims. Please note that some measures may be generally applicable and are not part of a clinical focus area. A detailed description of the MAV process is available on the CMS website. • **Measure-Applicability Validation (MAV):** o If an eligible professional submits QDCs for only one or two PQRI measures for the 2010 reporting period, achieves a reporting rate of at least 80% on each measure submitted, and does not submit QDCs for any other PQRI measure, the completeness of their selection of measures may be subject to the MAV process. o Any NPI reporting on at least three measures for ≥ 80% of instances, or on one or two measures for ≥ 80% of instances and not found to have been eligible to report additional applicable measures by the MAV process is eligible to receive a PQRI incentive. More information regarding the MAV process and the clinical focus areas can be found on the CMS website, http://www.cms.gov/PQRS.
Measures Groups	2010 PQRI Measures Groups submitted by the NPI. Each measure within the measures group is analyzed as specified in the *2010 PQRI Measures Groups Specifications Manual* located on the CMS PQRI website.

Table 3: NPI QDC Submission Error Detail

Term	Definition
Tax ID Name	Legal business name associated with a TIN. Eligible professional's name identified by matching the identifier number in the CMS national Provider Enrollment Chain and Ownership System (PECOS) database. If the organization's or professional's enrollment record or enrollment changes have not been processed and established in the national PECOS database as well as at the local Carrier or MAC systems at the time this report was produced, this is indicated by "Not Available". This does not affect the organization's or professional's enrollment status or eligibility for a 2010 PQRI incentive payment; only the system's ability to populate this field in the report.
NPI Name	Eligible professional's name identified by matching the identifier number in the CMS national Provider Enrollment Chain and Ownership System (PECOS) database. If the organization's or professional's enrollment record or enrollment changes have not been processed and established in the national PECOS database as well as at the local Carrier or MAC systems at the time this report was produced, this is indicated by "Not Available". This does not affect the organization's or professional's enrollment status or eligibility for a 2010 PQRI incentive payment; only the system's ability to populate this field in the report.
NPI Number	Individual National Provider Identifier of the eligible professional billing under the TIN.
Method of Reporting	The method of reporting attempted by the NPI.
Measure #/Measure Title	2010 PQRI measure number and title.
Measure Tag	The analytic category for each measure that determines how the measure will be calculated for PQRI. • Patient-Intermediate - Report a minimum of once per reporting period per individual eligible professional (NPI). • Patient-Process - Report a minimum of once per reporting period per individual eligible professional (NPI). • Patient-Periodic - Report once per time frame specified in the measure for each individual eligible professional (NPI) during the reporting period. • Episode - Report once for each occurrence of a particular illness/condition by each individual eligible professional (NPI) during the reporting period. • Procedure - Report each time a procedure is performed by the individual eligible professional (NPI) during the reporting period. • Visit - Report each time the patient is seen by the individual eligible professional (NPI) during the reporting period.
QDC Occurrences	• **Actual # Reported:** Number of QDC submissions for a measure, whether or not the QDC submission was valid and appropriate (was submitted on a claim meeting denominator criteria) • **Reporting Numerator: Valid QDCs Reported:** Number of valid and appropriate QDC submissions for a measure • **% of Valid QDCs Accepted:** The percentage of reported QDCs that were valid
Gender	Number of QDC submissions that were not accepted due to not meeting the gender requirements for the measure.
Age	Number of QDC submissions that were not accepted due to not meeting the age requirements for the measure.
Only Incorrect CPT	Number of invalid QDC submissions resulting from an incorrect CPT code.
Only Incorrect DX	Number of invalid QDC submissions resulting from an incorrect diagnosis code.
Both Incorrect CPT and DX	Number of invalid QDC submissions resulting from a combination of incorrect CPT code and incorrect diagnosis code.
Only QDC on Claim (no CPT/HCPCS)	Number of invalid QDC submissions due to a missing qualifying denominator code since all lines were QDCs.
Only QDC and Incorrect DX	Number of invalid QDC submissions due to a missing qualifying denominator code since all lines were QDCs and the diagnosis code was incorrect.

Note: A QDC submission attempt may be counted for age, gender and one of the following: Incorrect CPT, Incorrect DX, Incorrect CPT and DX, Only QDC on Claim, and Only QDC and Incorrect DX. Incorrect CPT, Incorrect DX, Incorrect CPT and DX, Only QDC on Claim, and Only QDC and Incorrect DX are all mutually exclusive. If there is an incorrect CPT code and also an incorrect diagnosis, it will only fall into the "Both Incorrect CPT and DX" cell for that measure and will not fall into the other two cells.

Table 4: NPI Performance Detail

NOTE: Performance information is provided for the GPRO or eligible professional's use to assess and improve their clinical performance. Performance rates do not affect 2010 PQRI incentive payment eligibility or amount at the individual eligible professional or practice level.

Term	Definition
NPI Name (Individual Only)	Eligible professional's name identified by matching the identifier number in the CMS national Provider Enrollment Chain and Ownership System (PECOS) database. If the organization's or professional's enrollment record or enrollment changes have not been processed and established in the national PECOS database as well as at the local Carrier or MAC systems at the time this report was produced, this is indicated by "Not Available". This does not affect the organization's or professional's enrollment status or eligibility for a 20092010 PQRI incentive payment; only the system's ability to populate this field in the report.
NPI Number (Individual Only)	Individual National Provider Identifier of the eligible professional billing under the TIN.
Tax ID Name	Legal business name associated with a TIN. Eligible professional's name identified by matching the identifier number in the CMS national Provider Enrollment Chain and Ownership System (PECOS) database. If the organization's or professional's enrollment record or enrollment changes have not been processed and established in the national PECOS database as well as at the local Carrier or MAC systems at the time this report was produced, this is indicated by "Not Available". This does not affect the organization's or professional's enrollment status or eligibility for a 2010 PQRI incentive payment; only the system's ability to populate this field in the report.
Tax ID Number (GPROs only)	The masked TIN, whether individual or corporate TIN, Employer Identification Number, or individual professional's Social Security Number.
Method of Reporting	The method of reporting attempted by the NPI. For those NPIs participating in PQRI by multiple reporting methods, all methods are displayed.
Measure #/Measure Title	2010 PQRI measure number and title.
Reporting Numerator	The number of reporting instances where the quality-data codes (QDCs) or quality action data submitted met the measure-specific reporting criteria.
Reporting Numerator: Valid QDCs Reported (Individual Measures via Claims Only)	The number of reporting instances where the quality-data codes (QDCs) or quality action data submitted met the measure-specific reporting criteria.
Eligible Instances Excluded	The number of instances the TIN/NPI submitted a quality-data code (QDCs) or quality action data indicating a performance exclusion for the measure.
Eligible Instances Excluded (Individual Measures via Claims Only)	The number of instances the TIN/NPI submitted a modifier or QDC as performance exclusion for the measure. • **Medical 1P:** For each measure, the number (#) of instances the TIN/NPI submitted modifier 1P. • **Patient 2P:** For each measure, the number (#) of instances the TIN/NPI submitted modifier 2P. • **System 3P:** For each measure, the number (#) of instances the TIN/NPI submitted modifier 3P. **Other:** Includes instances where a CPT II code, G-code, or 8P modifier is used as a performance exclusion for the measure.

Term	Definition
Clinical Performance Denominator Exclusion (GPRO Only)	• The number of eligible patients that were removed from the Clinical Performance Denominator for medical, patient, or system exclusion reasons (where applicable).
Clinical Performance Denominator	The performance denominator is determined by subtracting the number of eligible instances excluded from the numerator eligible reporting instances. Valid reasons for exclusions may apply and are specific to each measure. The *2010 PQRI Quality Measures Specifications* document is available on the CMS PQRI website.
Clinical Performance Numerator Met	Number of instances the TIN/NPI submitted the appropriate QDC(s) or quality action data satisfactorily meeting the performance requirements for the measure. Please note that some measures look at "poor control" or "inappropriate care". For these measures, it is desirable to have a small number.
Clinical Performance Not Met	Includes instances where a CPT II code with an 8P modifier or G-code is used to indicate the quality action was not provided for a reason not otherwise specified.
Clinical Performance Rate	For "poor control" or "inappropriate care" measures, it is desirable to have a lower rate. The Clinical Performance Rate is calculated by dividing the Clinical Performance Numerator by the Clinical Performance Denominator. If 'NULL', all of the measure's performance eligible instances were performance exclusions. • Note: Instances reported with recognized performance exclusions (modifiers and/or QDC codes) are not included when calculating the performance rate. In other words, these exclusions serve as denominator exclusions for the purpose of measuring performance. For each PQRI measure for a particular program year, the recognized performance exclusions are identified in the relevant PQRI Measure Specifications which are available for download from the CMS PQRI website.
National Comparison for Performance (Individual Measures via Claims Only)	The National Comparison for Performance includes performance information for all TIN/NPI combinations submitting at least one QDC for the measure. Performance rates are sorted in ascending order (i.e., lowest to highest) then: • The **25th percentile** indicates that 25% of all participating TIN/NPI combinations are performing at or below this rate. • The **50th percentile** indicates that 50% of all participating TIN/NPI combinations are performing at or below this rate. • The **75th percentile** indicates that 75% of all participating TIN/NPI combinations are performing at or below this rate. For "poor control" or "inappropriate care" measures, the percentile is reversed, so the 25th percentile indicates better performance.
National Mean Performance Rate (Individual Measures via Claims Only)	The mean performance rate for all TIN/NPI combinations submitting at least one QDC for the measure.
Measures Groups - Title	Name of 2010 PQRI measures group.
Reporting Numerator	The number of reporting instances where the QDCs or quality action data submitted met the measure specific reporting criteria. (Reporting Numerator = 1P + 2P + 3P + Other + Clinical Performance Denominator).
Total Patients/Visits (GPRO Only)	The number of patients or visits eligible for the measure (met the measure's inclusion criteria)