

Stage 2

Eligible Professional Meaningful Use Menu Set Measures

Measure 6 of 6

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Report Specific Cases	
Objective	Capability to identify and report specific cases to a specialized registry (other than a cancer registry), except where prohibited, and in accordance with applicable law and practice.
Measure	Successful ongoing submission of specific case information from CEHRT to a specialized registry for the entire EHR reporting period.
Exclusions	<p>Any EP that meets at least 1 of the following criteria may be excluded from this objective:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) The EP does not diagnose or directly treat any disease associated with a specialized registry sponsored by a national specialty society for which the EP is eligible, or the public health agencies in their jurisdiction; (2) The EP operates in a jurisdiction for which no specialized registry sponsored by a public health agency or by a national specialty society for which the EP is eligible is capable of receiving electronic specific case information in the specific standards required by CEHRT at the beginning of their EHR reporting period; (3) The EP operates in a jurisdiction where no public health agency or national specialty society for which the EP is eligible provides information timely on capability to receive information into their specialized registries; or (4) The EP operates in a jurisdiction for which no specialized registry sponsored by a public health agency or by a national specialty society for which the EP is eligible that is capable of receiving electronic specific case information in the specific standards required by CEHRT at the beginning of their EHR reporting period can enroll additional EPs.

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Definition of Terms

Specialized Registry – Sponsored by national specialty societies and specialized registries maintained by public health agencies.



Attestation Requirements

YES/NO

EPs must attest YES to successfully submitting specific case information from CEHRT to a specialized registry for the entire reporting period to meet this measure.

- Ongoing submission was already achieved for an EHR reporting period in a prior year and continues throughout the current EHR reporting period.
- Registration with the PHA or other body to whom the information is being submitted of intent to initiate ongoing submission was made by the deadline (within 60 days of the start of the EHR reporting period) and ongoing submission was achieved.
- Registration of intent to initiate ongoing submission was made by the deadline and the EP or hospital is still engaged in testing and validation of ongoing electronic submission.
- Registration of intent to initiate ongoing submission was made by the deadline and the EP or hospital is awaiting invitation to begin testing and validation.

EXCLUSIONS: Any EP that meets at least 1 of the following criteria may be excluded from this objective:

- (1) The EP does not diagnose or directly treat any disease associated with a specialized registry sponsored by a national specialty society for which the EP is eligible, or the public health agencies in their jurisdiction;
- (2) The EP operates in a jurisdiction for which no specialized registry sponsored by a public health agency or by a national specialty society for which the EP is eligible is capable of receiving electronic specific case information in the specific standards required by CEHRT at the beginning of their EHR reporting period;
- (3) The EP operates in a jurisdiction where no public health agency or national specialty society for which the EP is eligible provides information timely on capability to receive information into their specialized registries; or
- (4) The EP operates in a jurisdiction for which no specialized registry sponsored by a public health agency or by a national specialty society for which the EP is eligible that is capable of receiving electronic specific case information in the specific standards required by CEHRT at the beginning of their EHR reporting period can enroll additional EPs.

Additional Information

- The specialized registry cannot be duplicative of any of the other registries included in other meaningful use objectives and measures. This means that an EP cannot meet the immunization, syndromic surveillance or cancer objectives and this objective by reporting to the same registry.
- In determining whether an EP meets the first exclusion, the registries in question are those sponsored by the public health agencies with jurisdiction over the area where the EP practices and national medical societies covering the EP's scope of practice.

Certification and Standards Criteria

Below is the corresponding certification and standards criteria for electronic health record technology that supports achieving the meaningful use of this objective.

Certification Criteria

N/A

Standards Criteria

N/A