Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) Quality Reporting Program (QRP) Public Reporting Archive

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IRF Provider Preview Reports - Now Available

Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) Provider Preview Reports have been updated and are now available. The data contained within the Preview Reports is based on quality data submitted by IRFs between Quarter 4 – 2018 and Quarter 3 – 2019, and reflects what will be published on IRF Compare during the June 2020 refresh of the website. Providers have 30 days (3/12/20 to 4/13/20) to review their performance data. Corrections to the underlying data will not be permitted during this time; however, providers can request CMS review of their data during the preview period if they believe the quality measure scores that are displayed within their Preview Reports are inaccurate.

As a reminder, data for the quality measure Percent of Residents or Patients that have New or Worsened Pressure Ulcers (short stay), will continue to reflect data collected between Quarter 3 2017 – Quarter 2 2018. This data will continue to be publicly displayed until such time as the new Changes in Skin Integrity Post-Acute Care: Pressure Ulcer/Injury, is publicly displayed in fall 2020, as finalized in the FY 2018 IRF PPS Final Rule.

IRFs can access their preview report by logging in to iQIES at https://iqies.cms.gov/. At the main screen, select Reports; then ‘My Reports’.

For more information:
- IRF Compare

March 11, 2020

Quarterly Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) Compare refresh - Now Available

The March 2020 quarterly Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) Compare refresh is now available. This IRF Compare update reflects quality data submitted by IRFs between Quarter 3 – 2018 and Quarter 2 – 2019.

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As of the March 2020 refresh, CMS will no longer publicly display the measure Percent of residents or patients who were assessed and appropriately given the seasonal influenza vaccine (short stay), as finalized in the FY 2019 IRF PPS Final Rule.

In summary, the following quality measures will be displayed on IRF Compare during the March 2020 refresh:
• Percent of residents or patients with pressure ulcers that are new or worsened (short stay)
  o Q3 2017 – Q2 2018 (7/01/2017 – 6/30/2018)
• Percent of Residents Experiencing One or More Falls with Major Injury (Long Stay)
• Q3 2018 – Q2 2019 (7/01/2018 – 6/30/2019)
• Application of Percent of Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) Patients With an Admission and Discharge Functional Assessment and a Care Plan That Addresses Function
  o Q3 2018 – Q2 2019 (7/01/2018 – 6/30/2019)
• National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Catheter-Associated Urinary Tract Infection (CAUTI) outcome measure
• National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Facility-wide Inpatient Hospital-Onset Clostridium difficile Infection (CDI) outcome measure
• Influenza Vaccination Coverage Among Healthcare Personnel
• Q3 2016 – Q2 2017 (7/01/2016 -- 6/30/2017)
• Potentially Preventable 30-Day Post-Discharge Readmission Measure for Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility Quality Reporting Program
  o Q4 2016 – Q3 2018 (10/1/2016 – 9/30/2018)
• Potentially Preventable Within Stay Readmission Measure for Inpatient Rehabilitation Facilities Quality Reporting Program
  o Q4 2016 – Q3 2018 (10/1/2016 – 9/30/2018)
• Discharge to Community-Post Acute Care (PAC) Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility Quality Reporting Program
  • Q4 2015 – Q3 2017 (10/01/2015 and 09/30/2017)
• Medicare Spending Per Beneficiary Post Acute Care (PAC) Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility Quality Reporting Program
  o Q4 2016 – Q3 2018 (10/1/2016 – 9/30/2018)

Please visit the IRF Compare website to view the updated quality data.