

# Medicare Promoting Interoperability PROGRAM

## Medicare Promoting Interoperability Program Annual Call for Measures Fact Sheet

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is initiating its Annual Call for Measures to allow stakeholders to be involved in the evolution of Medicare Promoting Interoperability Program measures for eligible hospitals and critical access hospitals (CAHs). Proposals must be submitted by **July 1, 2023** to be considered for future rulemaking.

The Annual Call for Measures process allows eligible hospitals and CAHs, professional associations, medical societies, and other stakeholders, such as researchers and consumer groups, to identify and submit measures.

### Considerations for Submitting Measures

CMS requests that stakeholders consider the following priority areas when submitting measures. We are seeking measures that:

- Build on the advanced use of CEHRT using the 2015 Edition Cures Update Certification Standards and Criteria;
- Promote interoperability and health information exchange;
- Improve program efficiency, effectiveness, and flexibility;
- Provide patients access to their health information;
- Reduce clinician and administrative burden; and
- Align with the Promoting Interoperability Performance Category for eligible clinicians participating in the Merit-based Incentive Payment System, as applicable.

### Measure Submission Process

Measure proposals will be accepted through **July 1, 2023**, and should be submitted to [CMSPICallForMeasures@ketchum.com](mailto:CMSPICallForMeasures@ketchum.com).

### CMS Measure Review Process

Measure proposals will be reviewed at CMS for completeness. Incomplete applications will be disqualified. CMS will review and select measures for consideration based on the areas of interest and priorities.

