Understanding the Public Health and Clinical Data Exchange Objective

To prepare for calendar year (CY) 2024, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is providing information about the required measures and bonus measures under the Public Health and Clinical Data Exchange objective in the Medicare Promoting Interoperability Program.

CY 2024 Required Measures Under the Public Health and Clinical Data Exchange Objective

Measure	Reporting Requirements	Available Points
Immunization Registry Reporting	The eligible hospital or CAH is in active engagement with a public health agency (PHA) to submit immunization data and receive immunization forecasts and histories from the public health immunization registry/immunization information system (IIS).	25 points are available for completing all five required measures.
Syndromic Surveillance Reporting	The eligible hospital or CAH is in active engagement with a public health agency (PHA) to submit syndromic surveillance data from an emergency department (Place of Service [POS] 23).	
Antimicrobial Use and Resistance (AUR) Surveillance Reporting *(New for 2024)*	The eligible hospital or CAH is in active engagement with the Centers for Disease Control & Prevention's (CDC's) National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) to submit antimicrobial use and resistance (AUR) data for the electronic health record (EHR)reporting period and receives a report from NHSN indicating their successful submission of AUR data for the EHR reporting period.	

Electronic Case Reporting	The eligible hospital or CAH is in active engagement with a public health agency (PHA) to submit case reporting of reportable conditions.	
Electronic Reportable Laboratory (ELR) Result Reporting	The eligible hospital or CAH is in active engagement with a public health agency (PHA) to submit ELR results.	

*Exclusions are available for all five measures. More information about CY 2024 measures will be released soon.

CY 2024 Bonus Measure Options

Bonus Measure	Reporting Requirements	Available Points
Public Health Registry Reporting	The eligible hospital or CAH is in active engagement with a public health agency (PHA) to submit data to public health registries.	Attesting "Yes" to one of the bonus measures will result in 5 points.
Clinical Data Registry Reporting	The eligible hospital or CAH is in active engagement with a public health agency (PHA) to submit data to public health registries.	*Attesting "No" to either bonus measure will not affect a participant's final score.*

Reminder!

Beginning in CY 2024, the electronic health record (EHR) reporting period for program participants will **be a minimum of any continuous 180-day period**. For CY 2024, participants will still be required to use Certified EHR Technology (CEHRT) that has been updated to meet 2015 Edition Cures Update criteria.

For More Information

Additional resources for CY 2024 will be coming soon. To learn more about the Medicare Promoting Interoperability Program, please visit the program webpage.

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