

2024 MIPS for Small Practices



Step-by-Step

Here's What You Will Learn:



- ✓ Why do you need report MIPS?
- ✓ Are you MIPS eligible?
- ✓ What do you report?
- ✓ How do you report?
- ✓ How much is it going to cost?
- ✓ What should you do now?

Why Report MIPS?

9% penalty on Medicare payments for not reporting



Are You MIPS Eligible? Check MDinteractive Account

QPP Participation Status

Enter your 10-digit <u>National Provider Identifier (NPI)</u> number to view your QPP participation status by performance year (PY).



Please note that the QPP Participation Status Tool is only a technical resource and is not dispositive of any eligible clinician's, group's, or organization's status under QPP. For more information, please refer to the Quality Payment Program regulations at 42 C.F.R. part 414 subpart O.

https://qpp.cms.gov/participation-lookup

2024 MIPS Changes

- Data Completeness = 75% (include all, provide answers for at least 75%).
- Promoting Interoperability (if reporting) = minimum of 180 days of data.
- Some Quality measures are retired (or not available for traditional MIPS) and new measures added. Check 2024 measure availability when creating MIPS plans.

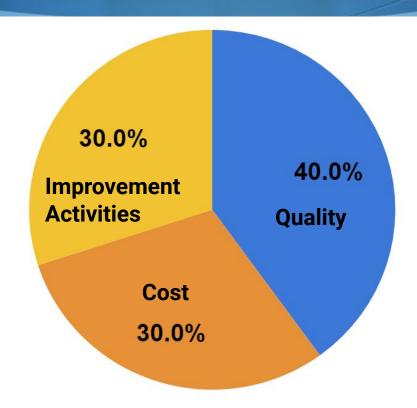
TIPS:

- PI is automatically re-weighted for small practices. You can choose to report if you have a CURES certified EMR.
- Data Completeness: CMS requires 100% of the denominator eligible instances. 75% data completeness requirement refers to the minimum percentage you must provide answers for.

Small Practice Specifics

- 6 point small practice bonus added to your raw MIPS Quality score.
- Promoting Interoperability is **automatically** re-weighted. Small practices can choose to report PI but category requires certified EHR.
- Small practices achieve 3 points for a measure that is not complete or benchmarked.

What Do You Report? for MIPS



Maximum Score Potential = 100 Points to Avoid Penalty = 75

PI is **automatically** re-weighted for small practices but can be reported if CURES updated EHR

What Do You Report? Quality

- > 6 Quality measures
- ALL denominator eligible visits, all insurances provide answers for at least 75%
- January 1 -December 31, 2024 visit dates

What Do I Report? Quality

MIPS by Specialty

Allergy/Immunology	Anesthesiology/Nurse Anesthetist/CRNA	Audiology	Cardiology
Chiropractor	Colon/Rectal Surgery	Dentistry	Dermatology
Electrophysiology Cardiac Specialist	Emergency Medicine	Endocrinology	Family Medicine
Gastroenterology	General Surgery	Geriatrics	Hand Surgery
Hospice/Palliative Care	Hospitalists	Infectious Disease	Internal Medicine



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What Do I Report for Quality? Read the CMS Measure Documentation and follow exactly.

Measure identifier and type



Frequency! Each denominator eligible visit or just 1x per reporting period.

Quality ID #130: Documentation of Current Medications in the Medical Record

2024 COLLECTION TYPE: MIPS CLINICAL QUALITY MEASURES (CQMS)

MEASURE TYPE:

Process - High Priority

Percentage of visits for patients aged 18 years and older for which the eligible clinician attests to documenting a list of current medications using all immediate resources available on the date of the encounter.

INSTRUCTIONS:

This measure is to be submitted at each denominator eligible visit during the performance period. Merit- based Incentive Payment System (MIPS) eligible clinicians meet the intent of this measure by making their best effort to document a current, complete and accurate medication list during each encounter. There is no diagnosis associated with this measure. This measure may be submitted by MIPS eligible clinicians who perform the quality actions described in the measure based on the services provided and the measure-specific denominator coding.

DENOMINATOR:

All visits occurring during the 12-month measurement period for patients aged 18 years and older

DENOMINATOR NOTE: *Signifies that this CPT Category I code is a non-covered service under the Medicare Part B Physician Fee Schedule (PFS). These non-covered services should be counted in the denominator population for MIPS CQMs.

Denominator Criteria (Eligible Cases):

Patients aged ≥ 18 years on date of encounter

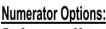
Patient encounter during the performance period (CPT or HCPCS): 59400, 59510, 59610, 59618, 90791, 90792, 90832, 90834, 90837, 90839, 92002, 92004, 92012, 92014, 92507, 92508, 92526, 92537, 92538, 92540, 92541, 92542, 92544, 92545, 92548, 92550, 92557, 92567, 92568, 92570, 92588, 92622, 92626, 96116, 96156, 96158, 97129, 97161, 97162, 97163, 97164, 97165, 97166, 97167, 97168, 97802, 97803, 97804, 98960, 98961, 98962, 99202, 99203, 99204, 99205, 99212, 99213, 99214, 99215, 99221, 99222, 99223, 99236, 99281, 99282, 99283, 99284, 99285, 99304, 99305, 99306, 99307, 99308, 99309, 99310, 99315, 99316, 99341, 99342, 99344, 99345, 99347, 99348, 99349, 99350, 99385*, 99386*, 99387*, 99395*, 99396*, 99397*, 99424, 99491, 99495, 99496, G0101, G0108, G0270, G0402, G0438, G0439



<u>Step 1</u>: Who is included? Identify claims that match exactly.

What Do I Report for Quality? Read the CMS Measure Documentation and follow exactly.

Step 2: Provide answers based on numerator options.



Performance Met:

Denominator Exception:

OR

OR

Performance Not Met:

Eligible clinician attests to documenting in the medical record they obtained, updated, or reviewed the patient's current medications (G8427)

Documentation of a medical reason(s) for not documenting, updating, or reviewing the patient's current medications list (e.g., patient is in an urgent or emergent medical situation) (G8430)

Current list of medications not documented as obtained, updated, or reviewed by the eligible clinician, reason not given (G8428)

How Do I Report? Quality

Use Create Patient Record

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Enter directly into the data grid

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MDinteractive Excel Templates via Upload Files Module

or

Upload QRDA III files via Upload Files Module

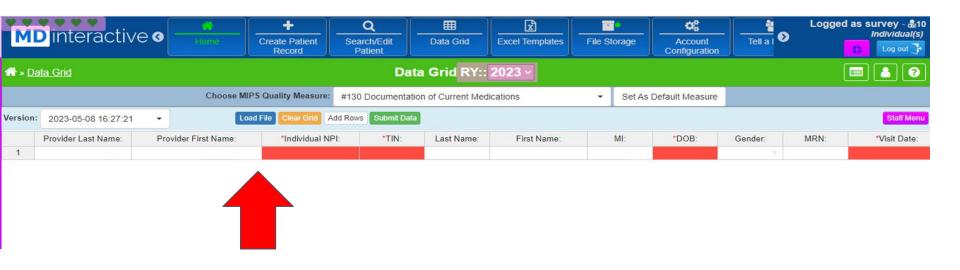
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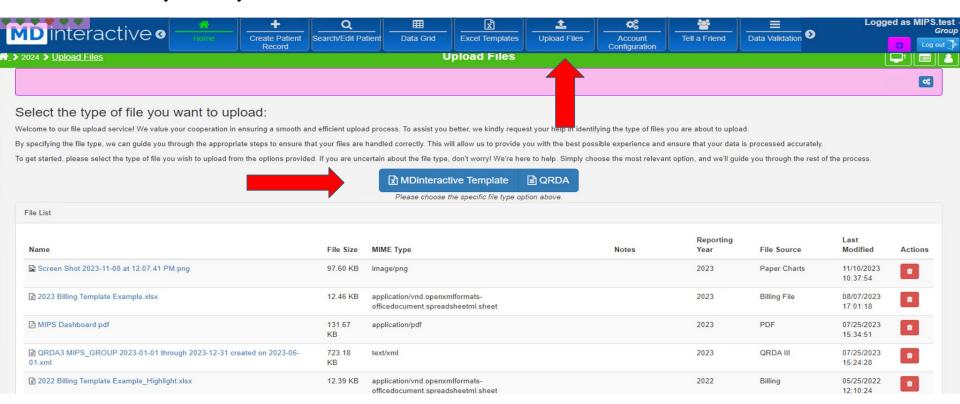
Or...download excel template(s) to your computer.

Completed templates can then be uploaded to your account:



Upload QRDA III Files

Or...if you have a certified EHR, you can upload QRDA III files directly into your account (templates can also be uploaded here).

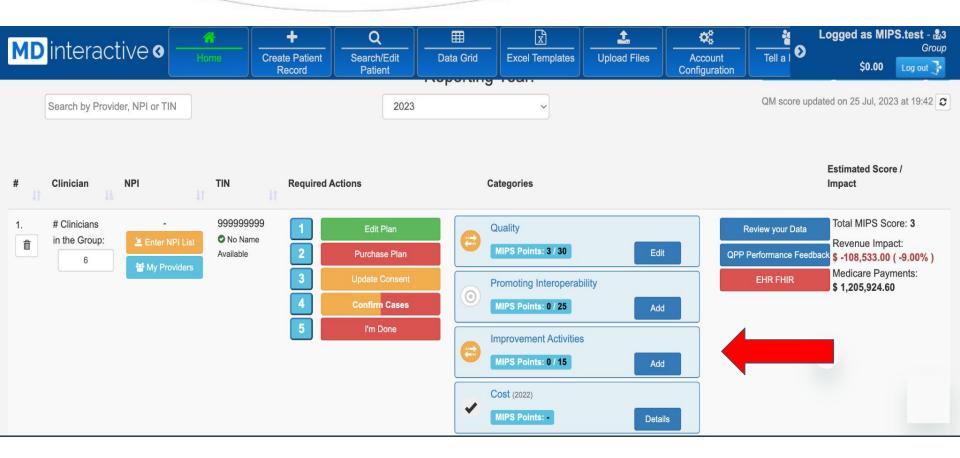


What Do I Report? Improvement Activities

- > One high-weighted; *OR*
- > Two medium-weighted Improvement Activities
- Completed for at least 90 days
- ➤ If reporting as group at least 50% must have completed the activity

Choose activities, implement, retain documentation

How Do I Report? Improvement Activities



How Do I Report?

Improvement Activities

Read instructions carefully before attesting!

Activity ID





Medium

Subcategory Name

Expanded Practice Access

Activity Description

Create and implement a standardized process for providing telehealth services to expand access to care.



Improve health outcomes by expanding patient access to telehealth services that are delivered through standardized processes.

Suggested Documentation

Evidence of the creation and implementation of standardized processes for providing telehealth services. Telehealth services may include care provided over the phone, online, etc., and are not limited to the Medicare-reimbursed telehealth service criteria. Include both of the following elements:

1) **Standardized processes** – Creation of standardized processes for the provision of telehealth services. Examples of documentation include a) description of standardized telehealth processes in an eligible clinician or practice procedures manual; b) workflow diagrams depicting standardized telehealth

What Does it Cost?

Group/TIN level reporting (2 or more in the TIN):

\$299 per clinician for Quality **and** Improvement Activities

\$349 for all categories (Quality, IA and PI)

Individual reporting/NPI level:

\$439 per clinician for Quality **and** Improvement Activities

\$499 for all categories

What Should I Do Now?



- 1. Create an account: www.mdinteractive.com
- 2. Check Your MIPS Eligibility
- 3. Pick Your Quality Measures and Start Tracking
- 4. Pick Your Improvement Activities and Implement
- 5. Purchase Plan
- 6. Start entering data



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