



# MIPS

Merit-based Incentive Payment System

## ADVANCING CARE INFORMATION Composite Score

### REQUIREMENTS

#### Base Score

(Complete all 4 measures for 50 points, must have at least 1 in the numerator)

- ✓ Protect Patient Health Information
- ✓ E-Prescribing
- ✓ Provide Patient Access
- ✓ Health Information Exchange

#### Performance Score

(Select measures that best fit your practice for an additional 90 points)

- ✓ Health Information Exchange (up to 20 pts)
- Immunization Registry Reporting (up to 10 pts)
- Medication Reconciliation (up to 10 pts)
- Patient-Specific Education (up to 10 pts)
- Provide Patient Access (up to 20 pts)
- Secure Messaging (up to 10 pts)
- View, Download & Transmit (VDT) (up to 10 pts)

**25%**  
of the ECs  
composite  
score

#### Bonus Points



Public Health Registry  
Reporting – 5% Bonus

One CPIA – 10% Bonus



ECs who achieve 100 points or greater will receive the **full 25 points towards their composite score**

### SCORING

Max 100 points

If objectives and measures are **not** applicable to an EC, CMS will **reweight** the category to zero and **assign the 25% to the Quality** performance category

**Hospital-based** MIPS ECs may choose to report under the ACI Performance Category

NPs, PAs, CNSs and CSAs also have the option to report on ACI measures for the first year. If they choose not to then **the 25% goes to the Quality performance category**

If an EC faces a significant hardship and are unable to report ACI measures, they can apply to have their **performance category score weighted to zero**

### DATA SUBMISSION OPTIONS



Individual

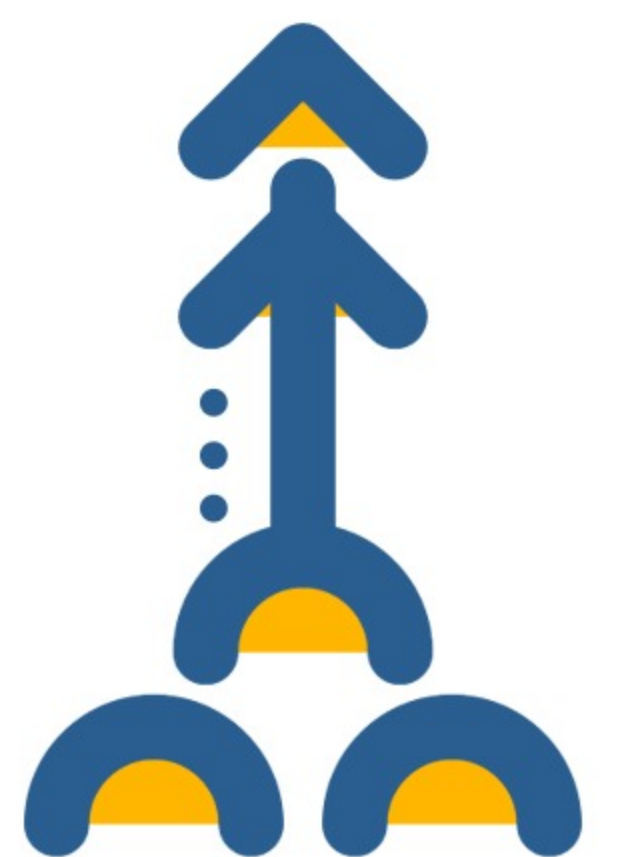
Attestation, QCDR, Qualified Registry or EHR



Group

QCDR, Qualified Registry, EHR, or CMS Web Interface (groups of 25 or more)

**You can only use ONE Mechanism per category**



**QPP Service Center:**

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### Help & Resources

QPP@CMS.hhs.gov

<https://QPP.CMS.gov>

**ECs who do NOT participate will automatically receive a negative 4% payment reimbursement in 2019**