AM I SUBJECT TO MIPS?

600,000 clinicians will be eligible for MIPS in 2018, the program’s second reporting year, which will determine MIPS payment adjustments for 2020.

CMS estimates that approximately 700,000 clinicians will be excluded from MIPS in 2018.

Clinicians are NOT included in Year 2 of MIPS if they:
- Are in their first year of Medicare Part B participation
- Bill Medicare $90,000 or less, or have 200 or fewer Medicare Part B patients
- Qualify for the Advanced APM track
- Are not one of the MIPS-eligible clinician types

WHAT ARE THE KEY MIPS CHANGES FOR 2018?

MIPS Year 2:

- Your Questions Answered

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Up to 5 bonus points available for treating complex patients
- Cost of care included in performance
- Performance threshold (the minimum composite score needed to avoid a penalty) jumps from 3 points to 15 points
- Assistance for small-group clinicians, including bonus points, hardship exemptions, and the opportunity to form or join a “virtual group” to submit data
- Hardship exemptions for clinicians affected by natural disasters

HOW WILL MY MIPS SCORE BE CALCULATED?

60% of your MIPS score will come from Quality, 25% from Advancing Care Information, and 15% from Clinical Improvement Activities.

HOW MUCH DATA DO I HAVE TO REPORT?

- Cost: 90 days minimum; full year (12 months) optional
- Advancing Care Information: Not included—12 months for feedback only
- Clinical Improvement Activities: 90 days
- Quality: 90 days

CMS says Year 2 of the QPP is designed to:

- CMS issued the final rule for the second year of its Quality Payment Program (QPP) created by MACRA.
- Clinicians whose composite score is between 0 and 15 will see their 2020 payments docked by as much as -5%
- Clinicians whose composite score is between 15 and 70 could see incentive payments as high as 5%
- Clinicians whose composite score is over 70 will be eligible for bonus payments as high as three times the base adjustment, or as much as 15% in 2020
- There are two tracks clinicians can choose from under the QPP: MIPS and the Alternative Payment Models

GOOD NEWS!

Data for many MIPS measures can be captured automatically during the intake process, including:
- MATERNAL DEPRESSION SCREENING
- QUALITY OF LIFE ASSESSMENT FOR PATIENTS WITH HEADACHE DISORDERS
- UNHEALTHY ALCOHOL USE SCREENING
- BREAST CANCER SCREENING
- COLORECTAL CANCER SCREENING
- CERVICAL CANCER SCREENING
- PNEUMOCOCCAL VACCINATION STATUS FOR OLDER ADULTS

WHAT ARE THE MIPS ELIGIBLE CLINICIAN TYPES?

Physicians, Physician Assistants, Nurse Practitioners, Clinical Nurse Specialists, Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists

WHAT WILL MY MIPS SCORE BE CALCULATED FROM?

- Quality
- Advancing Care Information
- Clinical Improvement Activities