

Eligible Professional Attestation Worksheet for Modified Stage 2 of the Medicare Electronic Health Record (EHR) Incentive Program in 2015

The Eligible Professional (EP) Attestation Worksheet is for EPs in the EHR Incentive Program in 2015, and allows them to log their meaningful use measures on this page to use as a reference when attesting for the Medicare EHR Incentive Program in the CMS system.

For each objective with a percentage-based measure, certified EHR technology must include the capability to electronically record the numerator and denominator and generate a report including the numerator, denominator, and resulting percentage for these measures. However, eligible professionals may use additional data to calculate numerators and denominators and to generate reports on all measures for the objectives.

Note: There are several alternate exclusions and specifications for certain measures in 2015, which some Stage 1 providers may not otherwise be able to meet because they require the implementation of certified EHR technology beyond the functions required for Stage 1. In order to provide complete and accurate information for certain measures, eligible professionals may also have to include information from paper-based patient records or from records maintained in uncertified EHR technology.

Eligible professionals can enter their meaningful use criteria in the blue boxes. Each measure's objective is included to help eligible professionals enter the correct criteria. Certain measures do not require a numerator and denominator, but rather a yes/no answer, and are marked as such. Measures with exclusions have the exclusion description listed in the measure information section.

Eligible professionals must report on the following:

1. **10 objectives**, which includes one consolidated public health reporting objective with measure options requiring EPs scheduled to be in Stage 1 to meet at least one public health measure, and EPs scheduled to be in Stage 2 to meet two public health measures.
2. **9 out of 64 of the clinical quality measures (CQMs)** covering at least 3 National Quality Strategy domains

EHR Reporting Period: For 2015, the EHR Reporting period is any continuous 90-day period within the calendar year (January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015). For eligible professionals, the action may occur at any point during that time as long as it is no earlier than January 1, 2015 and no later than the date of attestation for their 2015 EHR reporting period.

Meaningful Use Objectives and Measures

Must fill out for each of the 10 objectives including 1 public health measure for EPs previously scheduled to be in Stage 1 in 2015 and 2 public health measures for EPs previously scheduled to be in Stage 2 in 2015.

#	Measure Information	Measure Values
1	<p>Objective: Protect electronic health information created or maintained by the CEHRT through the implementation of appropriate technical capabilities.</p> <p>Measure: Conduct or review a security risk analysis in accordance with the requirements in 45 CFR 164.308(a)(1), including addressing the security (to include encryption) of ePHI created or maintained in CEHRT in accordance with requirements in 45 CFR 164.312(a)(2)(iv) and 45 CFR 164.306(d)(3), and implement security updates as necessary and correct identified security deficiencies as part of the EP's risk management process.</p> <p>Note: This measure only requires a yes/no answer.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
	Numerator: N/A	
	Denominator: N/A	
2	<p>Objective: Use clinical decision support to improve performance on high-priority health conditions.</p> <p>Note: EPs must satisfy both of the following measures in order to meet the objective.</p> <p>Measure 1: Implement five clinical decision support interventions related to four or more clinical quality measures at a relevant point in patient care for the entire EHR reporting period. Absent four clinical quality measures related to an EP's scope of practice or patient population, the clinical decision support interventions must be related to high-priority health conditions.</p> <p>Measure 2: The EP has enabled and implemented the functionality for drug-drug and drug-allergy interaction checks for the entire EHR reporting period.</p> <p>Exclusion for Measure 2: For the second measure, any EP who writes fewer than 100 medication orders during the EHR reporting period.</p> <p><i>For an EHR reporting period in 2015 only, an EP who is scheduled to participate in Stage 1 in 2015 may satisfy the following in place of Measure 1:</i></p> <p>Alternate Objective: Implement one clinical decision support rule relevant to specialty or high clinical priority, or high priority hospital condition, along with the ability to track compliance with that rule.</p> <p>Alternate Measure 1: Implement one clinical decision support rule.</p> <p>Note: This measure only requires a yes/no answer.</p>	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
	Does the exclusion apply to you?	
	Numerator Measure 1: N/A	
	Denominator Measure 1: N/A	
	Numerator Measure 2: N/A	
	Denominator Measure 2: N/A	

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3	<p>Objective: Use computerized provider order entry (CPOE) for medication, laboratory and radiology orders directly entered by any licensed healthcare professional who can enter orders into the medical record per state, local and professional guidelines.</p> <p>Note: An EP, through a combination of meeting the thresholds and exclusions (or both), must satisfy all three measures for this objective.</p> <p>Measure 1: More than 60 percent of medication orders created by the EP during the EHR reporting period are recorded using computerized provider order entry.</p> <p>Exclusion for Measure 1: Any EP who writes fewer than 100 medication orders during the EHR reporting period.</p> <p>Alternate Measure 1: For Stage 1 providers in 2015, more than 30 percent of all unique patients with at least one medication in their medication list seen by the EP during the EHR reporting period have at least one medication order entered using CPOE; or more than 30 percent of medication orders created by the EP during the EHR reporting period are recorded using computerized provider order entry.</p> <p>Measure 2: More than 30 percent of laboratory orders created by the EP during the EHR reporting period are recorded using computerized provider order entry.</p> <p>Exclusion for Measure 2: Any EP who writes fewer than 100 laboratory orders during the EHR reporting period.</p> <p>Alternate Exclusion Measure 2: Providers scheduled to be in Stage 1 in 2015 may claim an exclusion for measure 2 (laboratory orders) of the Stage 2 CPOE objective for an EHR reporting period in 2015.</p> <p>Measure 3: More than 30 percent of radiology orders created by the EP during the EHR reporting period are recorded using computerized provider order entry.</p> <p>Exclusion for Measure 3: Any EP who writes fewer than 100 radiology orders during the EHR reporting period.</p> <p>Alternative Exclusion Measure 3: Providers scheduled to be in Stage 1 in 2015 may claim an exclusion for measure 3 (radiology orders) of the Stage 2 CPOE objective for an EHR reporting period in 2015.</p>	
	Does the exclusion for Measure 1 apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Does the exclusion for Measure 2 apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Does the exclusion for Measure 3 apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Does the alternate exclusion for Measure 2 apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Does the alternate exclusion for Measure 3 apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Numerator Measure 1/Alternate Measure 1 (Medication): Number of orders in the denominator recorded using CPOE.	<input type="text"/>
	Denominator Measure 1 (Medication): Number of medication orders created by the EP during the EHR reporting period.	<input type="text"/>
	Numerator 2 (Laboratory): Number of orders in the denominator recorded using CPOE.	<input type="text"/>
	Denominator 2 (Laboratory): Number of laboratory orders created by the EP during the EHR reporting period.	<input type="text"/>
	Numerator 3 (Radiology): Number of orders in the denominator	<input type="text"/>

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	recorded using CPOE.	
	Denominator 3 (Radiology): Number of radiology orders created by the EP during the EHR reporting period.	<input type="text"/>
4	<p>Objective: Generate and transmit permissible prescriptions electronically (eRx).</p> <p>Measure: More than 50 percent of all permissible prescriptions written by the EP are queried for a drug formulary and transmitted electronically using CEHRT.</p> <p>Alternate Measure: For Stage 1 providers in 2015, more than 40 percent of all permissible prescriptions written by the EP are transmitted electronically using CEHRT.</p> <p>Exclusion 1: Any EP who writes fewer than 100 permissible prescriptions during the EHR reporting period; or</p> <p>Exclusion 2: Any EP who does not have a pharmacy within his or her organization and there are no pharmacies that accept electronic prescriptions within 10 miles of the EP's practice location at the start of his/her EHR reporting period.</p>	
	Does exclusion 1 apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Does exclusion 2 apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Numerator: The number of prescriptions in the denominator generated, queried for a drug formulary, and transmitted electronically using CEHRT.	<input type="text"/>
	Denominator: Number of permissible prescriptions written during the EHR reporting period for drugs requiring a prescription in order to be dispensed.	<input type="text"/>
5	<p>Objective: The EP who transitions their patient to another setting of care or provider of care or refers their patient to another provider of care provides a summary care record for each transition of care or referral.</p> <p>Measure 1: The EP that transitions or refers their patient to another setting of care or provider of care must - (1) use CEHRT to create a summary of care record; and (2) electronically transmit such summary to a receiving provider for more than 10 percent of transitions of care and referrals.</p> <p>Exclusion: Any EP who transfers a patient to another setting or refers a patient to another provider less than 100 times during the EHR reporting period.</p> <p>Alternate Exclusion: Provider may claim an exclusion for the Stage 2 measure that requires the electronic transmission of a summary of care document if for an EHR reporting period in 2015, they were scheduled to demonstrate Stage 1, which does not have an equivalent measure.</p>	
	Does the exclusion apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Does the alternate exclusion apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Numerator Measure 1: The number of transitions of care and referrals in the denominator where a summary of care record was created using CEHRT and exchanged electronically.	<input type="text"/>
	Denominator Measure 1: Number of transitions of care and referrals during the EHR reporting period for which the EP was the	<input type="text"/>

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	transferring or referring provider.	
6	<p>Objective: Use clinically relevant information from CEHRT to identify patient-specific education resources and provide those resources to the patient.</p> <p>Measure: Patient-specific education resources identified by CEHRT are provided to patients for more than 10 percent of all unique patients with office visits seen by the EP during the EHR reporting period.</p> <p>Exclusion: Any EP who has no office visits during the EHR reporting period.</p> <p>Alternate Exclusion: Provider may claim an exclusion for the measure of the Stage 2 Patient Specific Education objective if for an EHR reporting period in 2015 they were scheduled to demonstrate Stage 1 but did not intend to select the Stage 1 Patient Specific Education menu objective.</p>	
	Does the exclusion apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Does the alternate exclusion apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Numerator: Number of patients in the denominator who were provided patient-specific education resources identified by the CEHRT.	<input type="text"/>
	Denominator: Number of unique patients with office visits seen by the EP during the EHR reporting period.	<input type="text"/>
7	<p>Objective: The EP who receives a patient from another setting of care or provider of care or believes an encounter is relevant performs medication reconciliation.</p> <p>Measure: The EP performs medication reconciliation for more than 50 percent of transitions of care in which the patient is transitioned into the care of the EP</p> <p>Exclusion: Any EP who was not the recipient of any transitions of care during the EHR reporting period.</p> <p>Alternate Exclusion: Provider may claim an exclusion for the measure of the Stage 2 Medication Reconciliation objective if for an EHR reporting period in 2015 they were scheduled to demonstrate Stage 1 but did not intend to select the Stage 1 Medication Reconciliation menu objective.</p>	
	Does the exclusion apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Does the alternate exclusion apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Numerator: The number of transitions of care in the denominator where medication reconciliation was performed.	<input type="text"/>
	Denominator: Number of transitions of care during the EHR reporting period for which the EP was the receiving party of the transition.	<input type="text"/>
8	<p>Objective: Provide patients the ability to view online, download, and transmit their health information within 4 business days of the information being available to the EP.</p> <p>Note: EPs must satisfy both measures in order to meet the objective.</p> <p>Measure 1: More than 50 percent of all unique patients seen by the EP during the EHR</p>	

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	<p>reporting period are provided timely access to view online, download, and transmit to a third party their health information subject to the EP's discretion to withhold certain information.</p> <p>Measure 2: At least one patient seen by the EP during the EHR reporting period (or patient authorized representative) views, downloads, or transmits to a third party his or her health information during the EHR reporting period.</p> <p>Exclusion 1 (for Measure1): Any EP who neither orders nor creates any of the information listed for inclusion as part of the measures except for "Patient Name" and "Provider's name and office contact information."</p> <p>Exclusion 2 (for Measure 2): Any EP who neither orders nor creates any of the information listed for inclusion as part of the measures except for "Patient Name" and "Provider's name and office contact information;" or conducts 50 percent or more of his or her patient encounters in a county that does not have 50 percent or more of its housing units with 4Mbps broadband availability according to the latest information available from the FCC on the first day of the EHR reporting period.</p> <p>Alternate Exclusion: Provider may claim an exclusion for the second measure if for an EHR reporting period in 2015 they were scheduled to demonstrate Stage 1, which does not have an equivalent measure.</p>	<table border="1"> <tr> <td data-bbox="1117 865 1170 913">Does exclusion 1 apply to you?</td> <td data-bbox="1170 865 1279 913">Yes <input type="radio"/></td> <td data-bbox="1279 865 1446 913">No <input type="radio"/></td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="1117 913 1170 968">Does exclusion 2 apply to you?</td> <td data-bbox="1170 913 1279 968">Yes <input type="radio"/></td> <td data-bbox="1279 913 1446 968">No <input type="radio"/></td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="1117 968 1170 1024">Does the alternate exclusion apply to you?</td> <td data-bbox="1170 968 1279 1024">Yes <input type="radio"/></td> <td data-bbox="1279 968 1446 1024">No <input type="radio"/></td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="1117 1024 1170 1171">Numerator Measure 1: The number of patients in the denominator who have access to view online, download and transmit their health information within 4 business days after the information is available to the EP.</td> <td colspan="2" data-bbox="1170 1024 1446 1171"><input type="text"/></td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="1117 1171 1170 1247">Denominator Measure 1: Number of unique patients seen by the EP during the EHR reporting period.</td> <td colspan="2" data-bbox="1170 1171 1446 1247"><input type="text"/></td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="1117 1247 1170 1356">Numerator Measure 2: The number of patients in the denominator (or patient-authorized representative) who view, download, or transmit to a third party their health information.</td> <td colspan="2" data-bbox="1170 1247 1446 1356"><input type="text"/></td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="1117 1356 1170 1430">Denominator Measure 2: Number of unique patients seen by the EP during the EHR reporting period.</td> <td colspan="2" data-bbox="1170 1356 1446 1430"><input type="text"/></td> </tr> </table>	Does exclusion 1 apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	Does exclusion 2 apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	Does the alternate exclusion apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	Numerator Measure 1: The number of patients in the denominator who have access to view online, download and transmit their health information within 4 business days after the information is available to the EP.	<input type="text"/>		Denominator Measure 1: Number of unique patients seen by the EP during the EHR reporting period.	<input type="text"/>		Numerator Measure 2: The number of patients in the denominator (or patient-authorized representative) who view, download, or transmit to a third party their health information.	<input type="text"/>		Denominator Measure 2: Number of unique patients seen by the EP during the EHR reporting period.	<input type="text"/>	
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9	<p>Objective: Use secure electronic messaging to communicate with patients on relevant health information.</p> <p>Measure: For an EHR reporting period in 2015, the capability for patients to send and receive a secure electronic message with the EP was fully enabled during the EHR reporting period.</p> <p>Exclusion: Any EP who has no office visits during the EHR reporting period, or any EP who conducts 50 percent or more of his or her patient encounters in a county that does not have 50 percent or more of its housing units with 4Mbps broadband availability according to the latest information available from the FCC on the first day of the EHR reporting period.</p> <p>Alternate Exclusion: An EP may claim an exclusion for the measure if for an EHR reporting period in 2015 they were scheduled to demonstrate Stage 1, which does not have an equivalent measure.</p>																						

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	<p>Note: This measure only requires a yes/no answer.</p>	
	<p>Does the exclusion apply to you?</p>	<p>Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/></p>
	<p>Does the alternate exclusion apply to you?</p>	<p>Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/></p>
	<p>Numerator: N/A</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO</p>
	<p>Denominator: N/A</p>	
<p>10</p>	<p>Objective: The EP is in active engagement with a public health agency to submit electronic public health data from CEHRT except where prohibited and in accordance with applicable law and practice.</p> <p>Measure Option 1:– Immunization Registry Reporting: The EP is in active engagement with a public health agency to submit immunization data.</p> <p>Measure Option 2 – Syndromic Surveillance Reporting: The EP is in active engagement with a public health agency to submit syndromic surveillance data.</p> <p>Measure Option 3 – Specialized Registry Reporting: The EP is in active engagement to submit data to a specialized registry.</p> <p><i>Immunization Registry Reporting</i></p> <p>Exclusion 1: Does not administer any immunizations to any of the populations for which data is collected by their jurisdiction's immunization registry or immunization information system during the EHR reporting period.</p> <p>Exclusion 2: Operates in a jurisdiction for which no immunization registry or immunization information system is capable of accepting the specific standards required to meet the CEHRT definition at the start of the EHR reporting period, or</p> <p>Exclusion 3: Operates in a jurisdiction where no immunization registry or immunization information system has declared readiness to receive immunization data from the EP at the start of the EHR reporting period.</p> <p><i>Syndromic Surveillance</i></p> <p>Exclusion 4: Is not in a category of providers from which ambulatory syndromic surveillance data is collected by their jurisdiction's syndromic surveillance system;</p> <p>Exclusion 5: Operates in a jurisdiction for which no public health agency is capable of receiving electronic syndromic surveillance data from EPs in the specific standards required to meet the CEHRT definition at the start of the EHR reporting period, or</p> <p>Exclusion 6: Operates in a jurisdiction where no public health agency has declared readiness to receive, syndromic surveillance data from EPs at the start of the EHR reporting period.</p> <p><i>Specialized Registry Reporting</i></p> <p>Exclusion 7: Does not diagnose or treat any disease or condition associated with, or collect relevant data that is collected by, a specialized registry in their jurisdiction during the EHR reporting period;</p> <p>Exclusion 8: Operates in a jurisdiction for which no specialized registry is capable of accepting electronic registry transactions in the specific standards required to meet the CEHRT definition at the start of the EHR reporting period; or</p> <p>Exclusion 9: Operates in a jurisdiction where no specialized registry for which the EP is eligible</p>	

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	<p>has declared readiness to receive electronic registry transactions at the beginning of the EHR reporting period.</p> <p>Alternate Exclusions</p> <p><i>EPs scheduled to be in Stage 1:</i> Must attest to at least 1 measure from the Public Health Reporting Objective Measures 1-3.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May claim an Alternate Exclusion for Measure 1, Measure 2, or Measure 3. • An Alternate Exclusion may only be claimed for up to two measures, then the provider must either attest to or meet the exclusion requirements for the remaining measure described in 495.22 (e)(10)(i)(C). <p><i>EPs scheduled to be in Stage 2:</i> Must attest to at least 2 measures from the Public Health Reporting Objective Measures 1-3.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May claim an alternate exclusion for Measure 2 or Measure 3 (Syndromic Surveillance Measure or Specialized Registry Reporting Measure) or both. 	
	Does exclusion 1 apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Does exclusion 2 apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Does exclusion 3 apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Does exclusion 4 apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Does exclusion 5 apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Does exclusion 6 apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Does exclusion 7 apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Does exclusion 8 apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Does exclusion 9 apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Does an alternate exclusion apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Does a second alternate exclusion apply to you?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
	Measure 1 – Immunization Registry Reporting	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
	Measure 2 - Syndromic Surveillance Reporting	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
	Measure 3 – Specialized Registry Reporting (1)	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
	<i>For providers who choose to report to more than one Specialized Registry. (Note: This would not apply to Stage 1 providers in 2015 who only need to meet one measure.)</i>	
	Measure 3 – Specialized Registry Reporting (2)	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO