Medicare Beneficiary Quality Improvement Project (MBQIP) Current MBQIP Core Measure Set

Data Submission Deadlines[1,2]

Measure ID	Description	MBQIP Domain	Reported To	Encounter Period & Due Date			
				Q3 / 2024 **Jul 1 - Sep 30**	**Q4 / 2024** **Oct 1 - Dec 31**	**Q1 / 2025** **Jan 1 – March 31**	**Q2 / 2025** **Apr 1 – Jun 30**
HCP/IMM-3[3]	Influenza vaccination coverage among health care personnel	Patient Safety	NHSN	N/A	May 15, 2025 (Q4 2024 - Q1 2025 aggregate)		N/A
Antibiotic Stewardship	CDC NHSN Annual Facility Survey	Patient Safety	NHSN	March 1, 2025[4] (CY 2024 data)		March 1, 2026[4] (CY 2025 data)	
HCAHPS	Hospital Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems	Patient Experience	HQR via Vendor	January 2, 2025	April 2, 2025	July 2, 2025 (anticipated)	October 1, 2025 (anticipated)
EDTC[5]	Emergency Department Transfer Communication	Emergency Department	Submission process directed by state Flex Program	October 31, 2024	January 31, 2025	April 30, 2025	July 31, 2025
OP-18	Median time from ED arrival to ED departure for discharged ED patients	Emergency Department	HQR via Outpatient CART/Vendor	February 3, 2025 CART users use CART version 1.25.0[6]	May 1, 2025 CART users use CART version TBD	August 1, 2025 (anticipated)	November 1, 2025 (anticipated)
OP-22	Patient left without being seen	Emergency Department	HQR via HARP Log in	May 15, 2025 (CY 2024 data aggregate)		May 15, 2026 (CY 2025 data aggregate)	

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2. Data submission deadlines on a federal holiday or weekend (Saturday or Sunday) will default to the first business day thereafter in this document where applicable except for Antibiotic Stewardship which will remain March 1 regardless of when that date occurs.
3. The encounter period for HCP/IMM-3 is limited to Q4 and Q1.
4. Hospitals must complete the NHSN Annual Facility Survey by March 1 of each year for NHSN and MBQIP data reporting.
5. State Flex Programs must submit data to FMT by the 10th day of the month following the hospital deadline (e.g. Q3 2023 data due to FMT by Nov 10, 2023).
6. OQR specifications contain changes to Sex Assigned at Birth data element beginning with July 1, 2024 encounters. Version 1.25.0 of the CMS Abstraction & Reporting Tool (CART) was released for these encounters.

MBQIP 2025 – Measures Being Added to Core Set

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				Q3 / 2024 Jul - Sep	**Q4 / 2024** Oct - Dec	**Q1 / 2025** Jan – Mar	**Q2 / 2025** Apr - Jun	**Q3 / 2025** Jul - Sep	**Q4 / 2025** Oct - Dec
TBD	CAH Quality Infrastructure	Global Measures	FMT via Qualtrics	National CAH Inventory and Assessment Continues Submission window September 16, 2024 November 22, 2024	National CAH Inventory and Assessment Continues Due date TBD				
HCHE	Hospital Commitment to Health Equity	Global Measures	HQR Secure Portal	Hospitals may choose to report to CMS Submission Deadline May 15, 2025 (CY 2024 data)	MBQIP 2025 Core Measure starting with this measurement period Submission Deadline May 15, 2026 (CY 2025 data)				
Safe Use of Opioids	Safe Use of Opioids-Concurrent Prescribing	Patient Safety	HQR Secure Portal	Hospitals may choose to report to CMS[7] Submission Deadline March 14, 2025[8] (CY 2024 data)	MBQIP 2025 Core Measure starting with this measurement period[7] Submission Deadline February 28, 2026 (CY 2025 data)				
Hybrid HWR	Hybrid Hospital-Wide Readmission	Care Coordination	HQR Secure Portal	Hospitals may choose to report to CMS Submission Deadline October 1, 2025 (Q3 2024 - Q2 2025 data)				MBQIP 2025 Core Measure starting with this measurement period Submission Deadline October 1, 2026 (Q3 2025 - Q2 2026 data)	
SDOH-1	Social Drivers of Health (SDOH) Screening	Care Coordination	HQR Secure Portal	Hospitals may choose to report to CMS Submission Deadline May 15, 2025 (CY 2024 data)	MBQIP 2025 Core Measure starting with this measurement period Submission Deadline May 15, 2026 (CY 2025 data)				
SDOH-2	Screen Positive Rate for Social Drivers of Health (SDOH)	Care Coordination	HQR Secure Portal	Hospitals may choose to report to CMS Submission Deadline May 15, 2025 (CY 2024 data)	MBQIP 2025 Core Measure starting with this measurement period Submission Deadline May 15, 2026 (CY 2025 data)				

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3. The encounter period for HCP/IMM-3 is limited to Q4 and Q1.
4. Hospitals must complete the NHSN Annual Facility Survey by March 1 of each year for NHSN and MBQIP data reporting.
5. State Flex Programs must submit data to FMT by the 10th day of the month following the hospital deadline (e.g. Q3 2023 data due to FMT by Nov 10, 2023).
6. OQR specifications contain changes to Sex Assigned at Birth data element beginning with July 1, 2024 encounters. There will be an updated version of the CMS Abstraction & Reporting Tool (CART) released for these encounters.
7. The Safe Use of Opioids-Concurrent Prescribing measure is required as part of the Promoting Interoperability Program.
8. The deadline for the Safe Use of Opioids-Concurrent Prescribing measure was recently extended. Reference number 2024-163-IP

January 2025 Upcoming MBQIP Deadlines

January 31, 2025
- Emergency Department Transfer Communication (EDTC) Q4 2024 encounters (10/1/24- 12/31/24) is due **January 31, 2025**. Connect with your State Flex Program for submission process details.

February 3, 2025
- Reporting Median time from ED arrival to ED departure (OP-18) Q3 2024 encounters (7/1/24-9/30/24) is due **February 3, 2025**. Submission is through the HQR Secure Portal-Outpatient. CART version 1.25.0. Outpatient Quality Reporting Specifications version 17.0b. For questions on CART submission and requirement details connect with your State Flex Program.

March 1, 2025
- The Antibiotic Stewardship CDC NHSN Annual Facility Survey reflecting CY 2024 activity is due **March 1, 2025**. Submission is through NHSN.

March 14, 2025
- Safe Use of Opioids- Concurrent Prescribing CY 2024 encounters is due **March 14, 2025**. Specifications CMS eCQM ID CMS506v6. Submission is through the HQR Secure Portal. Note: This measure is not currently being submitted for MBQIP but is available for reporting to CMS.

April 2, 2025
- Reporting Hospital Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems (HCAHPS) Q4 2024 encounters (10/1/24-12/31/24) is due **April 2, 2025**. Submission is through the HQR Secure Portal-Vendor. Quality Assurance Guidelines V.18.0.