2023 Voluntary Reporting Key Dates and Resources: Hybrid Hospital-Wide Readmission (HWR) Measure

Introduction

This document summarizes key dates and resources for hospitals participating in the 2023 voluntary reporting of the Hybrid HWR Measure.

Key Dates

For the 2023 Voluntary Reporting of the Hybrid HWR measure, participating hospitals:

- Should submit information on 13 core clinical data elements (6 vital signs and 7 laboratory test results) along with 6 linking variables:
  - For discharges occurring between **July 1, 2021 – June 30, 2022**
  - By **September 30, 2022**
- Will receive Hospital-Specific Reports (HSRs) in **Spring 2023**

Questions?

If you have any questions about the hybrid measures, please email cmshybridmeasures@yale.edu or submit your question via JIRA https://oncprojectracking.healthit.gov/support/browse/CHM.

eCQI Resource Center – Hybrid Page
https://ecqi.healthit.gov/eh-cah?qt-tabs_eh=3&year=2021

2021 Reporting Period [Published May 2020]
- eCQM Specifications for CMS529v1 (Hybrid HWR) (version 1.3.000)
- Hybrid HWR Value Sets and Direct Reference Codes
- Hybrid HWR Binding Parameter Specification
- Hybrid HWR Technical Release Notes
- eCQM Annual Update Implementation Checklist and Pre-Publication Document

eCQI Resource Center – Quality Reporting Data Architecture (QRDA)
https://ecqi.healthit.gov/qrda

- 2021 CMS QRDA I Schematrons and Sample Files for Hospital Quality Reporting
- 2021 CMS QRDA Category I Implementation Guide for Hospital Quality Reporting

Resources on *QualityNet*
https://www.qualitynet.org/inpatient/measures/hybrid

- 2023 Claims-based HWR Measure Updates and Specifications Report (to be posted in spring 2023)
- 2023 Hybrid HWR Mock HSR (to be posted in spring 2023)
- 2023 Hybrid HWR HSR User Guide (to be posted in spring 2023)
- 2023 Hybrid HWR Frequently Asked Questions (to be posted in spring 2023)
- 2023 Hybrid HWR Fact Sheet (to be posted in spring 2023)
- Hybrid Measure Tutorial Video and Introductory Webinar