



2007 CMS Physician Quality Reporting Initiative (PQRI)

Enovasis Healthcare Solutions

Outline

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What is PQRI?

- Medicare's **P**hysician **Q**uality **R**eporting **I**nitiative
- Voluntary program that will provide a financial incentive to physicians who successfully report quality data related to services provided under the Medicare Physician Fee Schedule between July 1 and December 31, 2007
- First step toward pay for performance
- Purpose is to enhance the value of health care by encouraging higher quality and avoidance of unnecessary costs
- Pays a “bonus” 1.5% of total allowed charges for covered Medicare physician fee schedule services

Why Should I Participate?

- 1.5% bonus payment
- Confidential feedback reports
- You will be making an investment in the future of your practice, preparing you for:
 - higher bonus incentives over time
 - pay for performance
 - public reporting of performance results
 - mandatory future reporting

How Can Enovasis Help Me?

- Enovasis will help you understand the 74 measures and help you choose which measures to report
- Enovasis will help you define your team members' roles in the PQRI reporting process
- Enovasis will assess your practice and your processes to make sure you are ready
- Enovasis can provide worksheets or other tools that will make reporting easier
- Enovasis will provide education on billing requirements

Source

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website www.cms.hhs.gov/pqri