

Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Quality Reporting Program (QRP) Public Reporting

July 27, 2022

Care Compare July Release of SNF QRP Data – Now Available

The July 2022 release of the Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Quality Reporting Program (QRP) data is now available on Care Compare and Provider Data Catalog (PDC).

The data are based on quality assessment data submitted by SNFs to Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) from **Quarter 4, 2020 through Quarter 3, 2021**. This release also resumes the reporting of all claims-based measures. Due to the COVID-19 reporting exceptions, the claims-based measures have been calculated excluding Quarter 1 and Quarter 2 2020 data. The data for the claims-based measures will display data from **Quarter 3, 2019 through Quarter 4, 2019 and Quarter 3, 2020 through Quarter 2, 2021** for this release.

Lastly, a new claims-based measure (SNF Healthcare-Associated Infections (HAI) Requiring Hospitalization) will be publicly reported on Care Compare and PDC beginning with the July 2022 release. The data for the SNF HAI measure will display data from **Quarter 4, 2018 through Quarter 3, 2019** for this release.

In summary, the following SNF QRP measures will be displayed on Care Compare and PDC during the July 2022 release:

- Application of Percent of Residents Experiencing One or More Falls with Major Injury (Long Stay) (NQF #0674)
 - Q4 2020 – Q3 2021 (10/1/2020 – 9/30/2021)
- Application of Percent of Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) Patients with an Admission and Discharge Functional Assessment and a Care Plan that Addresses Function
 - Q4 2020 – Q3 2021 (10/1/2020 – 9/30/2021)
- Drug Regimen Review Conducted with Follow-Up for Identified Issues—PAC SNF QRP
 - Q4 2020 – Q3 2021 (10/1/2020 – 9/30/2021)
- Changes in Skin Integrity Post-Acute Care: Pressure Ulcer/Injury
 - Q4 2020 – Q3 2021 (10/1/2020 – 9/30/2021)
- Application of IRF Functional Outcome Measure: Change in Self-Care Score for Medical Rehabilitation Patients (NQF #2633)
 - Q4 2020 – Q3 2021 (10/1/2020 – 9/30/2021)
- Application of IRF Functional Outcome Measure: Change in Mobility Score for Medical Rehabilitation Patients (NQF #2634)
 - Q4 2020 – Q3 2021 (10/1/2020 – 9/30/2021)

- Application of IRF Functional Outcome Measure: Discharge Self-Care Score for Medical Rehabilitation Patients (NQF #2635)
 - Q4 2020 – Q3 2021 (10/1/2020 – 9/30/2021)
- Application of IRF Functional Outcome Measure: Discharge Mobility Score for Medical Rehabilitation Patients (NQF #2636)
 - Q4 2020 – Q3 2021 (10/1/2020 – 9/30/2021)
- Medicare Spending Per Beneficiary – Post-Acute Care (PAC) SNF QRP
 - Q3 2019 – Q4 2019; Q3 2020 – Q2 2021 (7/1/2019 – 12/31/2019; 7/1/2020 – 6/30/2021)
- Discharge to Community - PAC SNF QRP
 - Q3 2019 – Q4 2019; Q3 2020 – Q2 2021 (7/1/2019 – 12/31/2019; 7/1/2020 – 6/30/2021)
- Potentially Preventable 30-Day Post-Discharge Readmission Measure – SNF QRP
 - Q3 2019 – Q4 2019; Q3 2020 – Q2 2021 (7/1/2019 – 12/31/2019; 7/1/2020 – 6/30/2021)
- SNF Healthcare-Associated Infections (HAI) Requiring Hospitalization
 - Q4 2018 – Q3 2019 (10/1/2018 – 9/30/2019)

Please visit Care Compare and PDC to view the updated quality data.

For questions about SNF QRP Public Reporting, please email SNFORPPRQuestions@cms.hhs.gov.

July 15, 2022

SNF Provider Preview Reports – Now Available

The Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Provider Preview Reports have been updated and are now available. These reports contain provider performance scores for quality measures, which will be published on [Care Compare](#) and [Provider Data Catalog \(PDC\)](#) during the **October 2022** release.

The data contained within the Preview Reports are based on quality assessment data submitted by SNFs from **Quarter 1, 2021 through Quarter 4, 2021**. Additionally, the data for the claims-based measures will display data from **Quarter 3, 2019 through Quarter 4, 2019** and **Quarter 3, 2020 through Quarter 2, 2021** for this release, and for the SNF Healthcare-Associated Infections (HAI) measure, **Quarter 4, 2020 through Quarter 3, 2021**.

Lastly, a Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) measure (COVID-19 Vaccination Coverage among Healthcare Personnel (HCP)) will be publicly reported on Care Compare and PDC beginning with the October 2022 release and is reflected within the Preview Reports. The data for the COVID-19 Vaccination Coverage among HCP measure will display data submitted for **Quarter 4, 2021** for this release.

Providers have until **August 15, 2022** to review their performance data. Corrections to the underlying data will not be permitted during this time. However, providers can request Centers

for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) review of their data during the preview period if they believe the quality measure scores that are displayed within their Preview Reports are inaccurate.

To locate the SNF QRP Provider Preview reports, please follow these steps below:

1. Log into the CMS Network (CMSNet) using the CMSNet login credentials.
2. Log into the Certification and Survey Provider Enhanced Reports (CASPER) Reporting application using the Quality Improvement and Evaluation System (QIES) login credentials.
3. Select the **Folders** button from the menu bar in CASPER and a list of your folders will display.
4. Select the facility-specific, non-Validation Report (non-VR) folder. These folders will be named in the following manner:

For Nursing Home-based SNFs:

[State Code] LTC [Facility ID] (i.e., MD LTC XYZ123)

For Swing Bed units:

[State Code] SB [Swing Bed ID] (i.e., TX SB ABC987)

5. The Preview Reports are listed in descending order by Date Requested within this folder.
6. Select the desired preview report link to view the report.

For questions related to accessing your facility's provider preview report, please reach out to the iQIES helpdesk at iqies@cms.hhs.gov or call 1-877-201-4721. For questions about SNF QRP Public Reporting, please email SNFORPPRQuestions@cms.hhs.gov.