Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) Quality Reporting Program (QRP) Public Reporting - Archive

June 26, 2024

Care Compare June Refresh of LTCH QRP Data – Now Available

The June 2024 refresh of the Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) 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 LTCHs to Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) from **Quarter 4, 2022 through Quarter 3, 2023,** and for the LTCH Change in Mobility measure, **Quarter 4, 2021 through Quarter 3, 2023.** Additionally, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) measures reflect data from **Quarter 3, 2022 through Quarter 2, 2023** for the Clostridium Difficile Infection (CDI), Catheter-Associated Urinary Tract Infections (CAUTI), and Central Line-Associated Bloodstream Infections (CLABSI) measures, **Quarter 4, 2022 through Quarter 1, 2023** for the Healthcare Personnel (HCP) Influenza measure, and **Quarter 3, 2023** for the HCP COVID-19 Vaccine measure. The data for the claims-based measures will display data from **Quarter 4, 2020 through Quarter 3, 2022**.

In summary, the following LTCH QRP measures will be displayed on Care Compare and PDC during the June 2024 refresh:

- Application of Percent of Residents Experiencing One or More Falls with Major Injury (Long Stay)
  - Q4 2022 – Q3 2023 (10/1/2022 – 9/30/2023)
- Percent of Long-Term Care Hospital Patients with an Admission and Discharge Functional Assessment and a Care Plan That Addresses Function
  - Q4 2022 – Q3 2023 (10/1/2022 – 9/30/2023)

- Application of Percent of Long-Term Care Hospital Patients with an Admission and Discharge Functional Assessment and a Care Plan That Addresses Function
  - Q4 2022 – Q3 2023 (10/1/2022 – 9/30/2023)
- Functional Outcome Measure: Change in Mobility Among Long-Term Care Hospital Patients Requiring Ventilator Support
  - Q4 2021 – Q3 2023 (10/1/2021 – 9/30/2023)
- Drug Regimen Review Conducted with Follow-Up for Identified Issues – Post-Acute Care (PAC) Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) Quality Reporting Program (QRP)
  - Q4 2022 – Q3 2023 (10/1/2022 – 9/30/2023)
- Changes in Skin Integrity Post-Acute Care: Pressure Ulcer/Injury
  - Q4 2022 – Q3 2023 (10/1/2022 – 9/30/2023)
- Compliance with Spontaneous Breathing Trial (SBT) by Day 2 of the LTCH Stay
  - Q4 2022 – Q3 2023 (10/1/2022 – 9/30/2023)
- Ventilator Liberation Rate
  - Q4 2022 – Q3 2023 (10/1/2022 – 9/30/2023)
- National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Facility-Wide Inpatient Hospital-onset Clostridium difficile Infection (CDI) Outcome Measure
  - Q3 2022 – Q2 2023 (7/1/2022 – 6/30/2023)
- National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Catheter-Associated Urinary Tract Infection (CAUTI) Outcome Measure
  - Q3 2022 – Q2 2023 (7/1/2022 – 6/30/2023)
- National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Central Line-Associated Bloodstream Infection (CLABSI) Outcome Measure
  - Q3 2022 – Q2 2023 (7/1/2022 – 6/30/2023)
- Influenza Vaccination Coverage Among Healthcare Personnel
  - Q4 2022 – Q1 2023 (10/1/2022 – 3/31/2023)
- COVID-19 Vaccination Coverage among Healthcare Personnel
  - Q3 2023 (7/1/2023 – 9/30/2023)
- Discharge to Community – Post-Acute Care (PAC) Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) Quality Reporting Program (QRP)
  - Q4 2020 – Q3 2022 (10/1/2020 – 9/30/2022)

- Medicare Spending Per Beneficiary – Post-Acute Care (PAC) Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) Quality Reporting Program (QRP)
  - Q4 2020 – Q3 2022 (10/1/2020 – 9/30/2022)
- Potentially Preventable 30-Days Post-Discharge Readmission Measure for Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) Quality Reporting Program (QRP)
  - Q4 2020 – Q3 2022 (10/1/2020 – 9/30/2022)

Please visit Care Compare and PDC to view the updated quality data. For questions about LTCH QRP Public Reporting, please email LTCHPRquestions@cms.hhs.gov.

June 14, 2024

LTCH Provider Preview Reports – Now Available

The Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) 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 **September 2024** refresh.

Additionally, the Preview Reports have been updated to account for measure additions and removals that will be implemented during the **September 2024 refresh**. The three new assessment-based measures added to the Preview Reports are: (1) Transfer of Health (TOH) Information to the Provider–Post-Acute Care (PAC), (2) Transfer of Health (TOH) Information to the Patient–Post-Acute Care (PAC), and (3) Discharge Function Score. The two assessment-based measures removed from the Preview Reports are: (1) Percent of Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) Patients With an Admission and Discharge Functional Assessment and a Care Plan That Addresses Function and (2) Application of Percent of Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) Patients With an Admission and Discharge Functional Assessment and a Care Plan That Addresses Function. Historic publicly reported data for the removed measures will continue to be available on the Long-term care hospitals archived data snapshots webpage.

The data contained within the Preview Reports are based on quality assessment data submitted by LTCHs from **Quarter 1, 2023 through Quarter 4, 2023,** and for the LTCH Change in Mobility measure, **Quarter 1, 2022 through Quarter 4, 2023.** Additionally, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) measures reflect data from **Quarter 4, 2022 through Quarter 3, 2023** for the Clostridium Difficile

Infection (CDI), Catheter-Associated Urinary Tract Infections (CAUTI), and Central Line-Associated Bloodstream Infections (CLABSI) measures, **Quarter 4, 2022 through Quarter 1, 2023** for the Healthcare Personnel (HCP) Influenza measure, and **Quarter 4, 2023** for the COVID-19 Vaccination Coverage among Healthcare Personnel (HCP) measure. The data for the claims-based measures have been updated for the September 2024 refresh and will display data from **Quarter 4, 2021 through Quarter 3, 2023**.

Providers have until **July 15, 2024** to review their performance data. Only updates/corrections to the underlying assessment data before the final data submission deadline will be reflected in the publicly reported data on Care Compare. If a provider updates assessment data after the final data submission deadline, the updated data will only be reflected in the Facility-Level Quality Measure (QM) report and Patient-Level QM report. Updates submitted after the final data submission deadline will not be reflected in the Provider Preview Reports or on Care Compare. 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.

For more information, please visit the LTCH Provider Preview Reports section of the CMS LTCH QRP Public Reporting webpage.

March 28, 2024

Care Compare March Refresh of LTCH QRP Data – Now Available

The March 2024 refresh of the Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) 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 LTCHs to Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) from **Quarter 3, 2022 through Quarter 2, 2023, and for the LTCH Change in Mobility measure, Quarter 3, 2021 through Quarter 2, 2023.** Additionally, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) measures reflect data from **Quarter 2, 2022 through Quarter 1, 2023** for the Clostridium Difficile Infection (CDI), Catheter-Associated Urinary Tract Infections (CAUTI), and Central Line-Associated Bloodstream Infections (CLABSI) measures,

Quarter 4, 2022 through Quarter 1, 2023 for the Healthcare Personnel (HCP) Influenza measure, and **Quarter 2, 2023** for the HCP COVID-19 Vaccine measure. The data for the claims-based measures will display data from **Quarter 4, 2020 through Quarter 3, 2022**.

In summary, the following LTCH QRP measures will be displayed on Care Compare and PDC during the March 2024 refresh:

- Application of Percent of Residents Experiencing One or More Falls with Major Injury (Long Stay)
    - Q3 2022 – Q2 2023 (7/1/2022 – 6/30/2023)
- Percent of Long-Term Care Hospital Patients with an Admission and Discharge Functional Assessment and a Care Plan That Addresses Function
    - Q3 2022 – Q2 2023 (7/1/2022 – 6/30/2023)
- Application of Percent of Long-Term Care Hospital Patients with an Admission and Discharge Functional Assessment and a Care Plan That Addresses Function
    - Q3 2022 – Q2 2023 (7/1/2022 – 6/30/2023)
- Functional Outcome Measure: Change in Mobility Among Long-Term Care Hospital Patients Requiring Ventilator Support
    - Q3 2021 – Q2 2023 (7/1/2021 – 6/30/2023)
- Drug Regimen Review Conducted with Follow-Up for Identified Issues – Post-Acute Care (PAC) Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) Quality Reporting Program (QRP)
    - Q3 2022 – Q2 2023 (7/1/2022 – 6/30/2023)
- Changes in Skin Integrity Post-Acute Care: Pressure Ulcer/Injury
    - Q3 2022 – Q2 2023 (7/1/2022 – 6/30/2023)
- Compliance with Spontaneous Breathing Trial (SBT) by Day 2 of the LTCH Stay
    - Q3 2022 – Q2 2023 (7/1/2022 – 6/30/2023)
- Ventilator Liberation Rate
    - Q3 2022 – Q2 2023 (7/1/2022 – 6/30/2023)
- National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Facility-Wide Inpatient Hospital-onset Clostridium difficile Infection (CDI) Outcome Measure
    - Q2 2022 – Q1 2023 (4/1/2022 – 3/31/2023)

- National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Catheter-Associated Urinary Tract Infection (CAUTI) Outcome Measure
  - Q2 2022 – Q1 2023 (4/1/2022 – 3/31/2023)
- National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Central Line-Associated Bloodstream Infection (CLABSI) Outcome Measure
  - Q2 2022 – Q1 2023 (4/1/2022 – 3/31/2023)
- Influenza Vaccination Coverage Among Healthcare Personnel
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- COVID-19 Vaccination Coverage among Healthcare Personnel
  - Q2 2023 (4/1/2023 – 6/30/2023)
- Discharge to Community – Post-Acute Care (PAC) Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) Quality Reporting Program (QRP)
  - Q4 2020 – Q3 2022 (10/1/2020 – 9/30/2022)
- Medicare Spending Per Beneficiary – Post-Acute Care (PAC) Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) Quality Reporting Program (QRP)
  - Q4 2020 – Q3 2022 (10/1/2020 – 9/30/2022)
- Potentially Preventable 30-Days Post-Discharge Readmission Measure for Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) Quality Reporting Program (QRP)
  - Q4 2020 – Q3 2022 (10/1/2020 – 9/30/2022)

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March 15, 2024

LTCH Provider Preview Reports – Now Available

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The data contained within the Preview Reports are based on quality assessment data submitted by LTCHs from **Quarter 4, 2022 through Quarter 3, 2023, and for the LTCH Change in Mobility measure, Quarter 4, 2021 through Quarter 3, 2023.** Additionally, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) measures reflect data from **Quarter 3, 2022 through Quarter 2, 2023 for the Clostridium**

Difficile Infection (CDI), Catheter-Associated Urinary Tract Infections (CAUTI), and Central Line-Associated Bloodstream Infections (CLABSI) measures, Quarter 4, 2022 through Quarter 1, 2023 for the Healthcare Personnel (HCP) Influenza measure, and **Quarter 3, 2023** for the COVID-19 Vaccination Coverage among Healthcare Personnel (HCP) measure. The data for the claims-based measures will display data from **Quarter 4, 2020 through Quarter 3, 2022** for this refresh.

Providers have until **April 15, 2024** to review their performance data. Only updates/corrections to the underlying assessment data before the final data submission deadline will be reflected in the publicly reported data on Care Compare. If a provider updates assessment data after the final data submission deadline, the updated data will only be reflected in the Facility-Level Quality Measure (QM) report and Patient-Level QM report. Updates submitted after the final data submission deadline will not be reflected in the Provider Preview Reports or on the Care Compare website. 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.

For more information, please visit the [CMS LTCH QRP Public Reporting](#) website.