



CMS Releases Proposed Rule for Performance Year (PY) 2020

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services recently released proposed policies for the 2020 PY of the Quality Payment Program.

Key Proposals Include:

- Increasing the performance threshold to 45 points
- Reducing the Quality performance category weight to 40%
- Increasing the Cost performance category weight to 20%
- Increasing the completeness threshold for quality data submitted
- Increasing the threshold for groups reporting an Improvement Activity

MIPS Value Pathways:

CMS is also proposing a new way to participate in MIPS, called the MIPS Value Pathways (MVPs). Beginning PY 2021, MVPs will encourage the transition to APMs & simplify reporting by requiring ECs to report a smaller set of specialty-specific measures.

Learn More:

See the following CMS resources for more information: [Press Release](#), [Fact Sheet](#), & MVPs Diagram.

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