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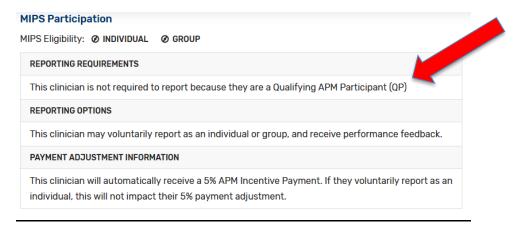
Promoting Interoperability (PI) Reporting Reminder

<u>Please note the PI reporting period has begun and must be submitted no later than April</u> **2nd 2019.** We encourage you to submit your report as soon as possible.

Scripps ACO will report Quality and Patient Experience measures (MIPS measures) on behalf of ACO MSSP participants except for PI (Promoting Interoperability) formerly known as ACI. CMS regulations do NOT allow Scripps ACO to report this metric on behalf of our participant physicians. Each ACO participant Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN) in a Shared Savings Program ACO is responsible for submitting data on the PI category.

Unless you have been approved by CMS for hardship exemption, please go to QPP provider look up: https://qpp.cms.gov/participation-lookup

- 1. Enter your NPI number
- 2. Review "Reporting Requirements," if it states "This clinician is not required to report because they are a Qualifying APM Participant (QP)." This indicates MIPS measures will be reported by the Scripps ACO except for PI.



Options to report PI data include:

- Attestation in the QPP data submission system https://qpp.cms.gov/login
- Electronic Health Record (EHR)
- Qualified Clinical Data Registry (QCDR) 2018 CMS-Approved QCDRs (XLSX)
- Qualified Registry <u>2018 CMS-Approved Qualified Registries (ZIP)</u>

Scripps ACO requires all participants to report and provide written confirmation of successful submission of PI regardless of ability to meet base scores, unless the participant provides written proof they have been approved by CMS for a hardship exemption. Scripps ACO Policy regarding PI submission can be found:

https://www.scrippsaco.org/aco-products/medicare-shared-savings-program/quality-reporting

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