

Important Name Change Announcement

CMS is changing the name of the MIPS Advancing Care Information (ACI) to Promoting Interoperability (PI).

Recently, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) announced the name of the [MIPS](#) Advancing Care Information (ACI) performance category will be changing to the **Promoting Interoperability** performance category. This new name better reflects the increased focus on interoperability and improving patient access to health information

What does this mean to your provider office?

1. Promoting Interoperability is not a new performance category.
2. The 2018 requirements for the Promoting Interoperability performance category are exactly the same as what was finalized for the ACI performance category. For an overview of the 2018 Promoting Interoperability performance category and participation requirements, review this [fact sheet](#).
3. CMS is in the process of updating the [2018 measure specifications](#) to reflect the Promoting Interoperability name change. However, the specifications are still the same.

CMS also changed the name of the **EHR Incentive Programs** to the **Promoting Interoperability Programs**. To learn more about the Promoting Interoperability Programs, visit this [webpage](#).

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