



## Measure Applications Partnership All MAP Web Meeting

**December 4, 2013**

The National Quality Forum (NQF) convened an in-person meeting of the Measure Applications Partnership (MAP) on Wednesday, December 4, 2013. An online archive of the meeting is available by clicking [here](#).

### **Committee Member Attendance**

Please see attachment for the list of members in attendance.

### **Welcome, Review of Meeting Objectives, and MAP Background**

Session was led by George Isham and Beth McGlynn, MAP Coordinating Committee Co-Chairs. Dr. Isham and Dr. McGlynn welcomed the group to the meeting and reviewed the following meeting objectives:

- To understand the context for the HHS List of Measures Under Consideration for MAP 2013-2014 pre-rulemaking;
- To orient to MAP 2013-2014 pre-rulemaking approach and mechanism for providing early public comment on the measures under consideration; and
- To review initial assessment of the measures under consideration.

### **MAP Pre-Rulemaking Approach**

Session was led by Dr. McGlynn with an additional presentation by Aisha Pittman, NQF. Ms. Pittman reviewed the four step pre-rulemaking approach for 2014:

- Build on MAP's prior recommendations;
- Evaluate each finalized program measure set using MAP's Measure Selection Criteria;
- Evaluate measures under consideration for what they would add to the program measure sets; and
- Identify and prioritize gaps for programs and settings.

Ms. Pittman also presented the programs that MAP will review, the mechanism for incorporating the dual eligible beneficiary lens to the review, and shared that MAP will establish an early public comment period to allow stakeholder to provide input on the measures under consideration in advance of the workgroup pre-rulemaking meetings. The public will also have an opportunity to comment on the draft 2014 MAP Pre-rulemaking Report in mid-January.

MAP member discussed how families of measures will be used to inform measure selection in program measure sets for pre-rulemaking and inquired on the January public comment period for the final pre-rulemaking report to HHS. Additionally, MAP members discussed MAP Measure

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Selection Criteria #1, which will be further discussed at the MAP Coordinating Committee in-person meeting to be held on January 7-8.

### **Context for the HHS List of Measures Under Consideration and Implications for MAP**

Session was led by Dr. Isham, with presentations from Patrick Conway, CMS, and Kate Goodrich, CMS, and Allen Leavens, NQF.

Dr. Conway and Dr. Goodrich reviewed CMS's goals and approach in developing the list of measures under consideration for use in federal programs. Dr. Goodrich also shared major changes in developing the list of measures under consideration over the past 2 years. Additionally, Dr. Goodrich shared considerations for MAP during the pre-rulemaking process. Specifically, including:

- How to focus on the measure science and “leave organizational interests at the door” in decision-making processes?
- Help CMP prioritize how to fill gaps.
- In making recommendations, give explicit consideration to vulnerable populations
- Tiered recommendations and rationale is helpful – will need to continue to refine approach
- For clinicians, what measures could or should be reported by ALL clinicians? And/Or should there be core common sets for each major specialty?
- What are some “leading edge” measures or concepts that should be considered in CMS programs or Innovation center models?
- CMS would value MAP's feedback on the LEAN process and the quality of the end product (MUC list). What are some other opportunities for improvement?

Dr. Leavens then presented on MAP's initial assessment of the measures under consideration. The presentation captured high-level characteristics that were observed during the analysis including:

- Measures under consideration address priorities of the National Quality Strategy to varying degrees;
- About 20% of measures under consideration are NQF endorsed;
- HHS has provided more information on measures' various stages of development (measure concept, being expanded, being specified, being tested, fully developed);
- The majority of measures under consideration are process measures, but with a substantial number of outcome measures as well;
- MAP members discussed the approach for reviewing the list of measures under consideration in the upcoming pre-rulemaking meetings. Questions included the type of measure information the workgroup will be provided to assist them in their decision-making.

### **Opportunity for Public Comment**

There were no questions or comments from the public.

**Next Steps for Pre-rulemaking Activities and other MAP Initiatives**

Session was led by Dr. McGlynn, who concluded the meeting with a brief discussion of next steps including concurrent MAP work and the upcoming nominations period. The immediate upcoming MAP pre-rulemaking meetings are:

- PAC/LTC Workgroup In-Person Meeting: December 10, 2013
- Hospital Workgroup In-Person: December 11-12, 2013
- Clinician Workgroup In-Person Meeting: December 18-19, 2013
- Duals Workgroup Web-Meeting: December 20, 2013
- MAP Coordinating Committee In-Person Meeting: January 7-8, 2014.

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