ArcBITS Newsletter

ArcSys Hot Tip

This is the last month to participate in the Egg Hunt. It will take place on November 11 and 23-28. So far, 8 client sites have the following 17 users in the running for the $100 gift card: JEF, JJB, CDK, SUSAN, JULIE, SO, CS, NGILES, ASJ, TJB, LDB, VGG, ZAM, PL, DEB, ALISON and CINDY.

You ask, "What Egg Hunt?" See last February's newsletter for details. Simply, when you see the "soldier" or "turkey" , click on it to see some "fun" sayings.
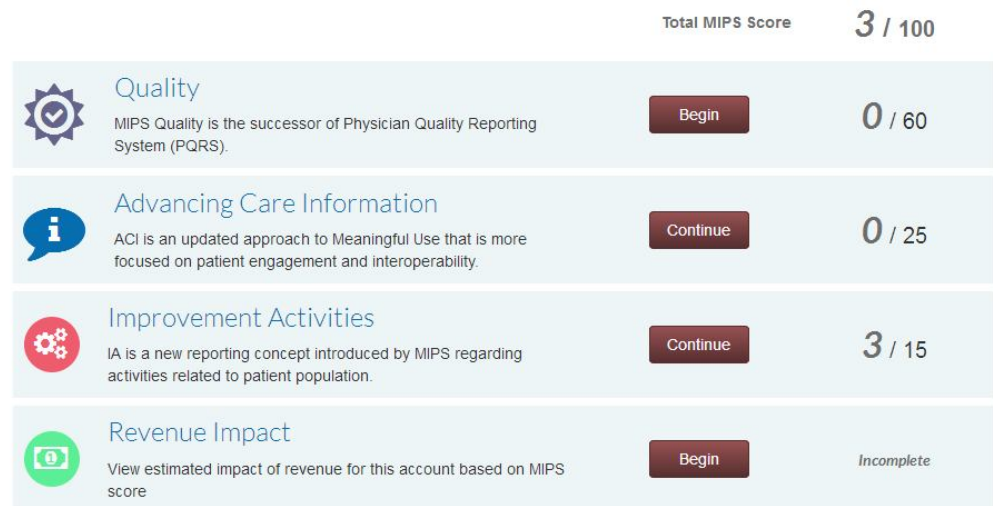
Who knows, you might even get entered into the drawing.

YES!! You Can Meet MIPS!! Part 2

Your first step in meeting MIPS is to go to the web site mipspro.com. There are four points (that we have taken from their web site) that we cannot emphasize enough. Namely,

- Mipspro supports **all specialties** & all measures for all MIPS components
- Mipspro quality experts **validate your data** before submission to CMS to ensure your reporting success
- Whether you are reporting to **achieve maximum incentives** or just **avoid the penalties**, Mipspro is as flexible as you
- Sending MIpspro your data is easy with our **data upload** and transmission services

Register using your email and purchase the "Plus" package. It costs $539 per provider but you will get a $40 discount when you use the promo code of ArcSys.

		Total MIPS Score	**3** / 100
Quality MIPS Quality is the successor of Physician Quality Reporting System (PQRS).	Begin		**0** / 60
Advancing Care Information ACI is an updated approach to Meaningful Use that is more focused on patient engagement and interoperability.	Continue		**0** / 25
Improvement Activities IA is a new reporting concept introduced by MIPS regarding activities related to patient population.	Continue		**3** / 15
Revenue Impact View estimated impact of revenue for this account based on MIPS score	Begin		*Incomplete*

Once registered you will find a button on your Home screen that will take you to the Dashboard. Your first step is to choose the measures under Quality. There are over 240 measures to select from. You can, for instance, use filters which show only the measures related to your specialty. Once you've selected your measures, contact ArcSys and we will perform some intensive data mining operations on your Red Planet data to prepare a file that can be uploaded to MIPSPRO. Even if you choose measures and have no way of ever providing data that maximizes the measure, you will still *avoid* the penalties! Serious. This alone could potentially save each provider tens of thousands of dollars for the coming year.

Using MIPSPRO

Once we've uploaded your data to MIPSPRO, you have the opportunity to review how each patient "scores" in meeting MIPS. The following screen shot shows how. Under the Patient ID column are your patient numbers. To the right are 7 columns that have been selected for quality measures. For instance, measure #1 is monitoring Hemoglobin A1c and measure #412 is documentation of opiod use. If you look at the row for patient 4741

Visits

Add, edit, and review visits.

Notifications

ℹ️ This page lists the raw data entered for each measure and organizes that data by visit. Reporting frequency and specific CMS reporting rules for certain measures are not reflected on this page. To see reporting frequency and reporting rules applied to your raw data, see the performance rate report.

⚠️ You have incomplete measures. This can affect your reporting rate. CLICK HERE to filter for incomplete measures.

Filters   Showing 1254 of 1254   Visits Per Page 25 ▼   **Add Visit**

| Patient ID ⊕ |
| NPI ⊕ |
| Primary Insurer ⊕ |
| Secondary Insurer ⊕ |
| Date of Service ⊕ |
| Last Updated Date ⊕ |
| Measure Status ⊕ |

Reset   Filter

Patient ID	Date of Service	Last Updated	#1	#112	#113	#130	#154	#236	#412
1338	7/3/2017	10/28/2017	⊘	⊘	⊘	✅	⊘	⊘	⊘
1124	7/3/2017	10/28/2017	⊘	⊘	⊘	✅	✅	⊘	⊘
1575	7/3/2017	10/28/2017	⊘	⊘	✅	✅	✅	⊘	⊘
2080	7/3/2017	10/28/2017	⊘	⊘	⊘	✅	✅	⊘	⊘
3436	7/3/2017	10/28/2017	⊘	⊘	✅	✅	⊘	⊘	⊘
3492	7/3/2017	10/28/2017	⊘	⊘	⊘	✅	⊘	🔴	✅
5699	7/3/2017	10/28/2017	⊘	⊘	✅	✅	⊘	⊘	⊘
5717	7/3/2017	10/28/2017	⊘	⊘	⊘	✅	✅	⊘	⊘
4741	7/3/2017	10/28/2017	🟠	✅	🟠	✅	⊘	✅	✅
4873	7/3/2017	10/28/2017	⊘	⊘	⊘	✅	⊘	⊘	⊘
4993	7/3/2017	10/28/2017	⊘	✅	🟠	✅	✅	⊘	⊘
5958	7/3/2017	10/28/2017	⊘	⊘	⊘	✅	⊘	⊘	⊘
5390	7/5/2017	10/28/2017	⊘	⊘	⊘	⊘	⊘	⊘	⊘

Measure Status Legend

- 🔴 Incomplete
- ⊘ Ineligible
- ○ Excluded
- 🟠 Not Met
- ✅ Met

you will see the measures #1, #113 are "not met" (yellow). For measures #112, #130, #236 and #412 they are "met" (green). If you click on one patient it will open another screen showing the nitty gritty data how it met each of the 7 measures shown here. What is really "cool" is that you could manually adjust the data as shown with the "documentation of current medications" entry, here. This demonstrates that the flexibility exists and that each measure is thoroughly documented showing how a patient meets a denominator or numerator threshold. If there are numerous entries that were flagged as incomplete it usually means that another data mining operation must be performed to correct how things were selected. Call us for more information and assistance.

☑️ **#130 Documentation of Current Medications in the Medical Record**

1. Did the patient have one of the noted encounter codes? (Denominator Criteria)

◉ Yes
○ No

Matched code '99214'

Tip: 90791, 90792, 90832, 90834, 90837, 90839, 92002, 92004, 92012, 92014, 92507, 92508, 92526, 92537, 92538, 92540, 92541, 92542, 92544, 92545, 92547, 92548, 92550, 92557, 92567, 92568, 92570, 92585, 92588, 92626, 96116, 96150, 96151, 96152, 97161, 97162, 97163, 97164, 97165, 97166, 97167, 97168, 97532, 97802, 97803, 97804, 98960, 98961, 98962, Read more...

2. Select one:

◉ G8427: Eligible clinician attests to documenting in the medical record they obtained, updated, or reviewed the patient's current medications
○ G8430: Eligible clinician attests to documenting in the medical record the patient is not eligible for a current list of medications being obtained, updated, or reviewed by the eligible clinician
○ G8428: Current list of medications not documented as obtained, updated, or reviewed by the eligible clinician, reason not given

Matched code 'G8427'

Definitions:
Current Medications – Medications the patient is presently taking including all prescriptions, over-the- counters, herbals and vitamin/mineral /dietary (nutritional) supplements with each medication's name, dosage, frequency and administered route. Read more...