

Quality Payment PROGRAM

2018 MIPS Data Validation - Year 2 Quality Performance Category Changes

2018 Quality Number (Q#)	2018 Quality Measure	V1_09202019 Changes
General	N/A	1) Updated header to clarify documentation that may be used to support data validation or auditing as follows: "Documentation such as medical records, etc. to support the HCPCS, CPT, and ICD-10 codes may be requested to support data validation or auditing. Coding applicable to each measure is provided in the 2018 Medicare Part B Claims Measure Specifications, Clinical Quality Measure Specifications, eCQM Measure Specifications, Web Interface Measure Specifications and Supporting Documents." 2) Removed reference to the 90-day reporting period in the header as it is no longer an option for reporting quality measures in MIPS. 3) Removed Column H which previously identified quality measures where the quality action must take place during "12 Consecutive Months" per the measure's description. Please refer to the posted 2018 Measure Specifications for the specific timing of each measure-related element including denominator eligibility as well as numerator quality action(s).