Promoting Interoperability

PROGRAMS

MEDICAID PROMOTING INTEROPERABILITY PROGRAM ELIGIBLE PROFESSIONALS OBJECTIVES AND MEASURES FOR 2019

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Eligible Professionals Objectives	
Protect Patient Health	Protect electronic protected health information (ePHI) created or
Information	maintained by the certified electronic health record technology
	(CEHRT) through the implementation of appropriate technical,
	administrative, and physical safeguards.
Electronic Prescribing	Generate and transmit permissible prescriptions electronically.
Clinical Decision Support	Implement clinical decision support (CDS) interventions focused on
	improving performance on high-priority health conditions.
Computerized Provider Order	Use computerized provider order entry (CPOE) for medication,
Entry	laboratory, and diagnostic imaging orders directly entered by any
	licensed healthcare professional, credentialed medical assistant, or
	a medical staff member credentialed to and performing the
	equivalent duties of a credentialed medical assistant, who can
	enter orders into the medical record per state, local, and
	professional guidelines.
Patient Electronic Access to	The eligible professional (EP) provides patients (or patient-
Health Information	authorized representative) with timely electronic access to their
	health information and patient-specific education.
Coordination of Care through	Use CEHRT to engage with patients or their authorized
Patient Engagement	representatives about the patient's care.
Health Information Exchange	The EP provides a summary of care record when transitioning or
	referring their patient to another setting of care, receives or
	retrieves a summary of care record upon the receipt of a transition
	or referral or upon the first patient encounter with a new patient,
	and incorporates summary of care information from other
	providers into their EHR using the functions of CEHRT.
Public Health and Clinical Data	The EP is in active engagement with a public health agency (PHA)
Registry Reporting	or clinical data registry (CDR) to submit electronic public health
	data in a meaningful way using CEHRT, except where prohibited,
	and in accordance with applicable law and practice.

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