## Hospice Public Reporting: Background and Announcements

### Updates

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# Hospice Quality Reporting (QRP) Claims-Based Measures: Questions and Answers (Q&As)

The Hospice QRP now includes two new claims-based measures: Hospice Visits in the Last Days of Life (HVLDL- NQF #3645) and Hospice Care Index (HCI). Please find the latest frequently asked questions on calculating and reporting claims-based measures in the **Downloads** section of the <u>Public Reporting Background and Announcements</u> webpage.

#### **Resources:**

Other pages on the HQRP website provide more information relevant to public reporting:

- <u>Current Measures</u>: visit this page to learn more about the HIS, CAHPS®, and claims-based metrics that are part of the HQRP and are publicly reported on <u>Care Compare.</u>
- <u>HQRP Requirements and Best Practices</u>: provides updates about reporting requirements, and announcements focusing on best practice methods to help hospices be successful with the HQRP.
- <u>Help Desk</u>: visit this page to learn where to go for all questions related to HQRP public reporting.
- <u>Public Reporting: Key Dates for Providers</u> for detailed information on upcoming dates relevant for public reporting.
- <u>Public Reporting: Provider Preview Report and Requests for CMS</u>
  <u>Review of Data and CAHPS® Preview Reports and Requests for CMS</u>

<u>Review</u>: visit these two specific pages about the Preview Reports and to learn more about how to request CMS's review of HQRP data before it is publicly reported.