

# VBC Release Highlights

July 14, 2023

Practice Insights<sup>SM</sup> is pleased to announce updates in the application to support the Merit-Based Incentive Payment System (MIPS) and Advance Care Planning.

## MIPS Quality Measures Dashboard

Starting Monday, July 17, 2023, you can view data from Q2 2023 using the **Time Period** drop-down on the MIPS Quality Measures Dashboard.

The dashboard has also been updated to reflect the below refinement(s) for:

Measure	Update	Practice Impact
MIPS #374: Closing the Referral Loop	A refinement has been made to the numerator, which will now include the number of patients with a referral on or before October 31, for which the referring clinician received a report from the clinician to whom the patient was referred.	Practices should not see a shift in the data.

## Advance Care Planning Dashboards

Starting Monday, July 17, 2023, you can view data from Q2 2023 using the Time Period drop-down on both the Advance Care Planning Performance and Advance Care Planning Activities dashboards.

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## Status of Dashboard Updates for 2023

CMS releases updates to the quality measure specifications annually for the MIPS program and bi-annually for the OCM program. These measure specifications have been reviewed, and Practice Insights is working on the required technical updates to align with the revised requirements. McKesson will continue to notify practices once measures have been updated based on the current 2023 requirements. The measures listed below either have no 2023 update required or have been updated.

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Measure	Description
<b>MIPS Quality Measures Dashboard</b>	
#047	Advance Care Plan
#104	Adjuvant Hormonal Therapy for High-Risk or Very High-Risk Prostate Cancer
#130	Current Medications Documentation
#134	Preventive Care Screening: Screening for Depression and Follow-Up Plan
#143	Pain Intensity Quantified
#144	Pain Care Plan
#374	Closing the Referral Loop
#451	RAS (KRAS and NRAS) Gene Mutation Testing Performed for Patients with Metastatic Colorectal Cancer who Receive Anti-epidermal Growth Factor Receptor (EGFR) Monoclonal Antibody Therapy
#452	Percentage of Adult Patients (aged 18 or older) with Metastatic Colorectal Cancer and RAS (KRAS & NRAS) Gene Mutation Spared Treatment with Anti-EGFR Monoclonal Antibodies
#457	Patients Admitted to Hospice for < 3 Days
PIMSH#1	Advance Care Planning in Stage 4 Disease
PIMSH#2	Utilization of GCSF in Metastatic Colon/Rectal Cancer (Inverse Measure)
PIMSH#4	Patient-Reported Pain Improvement
PIMSH#9	Supportive Care Drug Utilization in the Last 14 Days of Life (Inverse Measure)

Measure	Description
PIMSH#10	Hepatitis B Serology Testing for Prophylactic Treatment Prior to Receiving Anti CD20 Targeting Drugs
PIMSH#15	Antiemetic Therapy for Low-and-Minimal-Emetic Risk Antineoplastic Agents in the Infusion Center- Avoidance of Overuse (Inverse Measure)
PIMSH#16	Appropriate Antiemetic Therapy for High-and Moderate-Emetic-Risk Antineoplastic Agents in the Infusion Center