2020 Skilled Nursing Facility Reporting Deadlines – as Revised 3/22

	Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Value-Based Payment program (VBP)	SNF Quality Reporting Program (QRP)	Nursing Home Compare	Payroll Based Journal (PBJ)
January			**Last week:** CMS publishes latest SNF performance on QRP measures. *	
February		**Near Feb. 1:** Estimated date that Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Provider Preview Reports(PPR) available for review of prior quarter's data **Feb 15**: Reporting deadline to submit or make changes to MDS-based data for admissions/discharges between July 1, 2019 – Sept. 30, 2019		**Feb 14:** Deadline to report PBJ data for October 1 – December 31, 2019
March		**Near March 1:** Estimated (30-days from PPR report release date) deadline for requesting corrections to data prior to publication on Nursing Home Compare. **These requests must be submitted to:** SNFQRPPRquestions@cms.hhs.gov.		
April			**Last week:** CMS publishes latest SNF performance on QRP measures. *	

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May		**Near May 1:** Estimated release of SNF PPR for review of prior quarter's data **May 15**: Reporting deadline to submit MDS-based data for admissions/discharges between October 1 – December 31, 2019. Per CMS March 22 guidance, it is now optional for SNFs to report his data due to the COVID-19 national emergency.		**May 15**: Deadline to report PBJ data for January 1 – March 31, 2020
June	**Near June 1:** New Confidential Report Data Available	**Near June 1**: Estimated (30-days from PPR report release date) deadline for requesting corrections to data prior to publication on Nursing Home Compare. **These requests must be submitted to:** SNFQRPPRquestions@cms.hhs.gov.		
July	**Near July 1 (30 days after June report issued):** Estimated deadline for Phase One Review & Corrections Process, which is an opportunity for SNFs to review and submit corrections to facility-level information that will be made publicly available. Requests must be submitted to: SNFVBP@rti.org. (This is a change from prior years)	**Mid-July:** Estimated date that letters of noncompliance with the reporting requirements for FY 2021 to be placed in CASPER folder and sent to SNFs by the Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs).	**Last week :** CMS publishes latest SNF performance on QRP measures. *	

August	**Near Aug. 1:** Performance Score Report with VBIP Adjustment Available in CASPER	**Near Aug. 1:** Estimated release of SNF PPR for review of prior quarter's data **Aug. 15**: Reporting deadline to submit MDS-based data for admissions/discharges between January 1 – March 31, 2020 Per CMS March 22 guidance, SNFs are not required to submit this data for the purposes of complying with QRP, due to the COVID-19 national emergency. <mark>Also, estimated 2020 deadline to submit reconsideration request for noncompliance impacting FY2021 rates.</mark> Must be submitted to: SNFQRPReconsiderations@cms.hhs.gov.		**Aug. 14**: Deadline to report PBJ data for April 1 – June 30, 2020
September	**Near Sept 1:** Estimated deadline to submit Phase Two Review and Correct requests. Only permits requests for corrections to performance scores and rank. Deadline is 30 days following publication of Performance Score Report.	**Near Sept 1**: Estimated (30-days from PPR report release date) deadline for requesting corrections to data prior to publication on Nursing Home Compare. **These requests must be submitted to:** SNFQRPPRquestions@cms.hhs.gov**.**		
October	**Oct. 1:** FY2021 Value-Based Incentive Payment (VBIP) rate	**Oct. 1:** FY2020 rate adjusted for 2% penalty for failure to report adequate CY2018 data	**Last week:** CMS publishes latest SNF performance	

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			on QRP* & VBP measures.	
	adjustment applied based upon readmissions in FY2019. Performance Period begins for FY2023 rates			
November		**Nov.1:** Estimated release of SNF PPR for review of prior quarter's data **Nov 15**: Reporting deadline to submit MDS-based data for admissions/discharges between April 1 - June 30, 2020. Per CMS March 22 guidance, SNFs are not required to submit this data for the purposes of complying with QRP, due to the COVID-19 national emergency.		**Nov. 14**: Deadline to report PBJ data for July 1 – Sept. 30, 2020
December		**Near Dec. 1:** Estimated (30-days from PPR report release date) deadline for requesting corrections to data prior to publication on Nursing Home Compare. **These requests must be submitted to:** SNFQRPPRquestions@cms.hhs.gov.		

*SNF QRP: In advance of the posting, CMS will post updated SNF Provider Preview Reports to the CASPER system and give providers a 30-day preview period to review their latest performance data on the quality measures prior to this data being publicly displayed. The underlying data cannot be corrected during this time but providers can request CMS review the data if they believe their displayed data scores are inaccurate. **The only method for submitting a request to CMS for review of your preview report data is via email (SNFQRPPRquestions@cms.hhs.gov).**

For SNF QRP notices of potential reporting noncompliance: Swingtech sends informational messages to SNFs that are not meeting Annual Payment Update (APU) thresholds on a quarterly basis ahead of each submission deadline. If you need to add or change the email addresses to which these messages are sent, please email QRPHelp@swingtech.com and be sure to include your facility name and CMS Certification Number (CCN) along with any requested email updates.