

# Syndromic Surveillance Data Submission



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The objective of this measure is to demonstrate the capability to submit electronic syndromic surveillance data to public health agencies.

## Measure

The MIPS-eligible clinician is in active engagement with a public health agency to submit syndromic surveillance data from a nonurgent care setting.

Active engagement can be achieved through any one of the following options:

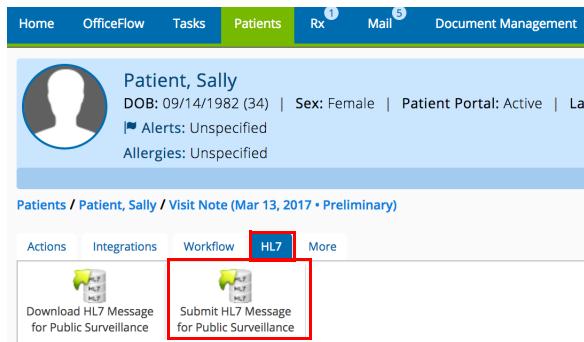
- **Completed Registration to Submit Data.** The MIPS-eligible clinician registered to submit data with the PHA to which the information is being submitted; registration was completed within 60 days after the start of the performance period; and the MIPS-eligible clinician is awaiting an invitation from the PHA to begin testing and validation. This option allows MIPS-eligible clinicians to meet the measure when the PHA has limited resources to initiate the testing and validation process. MIPS-eligible clinicians that have registered in previous years do not need to submit an additional registration to meet this requirement for each performance period.
- **Testing and Validation.** The MIPS-eligible clinician is in the process of testing and validation of the electronic submission of data. MIPS-eligible clinicians must respond to requests from the PHA within 30 days; failure to respond twice within a performance period would result in that MIPS-eligible clinician not meeting the measure.
- **Production.** The MIPS-eligible clinician has completed testing and validation of the electronic submission and is electronically submitting production data to the PHA.

## Scoring

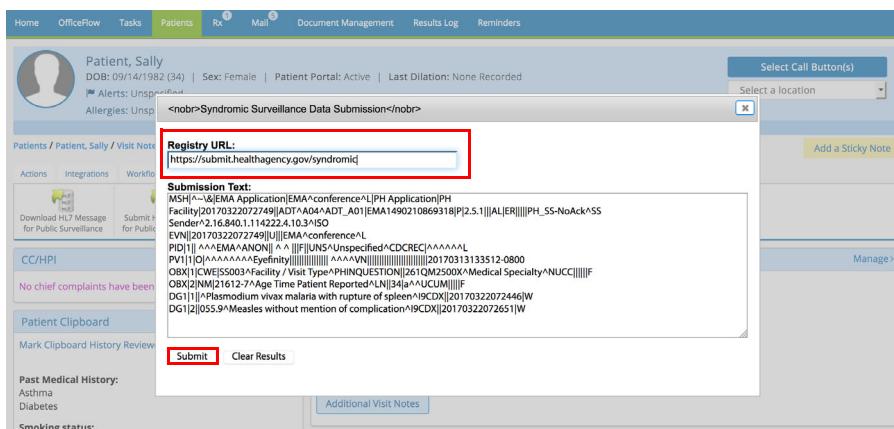
This measure is part of the Public Health and Clinical Data Exchange objective. Two measures from this objective are required to achieve a promoting interoperability score. The Public Health and Clinical Data Exchange objective is worth up to 10 points.

## Eyefinity EHR Instructions

1. In Eyefinity EHR on the web, create a **Visit Note**.
2. Open the **Ocular Exam**, record your findings, and **Save Visit Note**.  
If you documented an infection or infectious disease, an HL7 tab appears when you return to the visit note.
3. Click the **HL7** tab.
4. Click the **Submit HL7 Message for Public Surveillance**.



5. Type the registry's web address for submissions in the **Registry URL** text box.



6. Click **Submit**.  
The submission results appear below the Submit button. If the submission was successful, continue recording the exam. If the submission failed, correct the errors and try again.

## Responsible Role

The following are suggested roles for completing this measure:

- Doctor
- Technician
- Front Desk

## Audit Advice

If you receive any confirmation for your submission, be it an email or a web page displaying a confirmation message, print it and save it with your other MIPS documentation.