

# Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Quality Reporting Program (QRP) Spotlights and Announcements

March 20, 2023

## UPDATED RESOURCE AVAILABLE: Video Tutorial: GG0170C. Lying to Sitting on Side of Bed

This resource can be accessed through the [Skilled Nursing Facility \(SNF\) Quality Reporting Program \(QRP\) Training](#) webpage.

February 14, 2023

## MDS Data Specifications V3.01.0 (DRAFT) Posted

The MDS Data Specifications Version (V) 3.01.0 (DRAFT) are now available in the **Downloads** section on the [Minimum Data Set \(MDS\) 3.0 Technical Information](#) webpage. CMS plans to release the final version of the Data Specification in May 2023. These specifications will go into effect on October 1, 2023.

February 10, 2023

## Reminder of Upcoming Data Submission Deadline

The submission deadline for the Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Quality Reporting Program (QRP) is approaching. Minimum Data Set (MDS) assessment data and data submitted to the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) via the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) for July 1 – September 30 (Q3) of CY 2022 is due with this submission deadline.

**All data must be submitted no later than 11:59 p.m. on February 15, 2023.**

It is recommended that applicable CMS Certification and Survey Provider Enhanced Reports (CASPER) reports and NHSN analysis reports are run prior to each quarterly reporting deadline to ensure that all required data were submitted. We encourage

you to verify all facility information prior to submission, including CMS Certification Number (CCN) and facility name.

View the list of measures required for the February 15, 2023 deadline in the **Downloads** section on the [SNF Quality Reporting Program Data Submission Deadlines](#) webpage.

For submission information, visit:

- [QTSO Nursing Home \(MDS\) Reference & Manuals](#)
- [CMS Resources for NHSN Users](#)

Swingtech sends informational messages to SNFs that are not meeting Annual Payment Update (APU) threshold 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](mailto:QRPHelp@swingtech.com) and be sure to include your facility name and CCN along with any requested email updates.

## **January 25, 2023**

### **Care Compare January Refresh of SNF QRP Data – Now Available**

The January 2023 refresh of the Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Quality Reporting Program (QRP) data is now available on [Care Compare](#) and [Provider Data Catalog \(PDC\)](#).

For more information, please visit the [SNF QRP Public Reporting](#) webpage.

## **January 17, 2023**

### **SNF Provider Preview Reports – Now Available**

The Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Provider Preview Reports have been updated and are now available. These reports contain provider performance scores for quality measures, which will be published on [Care Compare](#) and [Provider Data Catalog \(PDC\)](#) during the **April 2023** refresh.

For more information, please visit the [CMS SNF QRP Public Reporting](#) webpage.

## **January 11, 2023**

## **NEW RESOURCE AVAILABLE: Third Edition Skilled Nursing Facility QRP COVID-19 Public Reporting Tip Sheet**

This resource can be accessed through the [Skilled Nursing Facility \(SNF\) Quality Reporting Program \(QRP\) Training](#) webpage.

**December 23, 2022**

## **NOW AVAILABLE: Draft MDS 3.0 Item Sets v1.18.11**

The draft Minimum Data Set (MDS) 3.0 Item Sets version (v)1.18.11 are now available in the **Downloads** section on the [Minimum Data Set \(MDS\) 3.0 Resident Assessment Instrument \(RAI\) Manual](#) page. CMS plans to release the final version of the MDS Item Sets in early 2023. The MDS Item Sets v1.18.11 will be effective beginning October 1, 2023.