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Subject: WHA CheckPoint: Preview Reports

Good Morning,

If you have a CheckPoint Login: please check your hospital's Preview Reports to ensure that the measure data looks correct for your hospital(s).

The CheckPoint Preview Report has been updated to show your hospital's data for the for the following measures.

This new data will be released to the **public reports on 11/22/2023**

- **All-Cause Readmissions (ACR):** 2022Q2 – 2023Q1 - in the Readmissions measure family section.
- **Falls with Major Injury (FWMI):** 2022Q3 – 2023Q2 - in the Patient Safety – All Patients measure family section.
- **AHRQ Patient Safety Indicators (PSIs):** 2022Q3 – 2023Q2 - in the Patient Safety – All Patients and Patient Safety – Patients with Surgery measure family sections.
- **AHRQ Mortality Measures (IQIs):** 2022Q3 – 2023Q2 - in the Mortality - Conditions and Mortality-Procedures measure family sections.

You may view the Preview Report by clicking on the **Hospital Login** option on the orange menu bar, Login, then clicking **Preview Report**, selecting your hospital. You can either click [See All Measures](#) and scroll to the appropriate measure family or open a single family by clicking its name.

The AHRQ and All-Cause Readmissions results are reported as risk adjusted rates and exclude COVID patients from the calculations. Hospitals' results may differ from a rate calculated directly from the numerator and denominator. The risk adjustment method applied to the All-Cause Readmission results is described under **Resources > For Hospitals > Risk Adjustment Method**.

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In October, the Wisconsin Hospital Association made a significant upgrade to its quality reporting website CheckPoint. This update brings with it a range of improvements designed to elevate the performance, efficiency, and user experience of the platform, while also empowering hospitals to extract valuable insights from their data. In response to valuable input and to reduce confusion associated with CMS Star Ratings, WHA has removed star ratings and introduced a clearer and more informative "Top Performer Star Icon" designation.

This star symbolizes excellence and signifies **hospitals that rank in the top 10%** for specific measures. When a hospital achieves this outstanding status, you will see the single star symbol next to the hospital name in the search result. We invite you to explore the enhanced clarity and insights it offers. We're confident that this change will continue to support you in making well-informed decisions and furthering the excellence of health care services. Thank you for your ongoing support and trust in our services.

**Thank you,
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