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Mountain Area Health Education Center (MAHEC) has funding to help practices in North Carolina understand and enroll in the Quality Payment Program (QPP). You may earn a positive Merit-based Incentive Payment System (MIPS) payment adjustment for 2019 if you submit 2017 data by March 31, 2018. MIPS-eligible clinicians opting not to participate will receive a 4% reduction in Medicare reimbursement in 2019.

SUPPORT FOR PRACTICES

QPP is a revenue neutral program meaning that penalties will be assessed to low –performing providers and redistributed to providers performing well. MAHEC can help you determine your baseline score and aid you in developing a strategy going forward to maximize your score for Payment Year 2 and beyond.

- Do you know that you need to report more minimum points for 2018 to avoid a penalty? **YES YOU DO !**
- Do you know that your performance in MIPS categories will be publicly available on Physician Compare? **YES THEY WILL !**
- Do you know that there are \$500 million “non-revenue-neutral” dollars distribute to top performers (score = >70 points) from 2019 – 2024? **YES THERE ARE !**
- Do you know that there are retroactive exclusions included in final rule that might improve your practice’s ability (including specialists) to report a base score? **YES THERE ARE !**
- Do you know that you can continue to report using a 2014 CEHRT in 2018? **YES YOU CAN !**
- Do you know there are performance measures with doubled point values using your 2014 CEHRT? **YES THERE ARE !**
- Do you know that you can earn bonus points to further maximize your score? **YES YOU CAN !**

Additional CMS Resources

[Quality Payment Website](#) | 1-866-288-8292 | TTY: 1-877-715-6222 | Email: QPP@cms.hhs.gov