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Modifications are in red. Each row represents a change proposed for 2014.

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1	New		Has your ED/OPD made an assessment of the potential risks and vulnerabilities of its electronic health information within the last 12 months? This would help identify privacy- or security-related issues that may need to be corrected. (SECURCHCKE/O)

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			1. Yes 2. No 3. Unknown
2	New		Does your ED/OPD have the capability to electronically send health information to another provider whose EHR system is different from your system? (DIFFEHRE/O) 1. Yes 2. No

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3	Modified text	<p>Medicare and Medicaid offer incentive to practices that demonstrate “meaningful use of health IT.” Does your hospital have plans to apply for these incentive payments? (MUINC)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, we already applied 2. Yes, we intend to apply 3. Uncertain if we will apply 4. No, we will not apply <p>If 1 or 2--When did your hospital first apply or when does your hospital first intend to apply? (MUYEAR)</p>	<p>Medicare and Medicaid offer incentive to hospitals that demonstrate “meaningful use of health IT.” Does your hospital have plans to apply for Stage 1 of these incentive payments? (MUINC)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, we already applied 2. Yes, we intend to apply 3. Uncertain if we will apply 4. No, we will not apply <p>If 1 or 2—Are there plans to apply for Stage 2 incentive payments? (MUSTAGE2)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes

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4	New		What type of triage system does your ESA use? 1. Emergency Severity Index (ESI) 2. Canadian Triage and Acuity Scale (CTAS) 3. Other, specify 4. Do not conduct triage 5. Unknown
5	Modified text	How many levels are in (ESA name's) triage system? 1.Three	How many levels are in (ESA name's) triage system? 1.Three

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		2. Four 3. Five 4. Other - Specify 5. Do not conduct triage	2. Four 3. Five 4. Other - Specify
6		Indicate whether your ED/OPD has each of the following computerized capabilities. Does your ED/OPD have a computerized system for: (EDEMOGE/O) 1. Yes, used routinely	Indicate whether your ED/OPD has each of the following computerized capabilities and how often these capabilities are used. (EDEMOGE/O) 1. Yes, used routinely 2. Yes, but not used routinely

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	Modified text	2. Yes, but not used routinely 3. Yes, but turned off or not used 4. No 5. Unknown -Recording patient history and demographic information? (EDMOGE/O) If yes- Does this include a patient problem list?	3. Yes, but turned off or not used 4. No 5. Unknown -Recording patient history and demographic information? (EDMOGE/O) -Recording patient problem list?

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		(EPROLESTE/O) -Recording and charting vital signs? (EVITALE/O) -Recording patient smoking status? (ESMOKEE/O)	(EPROLESTE/O) -Recording and charting vital signs? (EVITALE/O) -Recording patient smoking status? (ESMOKEE/O)
6 (cont.)	Modified text	-Recording clinical notes? (EPNOTESE/O) If yes- Do the notes include a list of the patient’s medications and allergies? (EMEDALGE/O)	-Recording clinical notes? (EPNOTESE/O) -Recording patient’s medications and allergies?

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		-Reconciling lists of patient medications to identify the most accurate list? (EMIDIDE/O) -Ordering prescriptions? (ECPOEE/O) If yes -Are prescriptions sent electronically to the pharmacy? (ESCRIBE/O) -Are warnings of drug interactions or contraindications provided? (EWARNE/O)	(EMEDALGE/O) -Reconciling lists of patient medications to identify the most accurate list? (EMIDIDE/O) -Ordering prescriptions? (ECPOEE/O) If yes -Are prescriptions sent electronically to the pharmacy? (ESCRIBE/O) -Are warnings of drug interactions or

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		-Providing reminders for guideline-based interventions or screening tests? (EREMINDE/O) -Ordering lab tests? (ECTOEE/O) If yes -Are orders sent electronically? (EORDERE/O)	contraindications provided? (EWARNE/O) -Are drug formulary checks performed? (EFORMULAE/O) -Providing reminders for guideline-based interventions or screening tests? (EREMINDE/O) -Ordering lab tests? (ECTOEE/O) If yes -Are orders sent electronically?

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		specific conditions? (EPTEDUE/O) -Reporting clinical quality measures to federal or state agencies (such as CMS or Medicaid)? (ECQME/O) -Generating lists of patients with particular health	-Identifying educational resources for patient’s specific conditions? (EPTEDUE/O) -Reporting clinical quality measures to federal or state agencies (such as CMS or Medicaid)? (ECQME/O) -Identifying patients due for preventive or follow-up care in order to send patients reminders?

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		conditions? (EGENLISTE/O) -Electronic reporting to immunization registries? (EIMMREGE/O) -Providing patients with clinical summaries for each visit? (ESUME/O) -Exchanging secure messages with patients? (EMSGE/O)	(EIDPTEE/O) -Generating lists of patients with particular health conditions? (EGENLISTE/O) -Electronic reporting to immunization registries? (EIMMREGE/O) -Providing patients with clinical summaries for each visit? (ESUME/O)

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		<p>-Providing patients with an electronic copy of their health information? (EHLTHINFOE/O)</p> <p>-Providing patients the ability to view online, download, or transmit information from their medical record? (EPTRECE/O)</p>	<p>-Exchanging secure messages with patients? (EMSGE/O)</p> <p>-Providing patients the ability to view online, download or transmit information from their</p>

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7	New		<p>Is the patient health information that your ED/OPD shares <u>electronically</u> sent directly from your ED/OPD’s EHR system to another EHR system? (EHRTOEHRE/O)</p> <p>1. Yes 2. No 3. Not applicable, ED/OPD does not have EHR system 4. Unknown</p>

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8	Modified text	Does your OPD refer any patients to providers outside of your OPD? (REFOUTO) 1. Yes 2. No 3. Unknown If yes-Does your OPD receive a report back from the other providers with results of the consultation? (REFOUTRO) 1. Yes, routinely 2. Yes, but not routinely 3. No	Does your OPD refer any patients to providers outside of your OPD? (REFOUTO) 1. Yes 2. No 3. Unknown If yes-Does your OPD send the patient’s clinical information to the other providers? (REFOUTSO) 1. Yes routinely 2. Yes, but not routinely 3. No 4. Unknown

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9	Modified text	<p>Does your OPD see any patients referred to your OPD by providers outside of your OPD? (REFINO)</p> <p>1. Yes 2. No 3. Unknown</p> <p>If yes-Does your OPD receive notification of both the patient’s history and reason for the consultation? (REFINRO)</p> <p>1. Yes, routinely</p>	<p>Does your OPD see any patients referred to your OPD by providers outside of your OPD? (REFINO)</p> <p>1. Yes 2. No 3. Unknown</p> <p>If yes-Does your OPD send a consultation report with clinical information to the other providers? (REFINSO)</p> <p>1. Yes, routinely</p>

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		2. Yes, but not routinely 3. No 4. Unknown If yes- Does your OPD receive it electronically (not fax)? (REFINEO) 1. Yes, routinely 2. Yes, but not routinely 3. No 4. Unknown	2. Yes, but not routinely 3. No 4. Unknown If yes- Does your OPD send it electronically (not fax)? (REFINSEO) 1. Yes, routinely 2. Yes, but not routinely 3. No 4. Unknown

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		<p>If yes-When a patient is discharged from an inpatient setting does your OPD receive all of the information needed to continue managing the patient? (INPTCARERO) 1. Yes, routinely 2. Yes, but not routinely 3. No 4. Unknown</p>	<p>If yes-Does your OPD receive a discharge summary with clinical information from the hospital? (DISSUMO) 1. Yes, routinely 2. Yes, but not routinely 3. No 4. Unknown</p>

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		4. Unknown	<p>If yes-Can your OPD automatically incorporate the received information into your EHR system without manually entering the data? (INCORINFOO)</p> <p>1. Yes 2. No 3. Not applicable, OPD does not have EHR system 4. Unknown</p>

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11	Modified text	Please indicate whether your ED/OPD <u>electronically</u> (not fax) shares each of the following types of health data and with which types of health care providers. (LABRESE/O, IMAGREPE/O, PTPROBE/O, MEDLISTE/O, ALGLISTE/O) 1. Hospitals with which your hospital is affiliated 2. Other departments inside your hospital 3. Hospitals with which your hospital is not affiliated 4. Ambulatory providers outside your hospital a. Lab results? b. Imaging reports?	With what types of providers does your ED/OPD <u>electronically</u> (not fax) share patient health information (e.g., lab results, imaging reports, problem lists, medication lists)? (ESHAREPROVE/O) 1. Ambulatory providers inside your hospital 2. Ambulatory providers outside your hospital 3. Hospitals with which your hospital is affiliated 4. Hospitals with which your hospital is not affiliated 5. Behavioral health providers 6. Long-term care providers

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12	Moved from Ambulatory Unit Induction Form to Hospital Induction Form		How many levels are in (ESA name’s) triage system? (NUMTRLEV) 1. Three 2. Four 3. Five 4. Other – Specify (NUMTRLEV_SP) 5. Do not conduct triage

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14	Deleted item	<p>CHECK_EVISITS Text: You have indicated that none of your ambulatory surgery (centers/locations) will be seeing patients from (Reporting period begin date) to (Reporting period end date). Is that correct? 1. Yes 2. No</p>	

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15	Deleted item	<p>ASCLISTA Text: Now I have some questions about generating a report for all ambulatory surgery patients for sampling. Would you or your IT staff be able to generate a single list of ambulatory surgery cases for any of the following (centers/locations)? (Name of all ASLs)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes 2. No - ONLY 2 LOGS 3. No - More than 2 logs 	

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16	Deleted item	ASCLISTB Text: For which of these (centers/locations) can lists be combined? Enter all that apply, separate with commas 1. ASL_NAME [1-15]	
17	Deleted item	IT_CNAME Text: What is the name of the IT contact?	
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20	Deleted item	EBILLRECA Text: Now I would like to ask you some questions about your ASL. Does your ASL submit any CLAIMS electronically (electronic billing)? 1. Yes 2. No 3. Unknown	

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22	Deleted item	<p>EINSHOWA Text: How does your ASL electronically verify an individual patient's insurance eligibility? Is it through an EHR/EMR system, a stand-alone practice management system, or some other electronic system? Read answer categories out loud</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, with a stand-alone practice management system 2. Yes, with an EMR/EHR system 3. Yes, using another electronic system 4. No 	

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24	Deleted item	<p>EMEDRECA Text: Does your ASL use an electronic MEDICAL record (EMR) or electronic HEALTH record (EHR) system? Do not include billing record systems. Read answer categories out loud</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, all electronic 2. Yes, part paper and part electronic 3. No 4. Unknown 	

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29	Deleted item	<p>EDEMOGA Text: Indicate whether your ASL has each of the following computerized capabilities. Does your ASL have a computerized system for:</p> <p>Recording patient history and demographic information?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, used routinely 2. Yes, but not used routinely 3. Yes, but turned off or not used 4. No 5. Unknown 	

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44	Deleted item	<p>ERESULTA Text: Indicate whether your ASL has each of the following computerized capabilities. Does your ASL have a computerized system for: Viewing lab results?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, used routinely 2. Yes, but not used routinely 3. Yes, but turned off or not used 4. No 5. Unknown 	

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52	Deleted item	<p>ESUMA Text: Indicate whether your ASL has each of the following computerized capabilities. Does your ASL have a computerized system for:</p> <p>Providing patients with clinical summaries for each visit?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, used routinely 2. Yes, but not used routinely 3. Yes, but turned off or not used 4. No 5. Unknown 	

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55	Deleted item	EXCHSUMA/ESHAREA Text: Does your ASL share any patient health information electronically (not fax) with other providers, including hospitals, ambulatory providers, or labs? 1. Yes 2. No	

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56	Deleted item	EXCHSUM1A/ESHAREHOWA Text: How does your ASL electronically share patient health information? Enter all that apply, separate with commas 1. EHR/EMR 2. Web portal (separate from EHR/EMR) 3. Other electronic method:	

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 - (B) the impact of illness and disability of the population on the economy of the United States and on other aspects of the well-being of its population (or of such groupings),
 - (C) environmental, social, and other health hazards,
 - (D) determinants of health,
 - (E) health resources, including physicians, dentists, nurses, and other health professionals by specialty and type of practice and supply of services by hospitals, extended care facilities, home health agencies, and other health institutions,
 - (F) utilization of health care, including utilization of (i) ambulatory health services by specialties and type of practice of health professionals providing such service, and (ii) services of hospitals, extended care facilities, home health agencies, and other institutions,
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