

QECF PHASE 3 APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS LIST

Purpose: This document will help facilitate entities through the Phase 3 application by providing a brief overview of each application component.

Element 3.1: Standard Measure Use Required Documentation

- Complete the QECF Measure Information Workbook (template provided by QECF team, located in the QECF Phase 3 Toolkit) demonstrating compliance with the program requirements for any standard measures selected for public reporting.
- Rationale for selecting the standard measure, information on the relationship to existing measurement efforts, and relevance to the population examined.
- Attestation (yes/no) whether the QE is following the standard measure specifications and guidance for risk adjustment, outliers, and attribution.

Element 3.2: Alternative Measure Use Required Documentation

- Complete the *QECF Measure Information Workbook* (template provided by QECF team, located in the QECF Phase 3 Toolkit) demonstrating compliance with the program requirements for any alternative measures selected for public reporting.
- Evidence that the proposed alternative measures are more valid, reliable, responsive to consumer preferences, cost-effective, or relevant to dimensions of quality and resource use measures not addressed by standard measures.
- Documentation of stakeholder engagement and support for the use of the alternative measure(s).

Element 3.3: Provider and Public Report Design Required Documentation

- Prototypes of the confidential provider performance report and public performance report containing an understandable description of the measure used to evaluate the performance of providers or any provider rating approaches
- Description of the process that will be used for making QE reports available for the public.

End of Phase 3 Application Requirements