YOUR GUIDE TO

MACRA

Medicare Access and CHIP Reauthorization Act of 2015 (MACRA) significantly changes how Medicare will reimburse physicians in the future, emphasizing quality, value, and physicians taking more financial risk.

CMS estimates savings of $39.5 billion over 10 years

Medicare targets % payments to pay-for-performance (value):
30% by 2016 | 50% by 2018

Repeals SGR
Sustainable Growth Rate

Extends CHIP
Children’s Health Insurance Program

Shifts FFS to P4P
Medicare shifts from fee-for-service to pay-for-performance

CHOOSE PAYMENT SYSTEM

MIPS
Merit-based Incentive Payment System

APM
Alternate Payment Models

CURRENT SYSTEM
Three separate systems

NEW SYSTEM
One composite score and report

Value-based payment models that incentivize providers on quality, outcomes, and cost containment

Meaningful Use EHR
Electronic health record

Value-Based Modifiers

PQRS
Physician Quality Reporting System

Meaningful Use EHR
Electronic health record

Resource Use

Quality

Clinical Practice Improvement

ACOs
Accountable care organizations

Bundles
Bundled payment models

Medical Homes

To earn a bonus and avoid penalties, you must successfully participate in MIPS or APM
HERE’S WHAT YOU CAN DO TODAY TO PREPARE

- Participate in PQRS
  AAN.com/view/pqrs

- Know your QRUR scores
  http://ow.ly/RagSf and
  http://ow.ly/RagLA

- Meaningfully use your EHR
  AAN.com/view/EHRIncentive

- Investigate alternative payment model options in your area AAN.com/view/APM

- Check out AAN programming—in person and webinar opportunities will be available in 2016