

follow up: reimbursement penalties
 Having trouble viewing this email? [Click here](#)



Did you (or will you) get "the letter"!?

CMS to to penalize Medicare practices for MU and PQRS non-compliance

Did you - or will you - get the dreaded letter from CMS!? If you are an EP (eligible professional) who chose not to participate in the MU (Meaningful Use) program, your Medicare reimbursements may be docked 1% in 2015 and each year going forward, up to 5%.

If you don't participate in the mandatory PQRS reporting program for Medicare, you could incur additional penalties of 1.5-2%. This means some practices will be hit with penalties of 7% within the next 5 years!



Some practices are receiving PQRS letters now: that their reimbursements will be docked in 2015. Don't forget that PQRS adjustments are staggered for 2 years: penalties levied in 2015 are for not reporting 2013 PQRS data. If you fail to meet the reporting deadline for 2014 (2/28/15 - see below), you'll be penalized on your 2016 reimbursements. [Click here](#) for a quick PQRS overview or [here](#) for details.

[Click here](#) for more information about how to avoid both penalty sets going forward - and what do to if you have received a CMS letter.



PQRS Deadline is 2/28/15

Don't forget that the deadline for 2014 PQRS reporting is 2/28/15. Some registries have an earlier deadline, so if you're using a registry, be sure to check with them to confirm.

Regardless of reporting method, you'll need to have it all submitted soon. [Click here](#) for details.

Navigating the New DSM-5

"Navigating the New DSM-5" presented by Gerald D. Shulman ~ 6 CEUs for \$25 ~ Registration includes breakfast and lunch
www.lifestyleintervention.org/series

Trainings are held at a variety of locations nationwide - check the link above to find one near



you. Disclaimer: PIMSY is not affiliated in any way with LIC; this information is being shared as a potential resource for DSM-5 but is not an endorsement of the organization or training.

[Click here](#) for more information.



Leigh-Ann Renz
Business Development & Marketing Director

pimsyemr.com
877.334.8512, ext 4 (toll free)
leighann@pimsyemr.com

"If you are looking for a software that will grow as you grow and cater to your business needs, PIMSY is it." ~ Manote Prommart



If you no longer wish to receive our emails, click the link below:

[Unsubscribe](#)

PIMSY EHR
33 S Main St
Waynesville, North Carolina 28786
United States
(877) 334-8512

Delivered by:
Infusionsoft.