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OneHealth New Jersey Provides Physicians with Quality Reporting Registry

(March 27, 2018) Physicians and clinicians participating in New Jersey's health information network, OneHealth New Jersey, have a trusted choice when reporting key components of the Merit-Based Incentive Payment System (MIPS) as a part of the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services' (CMS) Quality Payment Program (QPP). OneHealth New Jersey received notification its Doctors Quality Reporting Network Qualified Clinical Data Registry for Quality Reporting (QCDR) application has the stamp of approval from CMS for 2018.

As a CMS-approved QCDR, the Doctors Quality Reporting Network can collect clinical data on behalf of participating clinicians for data submission and compute quality measures across providers, creating the potential for even higher quality scores and a more accurate, patient-centric view of the quality of care delivered. This is in stark contrast to the current model which computes quality measures from only the data in the provider's EHR.

"The benefit to using Doctors Quality Reporting Network is CMS submissions can be calculated using data directly extracted from OneHealth New Jersey, thereby decreasing the reporting burden," said Kennedy Ganti, MD, OneHealth New Jersey Advisory Committee chairman. "This helps New Jersey physicians and clinicians make the transition to value-based payments and quality reporting as efficient and as seamless as possible."

The Doctors Quality Reporting Network currently submits National Council on Quality Assurance (NCQA) and ONC certified electronic clinical quality measures (eCQMs), Advancing Care Information (ACI) and Improvement Activities (IA) to CMS. To utilize the Doctors Quality Reporting Network, physicians and clinicians must be participating members of OneHealth New Jersey.

For more information on the Doctors Quality Reporting Network and OneHealth New Jersey, visit www.onehealthnewjersey.com.

About OneHealth New Jersey

OneHealth New Jersey, a physician-led statewide health information exchange (HIE). OneHealth New Jersey, delivered in partnership with the Medical Society of New Jersey (MSNJ) and KaMMCO Health Solutions, offers a suite of health information technology tools that will allow connected physicians to share patient information while employing powerful analytic reports designed to help improve clinical outcomes, reduce inefficiencies, and positively impact patient safety.

About Medical Society of New Jersey

MSNJ is the oldest professional medical society in the United States, with over 6,500 members. MSNJ is the leading advocate for physicians in the state of New Jersey, including physicians in every specialty and practice setting. Its mission is to promote the betterment of the public health and the science and art of medicine, to enlighten public opinion in regard to the problems of medicine, and to safeguard the rights of the practitioners of medicine.

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