

## § 170.400

(C) *Laboratory test results.* At a minimum, the version of the standard specified in § 170.207(c); and

(D) *Medications.* The standard specified in § 170.207(d).

(g) *Reportable lab results.* Electronically record, modify, retrieve, and submit reportable clinical lab results in accordance with the standard (and applicable implementation specifications) specified in § 170.205(c) and, at a minimum, the version of the standard specified in § 170.207(c).

(h) *Advance directives.* Enable a user to electronically record whether a patient has an advance directive.

(i) *Calculate and submit clinical quality measures—(1) Calculate.* Electronically calculate all of the clinical quality measures specified by CMS for eligible hospitals and critical access hospitals.

(2) *Submission.* Enable a user to electronically submit calculated clinical quality measures in accordance with the standard and implementation specifications specified in § 170.205(f).

### Subpart D—Temporary Certification Program for HIT

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#### § 170.400 Basis and scope.

This subpart implements section 3001(c)(5) of the Public Health Service Act, and sets forth the rules and procedures related to the temporary certification program for health information technology administered by the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology.

#### § 170.401 Applicability.

This subpart establishes the processes that applicants for ONC-ATCB status must follow to be granted ONC-ATCB status by the National Coordinator, the processes the National Coordinator will follow when assessing applicants and granting ONC-ATCB status, the requirements that ONC-ATCBs must follow to remain in good standing, and the requirements of ONC-ATCBs for testing and certifying Complete EHRs and/or EHR Modules in accordance with the applicable certification criteria adopted by the Secretary in subpart C of this part.

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### § 170.402 Definitions.

For the purposes of this subpart:

*Applicant* means a single organization or a consortium of organizations that seeks to become an ONC-ATCB by requesting and subsequently submitting an application for ONC-ATCB status to the National Coordinator.

*Deployment site* means the physical location where a Complete EHR or EHR Module resides or is being or has been implemented.

*Development site* means the physical location where a Complete EHR or EHR Module was developed.

*ONC-ATCB or ONC-Authorized Testing and Certification Body* means an organization or a consortium of organizations that has applied to and been authorized by the National Coordinator pursuant to this subpart to perform the testing and certification of Complete EHRs and/or EHR Modules under the temporary certification program.

*Remote testing and certification* means the use of methods, including the use of web-based tools or secured electronic transmissions, that do not require an ONC-ATCB to be physically present at the development or deployment site to conduct testing and certification.

#### § 170.405 Correspondence.

(a) Correspondence and communication with the National Coordinator shall be conducted by e-mail, unless otherwise necessary. The official date of receipt of any e-mail between the National Coordinator and an applicant for ONC-ATCB status or an ONC-ATCB is the day the e-mail was sent.

(b) In circumstances where it is necessary for an applicant for ONC-ATCB status or an ONC-ATCB to correspond or communicate with the National Coordinator by regular or express mail, the official date of receipt will be the date of the delivery confirmation.

#### § 170.410 Types of testing and certification.

Applicants may seek authorization from the National Coordinator to perform the following types of testing and certification:

(a) Complete EHR testing and certification; and/or