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Tear out this Ohio KePRO calendar and post it as a reminder of upcoming deadlines and events.

Reporting Hospital Quality Data for Annual Payment Update (RHQDAPU) Program Calendar - 3Q09 reporting deadlines:

July

July 1, 2009

- Validation charts due to the CDAC.

July 8, 2009

- Deadline for submission of 1Q09 HCAHPS survey data.

August

- National Immunization Awareness Month

August 1, 2009

- Submit 1Q09 ICD-9 population and sampling counts for the inpatient quality measures to the CDW.

- Submit 1Q09 data for the outpatient quality measures to the CDW.

- Submit 1Q09 ICD-9 population and sampling counts for the outpatient quality measures to the CDW (optional).

August 15, 2009

- Submit 1Q09 data for the inpatient quality measures to the CDW.

August 31, 2009

- CDAC to send out 1Q09 validation chart requests.

September

- Healthy Aging® Month
- CMS to update Hospital Compare Web site.

LOOKING AHEAD:


October

October 1, 2009

- Submit 1Q09 validation charts to the CDAC.

October 14, 2009

- Deadline for submission of 2Q09 HCAHPS survey data.

 Reporting Hospital Quality Data for Annual Payment Update (RHQDAPU)

 Patient Safety/Prevention Events

Reminders

- Online resources.** We've added new online resources for healthcare providers to our Web site, including those related to CMS, HCAHPS, ICD-10, and legislation. Just click on the link from our home page, or go directly to the Healthcare Providers section at www.ohiokepro.com/providers.asp.
- Has your hospital experienced a change in one of the following personnel: CEO, QI contact, medical records contact, or QNet security administrator?** If so, please contact Fran Hober at fhober@ohqio.sdps.org or 216.503.5773. Fran is your contact for important CMS public reporting program changes and deadlines.
- Industry news and updates.** Be sure to check our Web site (www.ohiokepro.com) for the latest developments in healthcare.

- Advancing Excellence in America's Nursing Homes**
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