

*Hospital Transformation
Program (HTP) Community
Advisory Council (CAC)
Meeting August 16, 2021*



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Improving health care equity, access and outcomes for the people we serve while saving Coloradans money on health care and driving value for Colorado.



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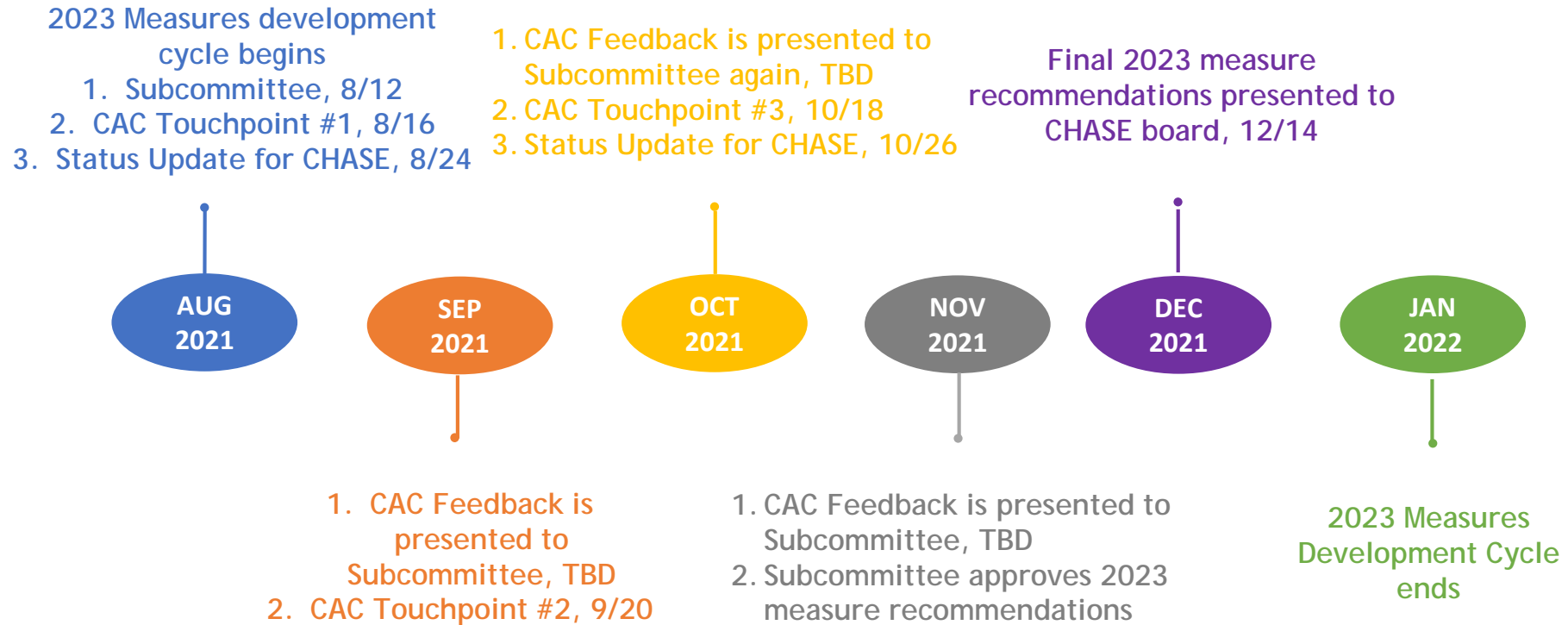
Hospital Quality Incentive Payment (HQIP) Update



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2023 HQIP Measures Development Cycle Overview



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Measure Development Process for 2023

- Recommend that measures remain unchanged. No new measures.
- Focus will be on streamlining reporting requirements where possible and clarifying requirements.
- First touchpoint with the Community Advisory Council (CAC) is today (8/16/2021).
- Subsequent touchpoints for measure specification details, and measure details finalization.



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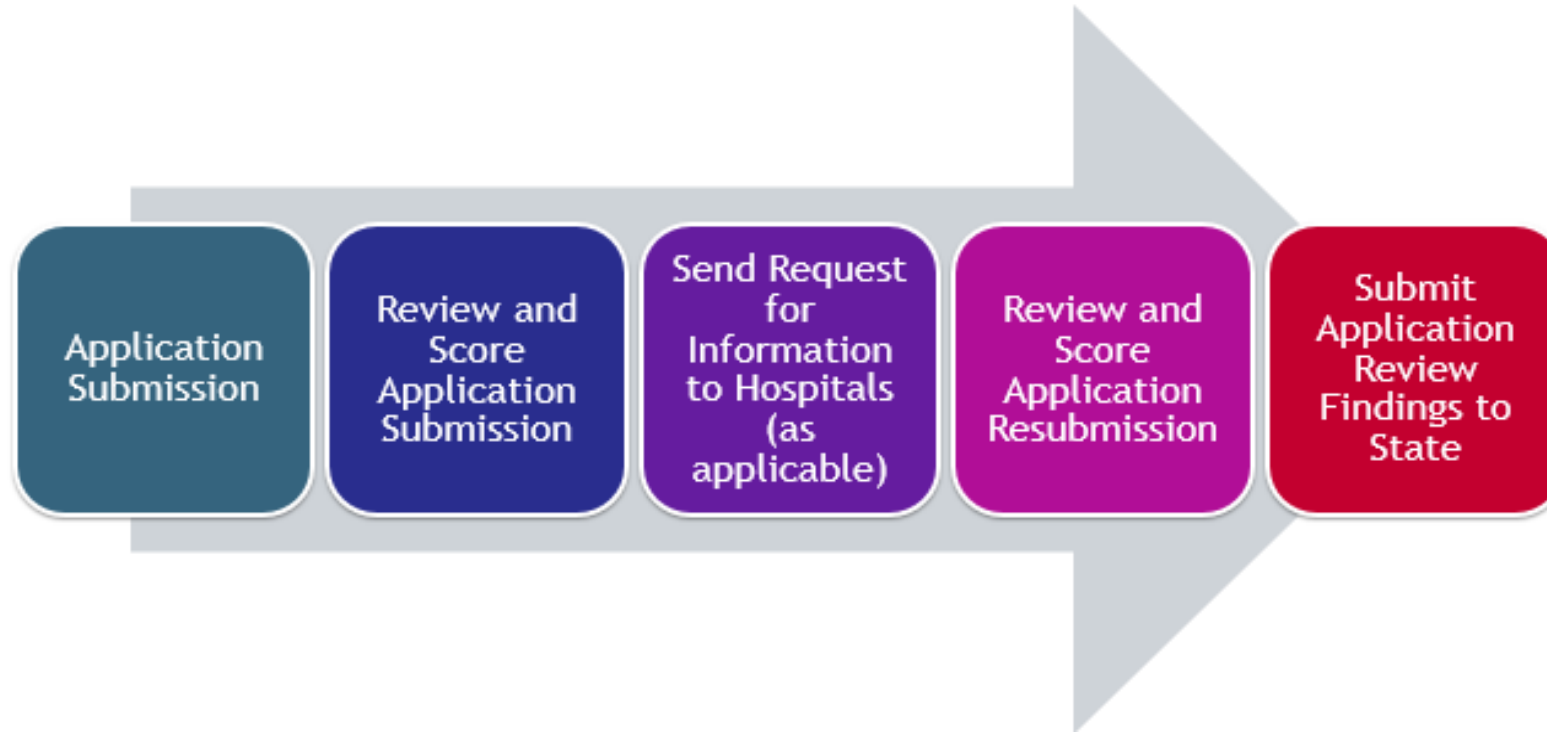
Application Review Oversight Committee (AROC) Debrief



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Application Review Process



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Application Review Oversight Committee (AROC)

- **Purpose:** evaluate the process implemented by the Department to ensure fair and equitable scores were issued and applications were complete.
- **Committee Composition:** six members (state executive branch, Regional Accountable Entity (RAE), consumer advocate, professional trade group, business community and public health organization)
- **Process:** Application Cover Sheets and final applications made available to members.
- **Results:** No member indicated disagreement with major concerns; some agreed with minor concerns and shared brief comments.



AROC Comments

- Reviewers noted that hospital systems often had same, or similar, information across all hospitals.
- Reviewers noted some instances where community engagement failed to include the whole community versus just other clinical organizations
- One member shared being hopeful about hospital approaches to avoid emergency department visits in the first place versus hospital readmission reduction.
- One member shared the perspective that hospitals working together may positively leverage the experience of their peers and accelerate learning.



Full Participation Achieved

Timeliness

All 83 applications were submitted by April 30th on time.

Achievement

All 83 applications have passing scores and have been approved by the Department for participation in HTP.



Next Steps

- Application Approval Letters to be sent next week
- Implementation Plan Submission Period: September 1 - September 30



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