Partial Hospitalization Program PEPPER Review Webinar Questions and Answers

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Q: I am a vendor that works for a hospital in a managed services arrangement. I have a QualityNet account, and I report quality data for them. Can I access the Program for Evaluating Payment Patterns Electronic Report (PEPPER) on behalf of my hospital client?

A: The PEPPER for partial hospitalization program (PHP) units of short-term acute care hospitals and inpatient psychiatric facilities (IPFs) is distributed via QualityNet to QualityNet Administrators and those with basic QualityNet accounts and the PEPPER recipient role. If you have these roles, please coordinate with hospital leadership to determine whether they are comfortable with allowing you to access the PEPPER.

Q: I already have access to QualityNet for IPF quality reporting; how can I access the *PHP PEPPER*?

A. The PEPPER is distributed via QualityNet to QualityNet Administrators and those with basic QualityNet accounts and the PEPPER recipient role. If you have these roles, you should be able to access the *PHP PEPPER* if one is available.