
Topic: Pathologists Quality Registry Technical and Logistical FAQs

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TECHNICAL AND LOGISTICAL QUESTIONS

What information is needed to enroll in the Pathologists Quality Registry?

In order to enroll in the **Pathologists Quality Registry** you will need to provide all of the information included in the enrollment checklist available at cap.org. The enrollment checklist details all the information required to enroll in the Pathologists Quality Registry.

How long does it take to enroll in the Pathologists Quality Registry?

To complete the enrollment paperwork (one time only) will take multiple steps.

Step 1: Enter all of your site's pertinent information including the physician details (e.g. TIN and NPI). For small practices (e.g. 4 physicians) this can be completed in less than 30 min, however, the time increased based on the volume of pathologists in your practice.

Step 2: Sign legal documents. The agreement with CAP will be processed immediately, however the FIGmd agreement will be submitted for signature, there will be a lag time associated with this.

Step 3: Once the FIGmd contract is signed, you will then be able to return to the system to process your payment.

Step 4: Within 3-5 business days, a FIGmd account representative will reach out to your site administrator to schedule an introductory call.

How will the Pathologists Quality Registry affect my practice workflow?

The CAP is working to enable automated data entry, however manual data entry will be available immediately. Use of the web-based forms to enter data into the Registry will require a staff person to manually enter your data.

I use paper charts in my practice. Will the Pathologists Quality Registry be able to help me report MIPS 2018?

Yes. You can use the manual data entry option for submitting data.

Will the Pathologists Quality Registry integrate with my practice's laboratory information system?

The CAP is working with APLIS/LIS vendors as we launch the **Pathologists Quality Registry**. The CAP will publish and maintain a list of vendors whom FIGmd has successfully integrated with the CAP registry. Additionally, web data entry forms are an option for practices where integration is not feasible.



How will the Pathologists Quality Registry work for data submission?

Once enrolled in the **Pathologists Quality Registry**, your practice will select the data submission methodology that works best for your practice. One option is a web interface for manual entry of case data elements for the quality measures or an automated data submission. Depending on what works for your practice you can either have the data pulled directly from your LIS or have a file pushed to the registry. Our registry partner, FIGmd, will work with your practice on the mapping of required data elements from your APLIS/LIS or other system that houses the needed data. The registry also supports attestation for improvement activities.