

Quality Insights Offers Additional Quality Payment Program (QPP) Support to Small, Underserved and Rural Practices

Since August 2016, Quality Insights, through its Medicare Quality Innovation Network (QIN), has been offering help to practices seeking to enroll and succeed in the Quality Payment Program (QPP). Now it has expanded its assistance with a new Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services-funded initiative called Quality Payment Program-Small, Underserved and Rural Support (QPP-SURS).

The Quality Insights QPP-SURS team offers technical assistance, education and networking opportunities to QPP eligible small practices (*15 or fewer clinicians*) in Delaware, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and West Virginia. Quality Insights QIN staff continue to provide QPP assistance to large practices in these states.

Quality Insights' 360-degree approach combines the latest in self-directed, e-based learning; interactive, online seminars; and social media and email outreach with personalized attention to **help small practices maximize their care quality and improve their Merit-Based Incentive Payment System (MIPS) scores.**

Specifically, Quality Insights' assistance includes:

- ✓ **Resources** – Simple, curated, online tools to improve quality and maximize Medicare Part B payments
- ✓ **Training** – Expert-led webinars and live chats archived for viewing convenience
- ✓ **Technical Assistance** – Quality experts available online and via telephone to personally guide clinicians through the QPP process
- ✓ **Networking** – Opportunities to connect with local “mentors” or share experiences, questions and solutions with other small practices working their way through the QPP process

QPP-eligible clinicians include physicians (MD/DO and DMD/DDS), podiatrists, optometrists, chiropractors, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, clinical nurse specialists, and certified registered nurse anesthetists

To get started, eligible clinicians in Delaware, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and West Virginia can visit the Quality Insights QPP-SURS website, www.qppsupport.org, and register to receive access to all of the benefits of participation. For more information, email the QPP team at qpp-surs@qualityinsights.org or call 877.497.5065. For more general information about QPP, visit <https://qpp.cms.gov> or contact the Quality Payment Program directly by calling **866.288.8292** or emailing qpp@cms.hhs.gov.



From education and training to technical assistance, Quality Insights is offering 360-degree support for small practices enrolling in QPP.

