

MIPS Year 3 (2019) – New “Opt-In” Option

▲ What happens if a clinician or group is excluded...but still wants to participate in MIPS?

➤ There are two options:

1. Voluntarily Participate

- Submit MIPS data to CMS and receive performance feedback
- You will not receive a MIPS payment adjustment regardless of performance
- Data will still be publically available on the [Medicare Physician Compare](#) website

2. Opt-In (new for 2019)

- If you are a MIPS eligible clinician type and meet or exceed at least (1) of the (3) low-volume threshold criteria, you may opt-in to MIPS participation
- If you opt-in, you'll be subject to MIPS program rules and subsequent MIPS payment adjustments (+/-/=)
- Once made, this annual decision is irrevocable **for that single program year only**
- Details on how to Opt-In are still forthcoming from CMS