Automatic Reweighting of the MIPS PI Performance Category for Certain Eligible Clinicians (ECs)

The following types of MIPS ECs qualify for **automatic** reweighting (no application needed):

Physician Assistants Physical Therapists*

Nurse Practitioners Occupational Therapists*

Clinical Nurse Specialists Speech-language Pathologists*

Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists Audiologists*

Ambulatory Surgical Center (ASC)-based MIPS ECs Clinical Psychologists*

Hospital-based MIPS ECs Registered Dieticians or Nutrition Professionals*

Non-patient facing clinicians (lack face-to-face interactions with patients)

* New MIPS Eligible Clinician types in 2019

These ECs can still report PI data if desired. If data is reported, it will be scored accordingly and will override this automatic reweighting. If data is not submitted, the PI performance category weight will be added to the Quality performance category, leaving the PI category weight at 0%.



^{**}E.g., the above MIPS ECs are <u>not required</u> to report PI data. If no PI data is reported, the EC's Quality score will be more heavily weighted.**