

## **NY Medicaid EHR Incentive Program**

Meaningful Use (MU) Stage 3 - Public Health Registry Reporting

**Grandfathering Regulation** 

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An Eligible Professional (EP) or Eligible Hospital (EH) may be eligible to count engagement with a specialized registry as active engagement under the Meaningful Use (MU) Stage 3 Public Health Registry Reporting Measure.

There are several requirements defined in the CMS Stage 3 Final Rule (80 FR 62868) for an EP or EH to meet this qualification. See below for details:

- In a prior year, the EP or EH achieved Active Engagement Option 3: Production, including production data submission with the Specialized Registry, under the Modified Stage 2 Requirements for 2015-2017
- ONC has not defined standards in the 2015 Edition Certification Criteria that apply to the Specialized Registry

## **Additional Information**

Cancer Case Reporting and Case Reporting cannot qualify for this exception because ONC has defined standards in the 2015 Edition CEHRT criteria for these types of reporting.

## **Supporting Documentation**

• For details on achieving Active Engagement for a Public Health Reporting Measure and the definition of a Specialized Registry please see <a href="Public Health FAQ #1.1">Public Health FAQ #1.1</a> and <a href="CMS FAQ #13653">CMS FAQ #13653</a>.