### Final Rule Meaningful Use Objectives and Measures – Stage 1

#### Stage 1 Objectives

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#### Stage 1 Measures

- Implement drug-allergy interaction checks.
- More than 50% of all unique patients 13 years old or older seen by the EP or admitted to the eligible hospital’s or CAH’s inpatient or emergency department (POS 21 or 23) who are prescribed a medication with a contraindication, the severity of which is related to the allergy, are alerted.
- More than 50% of all unique patients 13 years old or older admitted to the eligible hospital’s or CAH’s inpatient department (POS 21 or 23) who have a drug allergy in their problem list, medication list, and medication allergies are alerted.
- More than 80% of all unique patients seen by the EP or admitted to the eligible hospital’s or CAH’s inpatient or emergency department (POS 21 or 23) whose drug allergies have been entered into the problem list, medication list, and medication allergies have been maintained.
- More than 50% of all unique patients 65 years old or older admitted to the eligible hospital’s or CAH’s inpatient department (POS 21 or 23) who have a drug allergy in their problem list, medication list, and medication allergies are alerted.
- More than 50% of all unique patients 13 years old or older seen by the EP or admitted to the eligible hospital’s or CAH’s inpatient or emergency department (POS 21 or 23) whose drug allergies have been entered into the problem list, medication list, and medication allergies have been maintained.

#### Certifiers Reporting Stage 1 Meaningful Use Objectives and Measures

- [Eligible Professionals](#) and Eligible Hospital, CAH required to satisfy all core set objectives.
- [Eligible Professionals](#), Eligible Hospitals or CAHs required to satisfy all core set objectives.
- [NPRM Certification Language](#) includes all core set objectives.
- [FINAL RULE - Certification Language](#) includes all core set objectives.

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### Notes

- **Eligible Professionals**: Any source of healthcare that can submit claims for reimbursement of services rendered to Medicare or Medicaid beneficiaries.
- **Eligible Hospitals**: Hospitals that are Medicare Part B eligible (i.e., have a Medicare certification number).
- **CAHs**: Certified Ambulatory Care Health Facilities.

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