



TO: NAPHS Members

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RE: **CMS ANNOUNCES DELAY IN IPF QR WEB AVAILABILITY**

NAPHS has just received the following notice from the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS):

IPFQR Data Collection QualityNet Web Application Delay:

This notification is to announce a delay in the availability of the Inpatient Psychiatric Facility Quality Reporting Program (IPFQR) QualityNet web application for reporting FY 2014 data.

Due to system constraints the data collection application will **not** be available on July 2, 2013, as scheduled.

Facilities will be notified on QualityNet (www.qualitynet.org) and the IPFQR listserv* when the application is available.

CMS regrets any inconvenience that this delay has caused.

Following the release of the application, CMS will assess the need to adjust the data submission deadline and further communication will be distributed at that time.

If you have questions, please direct them to the IPF-PCH Support Help Desk at 888-961-6425 or email IPF-PCHQRSupport@telligen.org.

* **NOTE:** If you have not done so already, go to <https://www.qualitynet.org/dcs/ContentServer?pagename=QnetPublic/ListServe/Register> to sign up for the IPF QR listserv.