

## Hospitals Must Attest by November 30 to Receive Payment for 2013 EHR Incentive Program Participation

The last day that eligible hospitals and critical access hospitals (CAHs) can register and submit attestation in for the FY 2013 Medicare EHR Incentive Program is November 30, 2013. Eligible hospitals and CAHs must successfully attest to demonstrating meaningful use by November 30 to receive a 2013 incentive payment. Hospitals must attest to demonstrating meaningful use *every year* to receive an incentive and avoid a payment adjustment.

### *Medicaid Eligible Hospitals*

Hospitals participating in the Medicaid EHR Incentive Program need to refer to their [state deadlines](#) for attestation.

### *Payment Adjustments*

Payment adjustments will be applied beginning FY 2015 (October 1, 2014) to Medicare eligible hospitals that have not successfully demonstrated meaningful use. The adjustment is determined by the hospital's reporting period in a prior year. Read the eligible hospital [payment adjustment tip sheet](#) to learn more.

### *Resources*

- [Meaningful Use Attestation Calculator](#)
- [Attestation Worksheet for Eligible Hospitals and CAHs](#)
- [Attestation Guide for Eligible Hospitals](#)
- [Payment Adjustment Tipsheet for Eligible Hospitals](#)

### *Plan Ahead*

Review all of the important dates for the EHR Incentive Programs on the [Health Information Technology Timeline](#).