

JCPP Presentation:

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Background Reading:

CMS - Quality Payment Program: Delivery System Reform, Medicare Payment Reform, & MACRA

<https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Quality-Initiatives-Patient-Assessment-Instruments/Value-Based-Programs/MACRA-MIPS-and-APMs/MACRA-MIPS-and-APMs.html>

CMS - Macra: New Opportunities For Medicare Providers Through Innovative Payment Systems (Updated)

<http://healthaffairs.org/blog/2015/09/28/macra-new-opportunities-for-medicare-providers-through-innovative-payment-systems-3/>

Administration takes first step to implement legislation modernizing how Medicare pays physicians for quality

<http://www.hhs.gov/about/news/2016/04/27/administration-takes-first-step-implement-legislation-modernizing-how-medicare-pays-physicians.html>

Congress.Gov - H.R.2 - Medicare Access and CHIP Reauthorization Act of 2015

<https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-bill/2/text>

AAFP - Resources for the Medicare Access and CHIP Reauthorization Act of 2015

<http://www.aafp.org/practice-management/payment/medicare-payment.html>

AMA: Understanding Medicare Payment Reform (MACRA)

<http://www.ama-assn.org/ama/pub/advocacy/topics/medicare-physician-payment-reform.page>

FAQs - <http://www.aafp.org/practice-management/payment/medicare-payment/faq.html>

DHHS - Medicare Program; Merit-Based Incentive Payment System (MIPS) and Alternative Payment Model (APM) Incentive under the Physician Fee Schedule, and Criteria for Physician-Focused Payment Models

<https://s3.amazonaws.com/public-inspection.federalregister.gov/2016-10032.pdf>

Breaking Down The Macra Proposed Rule

<http://healthaffairs.org/blog/2016/04/29/breaking-down-the-macra-proposed-rule/>

CMS Makes \$10M Available to Support MACRA Implementation

<https://ehrintelligence.com/news/cms-makes-10m-available-to-support-macra-implementation>

Overview of the Medicare Access and CHIP Reauthorization Act (MACRA)

<http://www.nationalpartnership.org/research-library/health-care/CBC/npwf-macra-webinar.pdf>

NCQA Comments on CMS Quality Measure Development Plan: Supporting the Transition to MIPS and APMs - See more at: <http://www.ncqa.org/public-policy/macra#sthash.FZoEepiJ.dpuf>

<http://www.ncqa.org/public-policy/macra>

Medicare Access and CHIP Reauthorization Act of 2015 Merit-Based Incentive Payment System and Alternative Payment Model Provisions

<http://www.ahqa.org/sites/default/files/images/Understanding%20MACRA.pdf>

Medicare Access and CHIP Reauthorization Act of 2015

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Medicare_Access_and_CHIP_Reauthorization_Act_of_2015

MACRA/Quality Payment Program

<https://www.acponline.org/practice-resources/business-resources/payment/medicare/macra>

Misc Vendors –

MACRA: Disrupting the health care system at every level

Medicare Access and CHIP Reauthorization Act of 2015

http://www2.deloitte.com/us/en/pages/life-sciences-and-health-care/articles/macra.html?id=us:2ps:3gl:macra:awa:chs:060316:mEX&gclid=CjwKEAjkPS6BRD2ioKR7K245jASJAD1ZqHOgathMkk2k-t-MukHWe0NhUPWMyM4TN-6wcROGnwO0RoC3R3w_wcB

Are you ready for the MACRA Law?

[http://www.lightbeamhealth.com/macra-](http://www.lightbeamhealth.com/macra-law.html?gclid=CjwKEAjkPS6BRD2ioKR7K245jASJAD1ZqHOgathMkk2k-t-MukHWe0NhUPWMyM4TN-6wcROGnwO0RoC3R3w_wcB)

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MIPS PRO

http://mipspro.com/mips101/?gclid=CjwKEAjkPS6BRD2ioKR7K245jASJAD1ZqHOgathMkk2k-t-MukHWe0NhUPWMyM4TN-6wcROGnwO0RoC3R3w_wcB

10 FAQs About the Merit-Based Incentive Payment System (MIPS)

<http://www.saignite.com/resources/faq-about-merit-based-incentive-payment-mips>

MACRA 101 - Condensed guide to MACRA, MIPS, and APMs

<http://optimityadvisors.com/insights/blog/macra-101-condensed-guide-macra-mips-and-apms>

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