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PRO Toolkit Submission Instructions

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Patient Reported Outcomes (PROs) Toolkit Submission Criteria and Instructions

Who should submit? We invite resources that describe, analyze, and, sometimes, pose solutions to governance challenges that arise in the course of sharing electronic data for CER, PCOR, and QI.

What types of submissions are allowed? Submissions must pertain to at least one of the following use cases: patient care, quality improvement, health research, or policy/external accountability. Submissions must also align with following implementation considerations for PROs, including:

- Measure/Instrument Selection
- Scoring, Interpretation and Display of Results
- Adapting Workflow to Support PRO Collection
- Tools and Systems to Capture PROs

Submissions may include a range of different resource types, such as case studies, guidance documents, discussion guides, workflows, training materials, displays of results, stakeholder engagement and participation information, publications, and legal, policy, and protocol documents, among others. Submissions should be applicable to electronic health data (e.g. data generated from electronic health records).

How will my submission be reviewed? EDM Forum staff will review submitted content for clarity, spelling/grammar, and consistency. It is the responsibility of the contributor(s) to ensure that the content and descriptions are complete and accurate to allow for rapid publishing of submissions.

Staff will follow up with all contributors via the email address provided in the submission form to ensure the provenance of the submitted material is authentic.

How will my resource be shared and who will see it? Submissions that meet the criteria stated above will be posted on the eRepository and listed below. The contributor's information, including name and institution, will be posted along with an abstract describing the resource. The community will be promoted through our monthly EDM Forum Update newsletter to a broad range of stakeholders (including patients and consumers; employers, payers, and purchasers; industry; practicing physicians; federal/state/local government officials; policymakers; researchers; and health delivery systems) who will be invited to review and comment on the resources. Please note that the resources shared in this space are intended to inform the work of others implementing the use of PROs.

Note: It is at the discretion of the EDM Forum to include any resource posted in the PRO toolkit.

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