

CY 2026 CRP – ECIP Calendar

Activity	Hospital Tasks	HSCRC/CRISP Tasks	CMS Tasks
Care Partner Vetting to determine eligibility for participate	4/3/26 to CRISP (<i>provider participation July through December 2026</i>) 8/28/26 to CRISP (<i>provider participation CY 2027</i>)	4/17/26 to CMS	6/17/26 inform CRISP of results 12/16/26 inform CRISP of results
Care Partner Certification to identify participating care partners who will have a care partner agreement with hospital	12/16/25 to CRISP (<i>provider participation January through June 2026</i>) 6/17/26 to CRISP (<i>provider participation July through December 2026</i>) 12/16/26 to CRISP (<i>provider participation January through June 2027</i>)	1/6/26 to CMS	NA NA NA
CRP Report	3/16/26 to CRISP (<i>Q3–Q4 2025</i>) 9/11/26 to CRISP (<i>Q1–Q2 2026</i>)	4/17/26 to CMS	NA NA
State CRP Monitoring Report	NA	6/17/26 to CMS (<i>Q3–Q4 2025</i>) 12/2/26 to CMS (<i>Q1–Q2 2026</i>)	NA
Track Implementation Templates for CY 2027 (Performance Period 12)	NA	6/26/26 new Templates to CMS 7/17/26 existing Template amendments to CMS	8/28/26 accept or reject new Templates 9/16/26 accept or reject existing Template amendments
Implementation Protocols for CY 2027 (Performance Period 12)	10/30/26 to CRISP	12/1/26 to CMS	12/16/26 accept or reject Implementation Protocols
Participation Agreements for hospitals new to CRP	10/31/26 to CRISP	12/1/26 to CMS	12/31/26 fully execute Agreements
Hospital Incentive Payment Pools	NA	3/3/26 to CMS (<i>Q1–Q2 2025</i>) 10/2/26 to CMS (<i>Q3–Q4 2025</i>)	NA
Care Partner Incentive Payment Cap	NA	NA	4/3/26 to HSCRC
Hospitals Begin to Make Incentive Payments to Care Partners for CY 2025 (PP10)	11/3/26	NA	NA

CY 2026 CRP – EQIP Calendar

Activity	Applicable to EQIP PC	EQIP Entity Tasks	HSCRC/CRISP Tasks	CMS Tasks
Care Partner Vetting to determine eligibility for participate.	Yes*	8/28/26 via EQIP Entity Portal <i>(provider participation CY 2027)</i>	9/11/26 to CMS	10/20/25 inform CRISP of vetting results ¹
Care Partner Certification to identify participating care partners	Yes	NA	2/6/26 to CMS	NA
State CRP Monitoring Report	Yes <i>(beginning Q1–Q2 2025)</i>	NA	6/17/26 to CMS <i>(Q3–Q4 2025)</i> 12/2/26 to CMS <i>(Q1–Q2 2026)</i>	NA
Track Implementation Templates for CY 2027 (Performance Period 12)	Yes	NA	7/17/26 Template amendments to CMS	9/16/26 accept or reject Template amendments
Implementation Protocol for CY 2027 (Performance Period 12)	Yes	NA	10/30/26 to CMS	12/16/26 final accept or reject
Hospital Incentive Payment Pools²	No	NA	3/3/26 <i>(Q1–Q2 2025)</i> 10/2/26 to CMS <i>(Q3–Q4 2025)</i>	NA
Physician Incentive Payment Cap	No	NA	NA	4/3/26 to HSCRC

¹ CMS vetting results will be based on PECOS and program integrity review. CMS will complete law enforcement review at a subsequent date. HSCRC/CRISP will remove Care Partners that fail law enforcement review.

² Dates are estimates depending on data availability.