



## Comparison of the 2014 Edition & 2015 Edition Certification Criteria

<u>2014 Edition Certification Criteria</u>	<u>2015 Edition Certification Criteria</u>	
<b>Clinical</b>		
<b>Computerized Provider Order Entry (CPOE)</b> (§ 170.314(a)(1))	<b>UNCHANGED</b>  except the addition of an optional “reason for order” field	<b>Computerized Provider Order Entry (CPOE) – Medications</b> (§ 170.315(a)(1))
		<b>Computerized Provider Order Entry (CPOE) – Laboratory</b> (§ 170.315(a)(2))
		<b>Computerized Provider Order Entry (CPOE) – Diagnostic Imaging</b> (§ 170.315(a)(3))
<b>Drug-Drug, Drug-Allergy Interaction Checks</b> (§ 170.314(a)(2))	<b>UNCHANGED</b>	<b>Drug-Drug, Drug-Allergy Interaction Checks for CPOE</b> (§ 170.315(a)(4))
<b>Demographics</b> (§ 170.314(a)(3))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Demographics</b> (§ 170.315(a)(5))
<b>Vital Signs, Body Mass Index, and Growth Charts</b> (§ 170.314(a)(4))	<b>NO SIMILAR CRITERION ADOPTED</b>	
<b>Problem List</b> (§ 170.314(a)(5))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Problem List</b> (§ 170.315(a)(6))
<b>Medication List</b> (§ 170.314(a)(6))	<b>UNCHANGED</b>	<b>Medication List</b> (§ 170.315(a)(7))



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<b>Clinical, continued</b>		
<b>Medication Allergy List</b> (§ 170.314(a)(7))	<b>UNCHANGED</b>	<b>Medication Allergy List</b> (§ 170.315(a)(8))
<b>Clinical Decision Support</b> (§ 170.314(a)(8))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Clinical Decision Support</b> (§ 170.315(a)(9))
<b>Electronic Notes</b> (§ 170.314(a)(9))	<b>NO SIMILAR CRITERION ADOPTED</b>	
<b>Drug-Formulary Checks</b> (§ 170.314(a)(10))	<b>UNCHANGED</b> except reorganized the criterion for clarity	<b>Drug-Formulary and Preferred Drug List Checks</b> (§ 170.315(a)(10))
<b>Smoking Status</b> (§ 170.314(a)(11))	<b>REVISED</b> in that compliance with a standard is no longer required, but <b>UNCHANGED</b> for the purposes of gap certification	<b>Smoking List</b> (§ 170.315(a)(11))
<b>Image Results</b> (§ 170.314(a)(12))	<b>NO SIMILAR CRITERION ADOPTED</b>	
<b>Family Health History</b> (§ 170.314(a)(13))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Family Health History</b> (§ 170.315(a)(12))



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<b>Patient List Creation</b> (§ 170.314(a)(14))	<b>NO SIMILAR CRITERION ADOPTED</b>	
<b>Patient-Specific Education</b> (§ 170.314(a)(15))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Patient-Specific Education Resources</b> (§ 170.315(a)(13))
<b>Inpatient Setting Only – Electronic Medication Administration Record</b> (§ 170.314(a)(16))	<b>NO SIMILAR CRITERION ADOPTED</b>	
<b>Inpatient Setting Only – Advance Directives</b> (§ 170.314(a)(17))	<b>See Patient Health Information Capture</b> (§ 170.315(e)(3))	
<b>Optional – Computerized Provider Order Entry – Medications</b> (§ 170.314(a)(18))	<b>Computerized Provider Order Entry (CPOE) – Medications</b> (§ 170.315(a)(1))	
<b>Optional – Computerized Provider Order Entry – Laboratory</b> (§ 170.314(a)(19))	<b>Computerized Provider Order Entry (CPOE) – Laboratory</b> (§ 170.315(a)(2))	
<b>Optional – Computerized Provider Order Entry – Diagnostic Imaging</b> (§ 170.314(a)(20))	<b>Computerized Provider Order Entry (CPOE) – Diagnostic Imaging</b> (§ 170.315(a)(3))	
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Implantable Device List</b> (§ 170.315(a)(14))
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Social, Psychological, and Behavioral Data</b> (§ 170.315(a)(15))



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<b>Care Coordination</b>		
<b>Transitions of Care – Receive, Display, and Incorporate Transition of Care/Referral Summaries</b> (§ 170.314(b)(1))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Transitions of Care</b> (§ 170.315(b)(1))  In addition to revised functionality, certain functionality was separated out into other criteria (see § 170.315(b)(2) and § 170.315(h)(1) and (2))
<b>Transitions of Care – Create and Display Transition of Care/Referral Summaries</b> (§ 170.314(b)(2))		
<b>Electronic Prescribing</b> (§ 170.314(b)(3))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Electronic Prescribing</b> (§ 170.315(b)(3))
<b>Clinical Information Reconciliation</b> (§ 170.314(b)(4))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Clinical Information Reconciliation and Incorporation</b> (§ 170.315(b)(2))
<b>Incorporate Laboratory Tests and Values/Results</b> (§ 170.314(b)(5))	<b>NO SIMILAR CRITERION ADOPTED</b>	
<b>Inpatient Setting Only – Transmission of Electronic Laboratory Tests and Values/Results to Ambulatory Providers</b> (§ 170.314(b)(6))	<b>NO SIMILAR CRITERION ADOPTED</b>	
<b>Data Portability</b> (§ 170.314(b)(7))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Data Export</b> (§ 170.315(b)(6))
<b>Optional – Transitions of Care</b> (§ 170.314(b)(8))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Transitions of Care</b> (§ 170.315(b)(1))
<b>Optional – Clinical Information Reconciliation and Incorporation</b> (§ 170.314(b)(9))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Clinical Information Reconciliation and Incorporation</b> (§ 170.315(b)(2))



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<b>Care Coordination, continued</b>		
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Common Clinical Data Set Summary Record – Create</b> (§ 170.315(b)(4))
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Common Clinical Data Set Summary Record – Receive</b> (§ 170.315(b)(5))
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Data Segmentation for Privacy – Send</b> (§ 170.315(b)(7))
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Data Segmentation for Privacy – Receive</b> (§ 170.315(b)(8))
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Care Plan</b> (§ 170.315(b)(9))
<b>Clinical Quality Measures</b>		
<b>Clinical Quality Measures – Capture and Export</b> (§ 170.314(c)(1))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Clinical Quality Measures – Record and Export</b> (§ 170.315(c)(1))
<b>Clinical Quality Measures – Import and Calculate</b> (§ 170.314(c)(2))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Clinical Quality Measures – Import and Calculate</b> (§ 170.315(c)(2))
<b>Clinical Quality Measures – Electronic Submission</b> (§ 170.314(c)(3))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Clinical Quality Measures – Report</b> (§ 170.315(c)(3))



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<b>Clinical Quality Measures, continued</b>		
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Clinical Quality Measures – Filter</b> (§ 170.315(c)(4))
<b>Privacy and Security</b>		
<b>Authentication, Access Control, and Authorization</b> (§ 170.314(d)(1))	<b>UNCHANGED</b>	<b>Authentication, Access Control, and Authorization</b> (§ 170.315(d)(1))
<b>Auditable Events and Tamper-Resistance</b> (§ 170.314(d)(2))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Auditable Events and Tamper Resistance</b> (§ 170.315(d)(2))
<b>Audit Report(s)</b> (§170.314(d)(3))	<b>UNCHANGED</b>	<b>Audit Reports</b> (§ 170.315(d)(3))
<b>Amendments</b> (§ 170.314(d)(4))	<b>UNCHANGED</b>	<b>Amendments</b> (§ 170.315(d)(4))
<b>Automatic Log-Off</b> (§ 170.314(d)(5))	<b>UNCHANGED</b>	<b>Automatic Access Time-Out</b> (§ 170.315(d)(5))
<b>Emergency Access</b> (§ 170.314(d)(6))	<b>UNCHANGED</b>	<b>Emergency Access</b> (§ 170.315(d)(6))
<b>End-User Device Encryption</b> (§ 170.314(d)(7))	<b>UNCHANGED</b>	<b>End-User Device Encryption</b> (§ 170.315(d)(7))



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<b>Clinical Quality Measures, continued</b>		
<b>Integrity</b> (§ 170.314(d)(8))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Integrity</b> (§ 170.315(d)(8))
<b>Optional – Accounting of Disclosures</b> (§ 170.314(d)(9))	<b>UNCHANGED</b>	<b>Accounting of Disclosures</b> (§ 170.315(d)(11))
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Trusted Connection</b> (§ 170.315(d)(9))
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Auditing Actions on Health Information</b> (§ 170.315(d)(10))
<b>Patient Engagement</b>		
<b>View, Download, and Transmit to 3<sup>rd</sup> Party</b> (§ 170.314(e)(1))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>View, Download, and Transmit to 3<sup>rd</sup> Party</b> (§ 170.315(e)(1))
<b>Ambulatory Setting Only – Clinical Summary</b> (§ 170.314(e)(2))	<b>REVISED</b>	See Common Clinical Data Set Summary Record – Create (§ 170.315(b)(4)) and Common Clinical Data Set Summary Record – Receive (§ 170.315(b)(5))
<b>Ambulatory Setting Only – Secure Messaging</b> (§ 170.314(e)(3))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Secure Messaging</b> (§ 170.315(e)(2))



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<b>Patient Engagement, continued</b>		
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Patient Health Information Capture</b> (§ 170.315(e)(3))
<b>Public Health</b>		
<b>Immunization Information</b> (§ 170.314(f)(1))	<b>NO SIMILAR CRITERION ADOPTED</b>	
<b>Transmission to Immunization Registries</b> (§ 170.314(f)(2))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Transmission to Immunization Registries</b> (§ 170.315(f)(1))
<b>Transmission to Public Health Agencies – Syndromic Surveillance</b> (§ 170.314(f)(3))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Transmission to Public Health Agencies – Syndromic Surveillance</b> (§ 170.315(f)(2))
<b>Optional – Ambulatory Setting Only – Transmission to Public Health Agencies –Syndromic Surveillance</b> (§ 170.314(f)(7))	<b>NO SIMILAR CRITERION ADOPTED</b>	
<b>Inpatient Setting Only – Transmission of Reportable Laboratory Tests and Values/Results</b> (§ 170.314(f)(4))	<b>UNCHANGED</b>	<b>Transmission to Public Health Agencies – Reportable Laboratory Tests and Values/Results</b> (§ 170.315(f)(3))
<b>Optional – Ambulatory Setting Only – Cancer Case Information</b> (§ 170.314(f)(5))	<b>NO SIMILAR CRITERION ADOPTED</b>	
<b>Optional – Ambulatory Setting Only – Transmission to Cancer Registries</b> (§ 170.314(f)(6))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Transmission to Cancer Registries</b> (§ 170.315(f)(4))



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<b>Public Health, continued</b>		
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Transmission to Public Health Agencies – Electronic Case Reporting</b> (§ 170.315(f)(5))
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Transmission to Public Health Agencies – Antimicrobial Use and Resistance Reporting</b> (§ 170.315(f)(6))
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Transmission to Public Health Agencies – Health Care Surveys</b> (§ 170.315(f)(7))
<b>Design and Performance/Utilization</b>		
<b>Automated Numerator Recording</b> (§ 170.314(g)(1))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Automated Numerator Recording</b> (§ 170.315(g)(1))
<b>Automated Measure Calculation</b> (§ 170.314(g)(2))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Automated Measure Calculation</b> (§ 170.315(g)(2))
<b>Safety-Enhanced Design</b> (§ 170.314(g)(3))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Safety-Enhanced Design</b> (§ 170.315(g)(3))
<b>Quality Management System</b> (§ 170.314(g)(4))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Quality Management System</b> (§ 170.315(g)(4))
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Accessibility-Centered Design</b> (§ 170.315(g)(5))
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Consolidated CDA Creation Performance</b> (§ 170.315(g)(6))



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<b>Design and Performance/Utilization, continued</b>		
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Application Access – Patient Selection</b> (§ 170.315(g)(7))
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Application Access – Data Category Request</b> (§ 170.315(g)(8))
	<b>NEW</b>	<b>Application Access – All Data Request</b> (§ 170.315(g)(9))
<b>Transport Methods and Other Protocols</b>		
<b>Optional – Applicability Statement for Secure Health Transport</b> (§ 170.314(h)(1))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Direct Project</b> (§ 170.315(h)(1))
<b>Transport and XDR/XDM for Direct Messaging</b> (§ 170.314(h)(2))	<b>REVISED</b>	<b>Direct Project , Edge Protocol, and XDR/XDM</b> (§ 170.315(h)(2))
<b>Optional – SOAP Transport and Security Specification and XDR/XDM for Direct Messaging</b> (§ 170.314(h)(3))	<b>NO SIMILAR CRITERION ADOPTED</b>	