

Improvement Activity Attestation Using the NACOR Dashboard

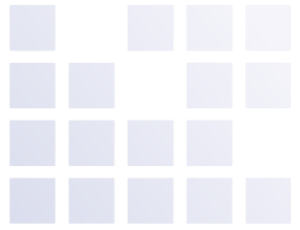
Individual and Group Reporting

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Improvement Activity Requirements

AQI Resources for Improvement Activities:

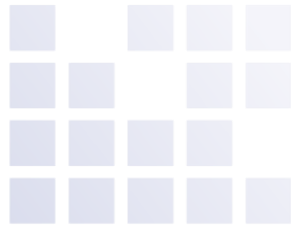
- [Recommended Improvement Activities for Anesthesiology \(PDF\)](#)
 - [Improvement Activity Recommendation Flowchart \(PDF\)](#)
 - [ASA MIPS Improvement Activities Templates](#)
- Practices need to perform or participate in any improvement activity for a minimum of 90 days (**Last 90-day period started 10/1/19**)
 - Practices do not need to submit any documentation to AQI, but should keep documentation within practice for 6 years
 - Improvement Activity component requirement is 40 points total

For Individual Reporting Practices: How to Attest



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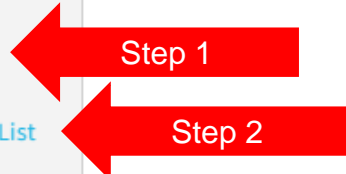
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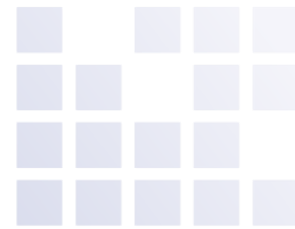


Individual Provider Attestation

Log in to the NACOR dashboard, and select Quality Measure then select Improvement Activity List located on the left side menu

The screenshot shows the NACOR dashboard interface. At the top left is the NACOR logo with the tagline 'Anesthesia Quality Institute®'. Below the logo are two dropdown menus: the first is labeled 'ORS Test Practice x' and the second is labeled 'XXXXX3333(DCAA) x'. Below these are five menu items: 'Dashboard', 'Quality Measures', 'Improvement Activity List', 'Provider Performance List', and 'TIN Performance Summary'. The 'Improvement Activity List' item is highlighted in blue.





Individual Provider Attestation

– To attest to a new Improvement Activity (IA) click 

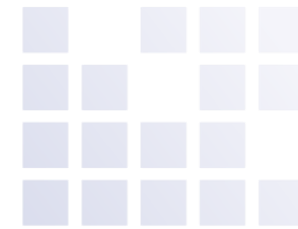
2019 Individual Improvement Activities Multiple Add

The form is titled "Improvement Activity" and contains the following fields:

- Select Activity:** A drop-down menu. **Step 1:** Select your IA from the drop-down menu.
- Start Date:** A text input field with a placeholder "mm/dd/yyyy".
- End Date:** A text input field with a placeholder "mm/dd/yyyy".
- Documentation Date:** A text input field with a placeholder "mm/dd/yyyy". **Step 2:** Enter the start, end, and documentation dates (min. 90-day period).
- Weight:** A text input field.
- Comment:** A large text area. **Optional field (e.g. record documentation)** points to this field.

Below the form is a "Providers" section:

- Select all:** A checkbox. **To attest for all providers click here** points to this checkbox.
- Seven checkboxes with labels: ", - 3000000001" through ", - 3000000007". **Step 3:** Select the box for the provider for which you are attesting for.
- Add:** A button. **Step 4:** Select to save IA.



Individual Provider Attestation

To view Improvement Activities by provider select the provider NPI from the drop-down menu

2019 Individual Improvement Activities

Providers

Select the drop down and select the provider to view their IA list



IA list will appear in this box

Select the edit icon

Improvement Activity	Start Date	End Date	Documentation Date	Weight	
IA_AHE_1 - Engagement of New Medicaid Patients and Follow-up	01/01/2019	03/31/2019	04/01/2019	High	

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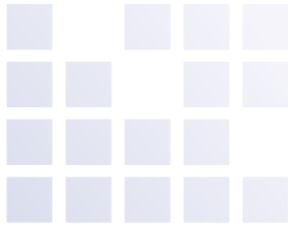
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For Group Reporting Practices: How to Attest



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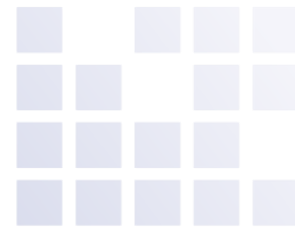
Group Reporting Attestation

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Annotations include:

- A red box with the text "Use the drop-down menu to select TIN* (For practices that may have multiple TINs)" with an arrow pointing to the second drop-down menu.
- A red arrow labeled "Step 1" pointing to the "Quality Measures" menu item.
- A red arrow labeled "Step 2" pointing to the "Improvement Activity List" menu item.



Group Reporting Attestation

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2019 Group Improvement Activities



Step 1: Select your IA from the drop-down menu



Optional field (e.g. record documentation)

Improvement Activity

Select Activity

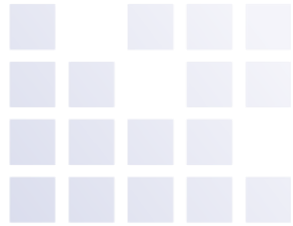
Start Date: mm/dd/yyyy End Date: mm/dd/yyyy Documentation Date: 11/04/2019 Weight

Comment

Step 4: Select to save IA

Step 2: Enter the start, end, and documentation dates (min. 90-day period)



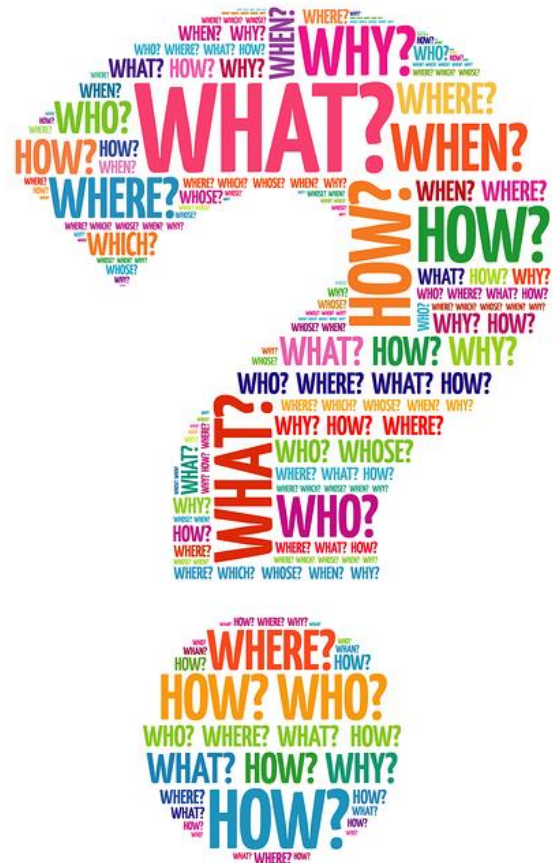
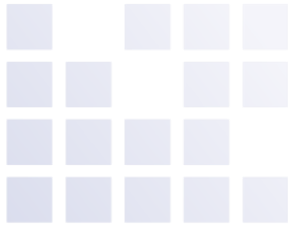
Group Reporting Attestation

To view or edit the list of Improvement Activities (IA) that the group is attesting to:

The screenshot shows the NACOR (Anesthesia Quality Institute) interface for 2019 Group Improvement Activities. The left sidebar contains navigation options: Dashboard, Quality Measures, Improvement Activity List (highlighted with a red arrow labeled 'Step 2'), Provider Performance List, TIN Performance Summary, Data, Data Export, Historic Submissions, Resources, Admin, and Account. The main content area displays a table of activities. A red arrow labeled 'Verify TIN' points to the 'ORS Test Practice x' dropdown menu. Another red arrow labeled 'To edit activity' points to the edit icon in the first row of the table.

Improvement Activity	Start Date	End Date	Documentation Date	Weight	
IA_PSPA_1 - Participation in an AHRQ-listed patient safety organization.	01/01/2019	12/31/2019		Medium	
IA_BE_13 - Regularly assess the patient experience of care through surveys, advisory councils and/or other mechanisms.	01/01/2019	01/01/2019	06/19/2019	Medium	
IA_BE_4 - Engagement of patients through implementation of improvements in patient portal	01/01/2019	12/31/2019	06/20/2019	Medium	

3 total



Questions

If you need assistance attesting to the Improvement Activities email askaqi@asahq.org.