



**QUALIFIED ENTITY CERTIFICATION PROGRAM**  
FOR MEDICARE DATA



## Qualified Entity Profile

# California Healthcare Performance Information System

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The **California Healthcare Performance Information System (CHPI)** is a nonprofit, public benefit corporation, whose mission is to serve as a trusted source of health care data to measure the quality and affordability of care, report performance ratings and educate the public about health care value, and drive improvements in health care in California.

### CHPI's key objectives are to:

- Produce performance ratings of physicians, medical groups, hospitals, and other providers
- Educate the public about performance information and support policies to reduce barriers to obtaining such information
- Achieve measurement system efficiencies by serving as a central claims data resource in California:
  - Integrate Medicare claims into the CHPI data set as a designated Medicare Qualified Entity
  - Create and administer a multipayer claims database: aggregate, score, and report data supplied by multiple California health plans, Medicare, and other data suppliers.

**CHPI's current activities build upon 6 years of performance measurement work conducted by health plans and the Pacific Business Group on Health. Its participation in the QE program will increase the number of covered lives in its data set from 7 million to 12 million! CHPI was the first QE to receive Medicare data under the QE program.**



By integrating Medicare fee-for-service (FFS) claims data into its current data sources, CHPI estimates an increase in the proportion of covered lives represented in its dataset to 40%. From this dataset, CHPI will produce comparative provider performance reports.



### Interested in becoming a Certified Qualified Entity?

Register your entity as "Interested in being a QE" on the QCEP registration page: [www.qemedicaredata.org/SitePages/register.aspx](http://www.qemedicaredata.org/SitePages/register.aspx)



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