

INCENTIVE PAYMENTS

INFORMATION
FOR ELIGIBLE PROVIDERS

Payment information for the EHR Incentive Program for Eligible Providers (EPs)

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact our Meaningful Use Support team at 877-952-7477 or by email at support@crisphealth.org. All specific questions related to meaningful use public health objectives can be directed to dhmf.mu_ph@maryland.gov

Overview

An EP can receive a total of \$63,750 over the course of six years. Payment years do not need to be consecutive (for example, if you do not meet the meaningful use criteria, you may skip payment years). EPs must initiate participation no later than 2016. In the first year of the program, EPs will receive \$21,250 and \$8,500 over the subsequent 5 years of participation up to payment year 2021. Incentive payments for pediatricians who meet the 20 percent Medicaid patient volume but fall short of the 30 percent Medicaid patient volume are reduced to two-thirds of the incentive payment.

This means some pediatricians may receive \$14,167 in the first year and \$5,667 in subsequent years.

Provider Incentive Payment Payout Examples

PAYMENT YEAR	EP participates in consecutive years, starting in 2011	EP participates in non-consecutive years	EP initiates payments in 2016
2011	\$21,250	\$0	\$0
2012	\$8,500	\$21,250	\$0
2013	\$8,500	\$0	\$0
2014	\$8,500	\$8,500	\$0
2015	\$8,500	\$8,500	\$0
2016	\$8,500	\$8,500	\$21,250
2017	\$0	\$0	\$8,500
2018	\$0	\$0	\$8,500
2019	\$0	\$8,500	\$8,500
2020	\$0	\$8,500	\$8,500
2021	\$0	\$0	\$8,500
TOTAL	\$63,750	\$63,750	\$63,750

Want more information?

Please refer to the eMIPP User Guide for more detailed instructions on how to attest with the Maryland Medicaid EHR Incentive Program. Additional information can also be found at HealthIt.gov and CMS.