
42 C.F.R. § 414.1465

Physician-focused payment models.

(a) *Definition.* A physician-focused payment model (PFPM) is an Alternative Payment Model:

- (1) In which Medicare is a payer;
- (2) In which eligible clinicians that are eligible professionals as defined in section 1848(k)(3)(B) of the Act are participants and play a core role in implementing the APM's payment methodology; and
- (3) Which targets the quality and costs of services that eligible professionals participating in the Alternative Payment Model provide, order, or can significantly influence.

(b) *Criteria.* In carrying out its review of physician-focused payment model proposals, the PTAC must assess whether the physician-focused payment model meets the following criteria for PFPMs sought by the Secretary. The Secretary seeks PFPMs that:

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