

Meaningful Use 2014 Final Rule Statement

Dear Valued Customer.

On August 29, 2014, CMS released the Final Rule for the 2014 Meaningful Use program modifications, which was published in the Federal Register on September 4, 2014. These modifications allow Eligible Providers (EPs) to choose from a variety of options to attest in 2014 only. The 2015 Meaningful Use program remains unchanged and requires a full year of participation beginning January 1, 2015.

The Final Rule options allow EPs to attest for 2014, using: 2011 Edition software, a combination of 2011/2014 Edition software, or 2014 Edition software. MedInformatix started preparations for, and development of, its 2014 Edition software after the 2014 criteria were published, with the timeline to present day as follows:

September 4th, 2012

2014 Edition EHR certification criteria final rule published by CMS.

November 21, 2013

MedInformatix Complete EHR v7.6 certified as 2014 Edition Meaningful Use Software. Certificate link here.

Note: MedInformatix was one of the first 20% (45 out of 237 as of 9/2/14) of products certified by Drummond and the 19th vendor to be certified for 2014 by Drummond.

December 2013 to March 20, 2014

MedInformatix completed commercialization of certified release, End-User Agreement and pricing for additional 3rd party software, QA testing of release, beta testing with limited customers, system documentation, training of VAR network and partners.

March 21, 2014

MedInformatix Complete EHR v7.6 released for installation at customer sites. First customer site goes live with 2014 certified software.

March 21, 2014 to July 2014

Customer contracting for required software updates, information distribution via webinar and annual user group meeting, v7.6 software installation in limited customer test & production environments.

August 2014 to Present

Contracting for update continuing and customer v7.6 updates proceeding on first-come first-serve basis.

When deciding on how to respond to this new Final Rule, <u>this letter</u> may be used as supporting documentation. Rest assured, MedInformatix is committed to meeting our customers' Meaningful Use needs in 2014 and beyond.

Important Resources:

Final Rule
Final Rule Quick Guide
HITECH 2014 CEHRT Flexibility Chart

Sincerely, MedInformatix, Inc.