

ELIGIBILITY

INFORMATION
FOR ELIGIBLE HOSPITALS

Eligibility information for the EHR Incentive Program for Eligible Hospitals (EHs)

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 dhmh.mu_ph@maryland.gov

Medicaid EHR Program Overview

Eligible hospitals can qualify for incentive payments if they adopt, implement, upgrade or demonstrate meaningful use of certified EHR technology during the first year of participation. In subsequent participation years, eligible hospitals must demonstrate meaningful use of certified EHR technology. Hospitals that qualify for incentive payments under the Medicaid EHR Incentive program may receive payments through 2021.

Who is eligible for EHR Incentive Payments?

Acute care hospitals with a minimum of 10% Medicaid patient volume as well as children's hospitals (with no Medicaid patient volume minimum) may be eligible for EHR incentive payments. Some hospitals may be eligible to receive incentive payments from both the Medicare and Medicaid EHR Incentive Programs.

EH Registration Dates

| PROGRAM YEAR | OPEN | CLOSE |
|--------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| 2015 | October 1, 2014 | December 31, 2015 |
| 2016 | October 1, 2015 | December 31, 2016 |
| 2017 | October 1, 2016 | December 31, 2017 |
| 2018 | October 1, 2017 | December 31, 2018 |

Want More Information?

Additional information can be found at HealthIt.gov and [CMS](http://CMS.gov).