Scoring

Benchmarks (Continued)

How are Benchmarks Converted to Achievement Points?

- Each quality measure with a benchmark is scored using a 10-point scoring system, except for:
  - Measures capped at 7 points because they are in their second consecutive year of being topped out.
  - Measures that don’t meet data completeness criteria.
  - Measures that are submitted with an insufficient case volume.
  - New measures in their first and second performance period.
- Historical performance distribution for each measure is used to define deciles of performance that are used as the benchmark for the measure.

Does measure meet data completeness criteria (= or >70%)?
  - YES
    - Does measure meet case minimum criteria (= or >20 cases for most measures)?
      - YES
        - Is a benchmark available?
          - YES
            - 1-10 points based on your performance in comparison to benchmark.
          - NO
            - 7-10 points based on performance if new measure can be reliably scored against a benchmark.
        - NO
          - 5-10 points based on performance if new measure can be reliably scored against a benchmark.
      - NO
        - 0 or 3 points (small practices will receive 3 points)

Does measure meet case minimum criteria (= or >20 cases for most measures)?
  - YES
    - 7 points For new measures in their first year of the program.
  - NO
    - 0 or 3 points (small practices will receive 3 points)

Is a benchmark available?
  - YES
    - 1-10 points based on your performance in comparison to benchmark.
  - NO
    - 7-10 points based on performance if new measure can be reliably scored against a benchmark.
    - 0 or 3 points (small practices will receive 3 points)