Change of Ownership Submission Deadline for QIPP Year Two is January 31

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If a private Nursing Facility (NF) wants to participate in the Quality Incentive Payment Program (QIPP) as a non-state government-owned NF, a Change of Ownership (CHOW) is required. CHOWs will be due to the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) no later than January 31, 2018. All related CHOW documents are due no later than March 3, 2018.

Year two of QIPP will run from September 1, 2018, until August 31, 2019.

For a private NF to participate in QIPP, it must have a percentage of Medicaid NF days of service that is greater than or equal to the private NF QIPP eligibility cut-off point, which will be equal to the mean percentage of historical Medicaid NF days of service provided under Medicaid fee-for-service and Medicaid managed care by all private NFs plus one standard deviation, as determined by HHSC. The private NF QIPP eligibility cut-off point of 76.58 percent for QIPP Year two is based on the 2015 cost report.

Questions about QIPP or the CHOW process can be emailed to QIPP@hhsc.state.tx.us.