Close HEDIS® Care Gaps Easily via Availity® Provider Portal

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Clinical Quality Validation (CQV) is a web-based application in the Availity Portal that allows providers to quickly comply with Healthcare Effectiveness Data and Information Set (HEDIS) measures. Providers can electronically document their patient's care and assessment to close quality HEDIS care gaps for Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Oklahoma (BCBSOK) members using this application.

Mailing and faxing medical records remain options for providers when responding to these requests. Providers who are not Availity users will continue to receive these requests by mail, fax or in-person visits. If you are not a registered Availity user, you may complete the guided online registration process at Availity to complete the guided online registration process at Av

1) Getting Started

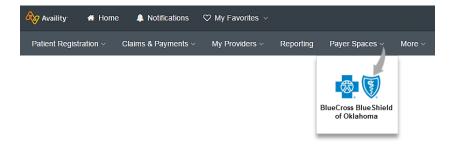
- Go to Availity
- Select Availity Portal Login
- Enter User ID and Password
- Select Log in

Note: Only registered Availity users can access Clinical Quality Validation.



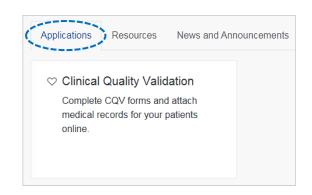
2) Accessing Clinical Quality Validation (CQV)

- Select Payer Spaces from the navigation menu
- Select Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Oklahoma



- In the BCBSOK Payer Spaces section, select the Applications tab
- Next, select Clinical Quality Validation

Note: Contact your Availity Administrators if **Clinical Quality Validation** is not listed in the **Application** menu. Availity Administrators must assign the **Medical Staff** and **Office Staff** roles to users for CQV access.

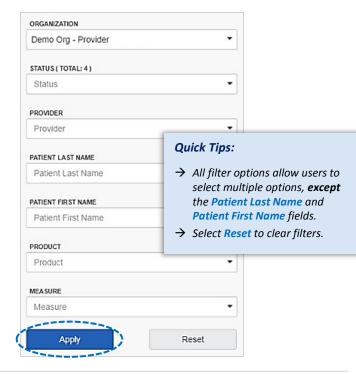


3) Navigating CQV Work Queue

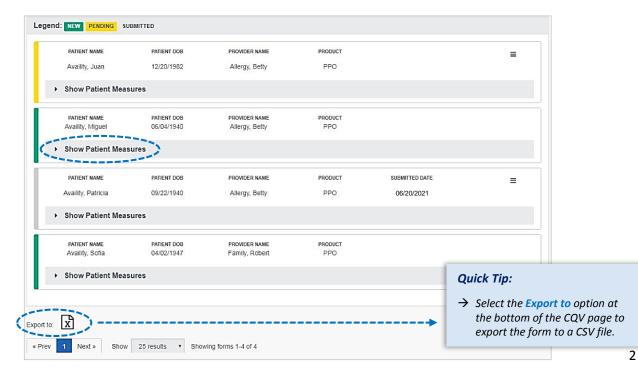
Select your Organization from the drop-down listing

Note: The **Organization** field will default to your assigned organization if there is only one assigned.

- Use one or more fields at the top of the page to filter and locate specific requests:
 - Status filter by new, pending or submitted forms
 - Provider
 - Patient Last Name
 - Patient First Name
 - Product
 - Measure
- After filters are selected, select Apply

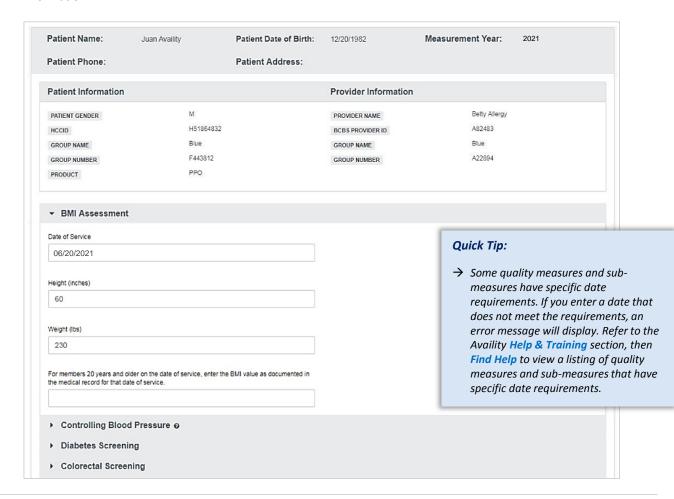


- ▶ The Work Queue list will display patient cards in the middle of the CQV page with the following color-coded status:
 - Green New: request has not been submitted
 - Yellow Pending: request was started and save, but not submitted to BCBSOK
 - Gray Submitted: request has been completed and submitted to BCBSOK
- Expand Show Patient Measures within the patient card to view additional information requested from BCBSOK



4) Completing the CQV Form

- Select the patient card to view the pre-populated patient and provider information.
- ldentified quality HEDIS measures not yet reported to BCBSOK, called patient care gaps, will display for the specific patient. A care gap is a variation between health care needs and health services rendered for a patient.
- Expand each Patient Measure(s) section (i.e., BMI Assessment, Colorectal Screening, etc.) and enter the necessary information.

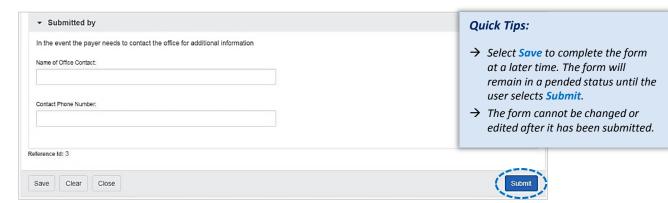


- File attachments should relate to the Patient Measure sections completed on the form.
- To add an attachment, select Add File Attachment in the File Attachments section.
- For each attachment, select the correlating quality measure from the Attachment Supports drop-down listing.



5) Submitting the CQV Form

- Complete the Submitted by section and include the following information:
 - Name of Office Contact
 - Contact Phone Number
- Select Submit

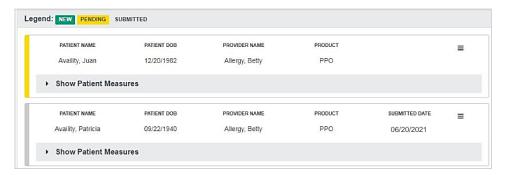


- After selecting Submit, you will receive a confirmation message
- Select Yes to finalize and submit the form



6) Working Pending CQV Forms

- Select the patient card that is in a Pending status
- ▶ On the form that displays, enter the necessary information in each Patient Measure



Have questions or need additional education? Email the Provider Education Consultants.

Be sure to include your name, direct contact information & Tax ID or billing NPI.

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