

SNF WQIP PL 26-002

DATE: April 10, 2026
TO: ALL SNF WQIP PARTICIPANTS
SUBJECT: PL 26-002 SNF WQIP CY 2025 Interim Payment Report

PURPOSE:

The Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) is notifying Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) interest holders that the SNF Workforce and Quality Incentive Program (WQIP) Calendar Year (CY) 2025 Interim Payment is delayed.

BACKGROUND:

Approval of the SNF WQIP CY 2025 Renewal Approval Package by the Center of Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is taking longer than the DHCS anticipated. As a result, the SNF WQIP CY 2025 Interim Payment Report will be delayed.

POLICY:

The SNF WQIP CY 2025 Interim Payment is postponed to at least April 2026. The report, originally scheduled for March 2026, will be updated as soon as possible.

If you have questions or concerns, please email the DHCS SNFWQIP Inbox at SNFWQIP@dhcs.ca.gov.

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