# 2019-20 QASP Payment Award

The California Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) has issued the annual payment for the Annual Quality and Accountability Supplemental Payment (QASP) Report based on 2018-19 performance period data, effective for the April 13, 2020 checkwrite.

DHCS in partnership with the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) utilizes a third-party contractor, Health Services Advisory Group (HSAG), to calculate the performance scores for the QASP program. The measures for the April 2020 QASP payments are the following:

| **Quality Measure** | **Possible Points** |
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| Minimum Data Set Clinical | 100.00 |
| Physical Restraints: Long Stay | Monitor-only |
| Influenza Vaccination: Short Stay | 6.25 |
| Pneumococcal Vaccination: Short Stay | 6.25 |
| Urinary Tract Infection: Long Stay | 12.50 |
| Control of Bowel/Bladder: Long Stay | 12.50 |
| Self-Report Pain: Short Stay | 6.25 |
| Self-Report Pain: Long Stay | 6.25 |
| Activities of Daily Living: Long Stay | 12.50 |
| California-specific Antipsychotic Medication: Long Stay | 12.50 |
| 30-day SNF Rehospitalization | 12.50 |
| Staff Retention | 12.50 |

Additionally, in accordance with the California State Plan, Section 4.19-D, Supplement 4, facilities are ineligible to receive supplemental payments for the performance period during which the facility has a Class A/AA citation. Should a facility receive a Class A/AA citation making it ineligible to receive a QASP award after receipt of a QASP award payment, it would result in an overpayment to the facility. Under these circumstances, subsequent QASP award payments may be reduced by an amount equal to the overpayment.