Post-Acute Care Program (PAC) exceptions and extensions for upcoming measure reporting and data submission deadlines (as of 3-22-2020)

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| **PAC Program** | **2019 Data Submission** | **2020 Data Submission** |
| Home Health Quality Reporting Program | Deadlines for October 1, 2019 – December 31, 2019 (Q4) data submission optional.  If Q4 is submitted, it will be used to calculate the 2019 performance and payment (where appropriate). | Data from January 1, 2020 through June 30, 2020 (Q1-Q2) does not need to be submitted to CMS for purposes of complying with quality reporting program requirements.  \* *Home Health and Hospice Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems (CAHPS) survey* data from January 1, 2020 through September 30, 2020 (Q1-Q3) does not need to be submitted to CMS.  \* For the *Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Value-Based Purchasing Program*, qualifying claims will be excluded from the claims-based SNF 30-Day All-Cause Readmission Measure (SNFRM; NQF #2510) calculation for Q1-Q2. |
| Hospice Quality Reporting Program |
| Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility Quality Reporting Program |
| Long Term Care Hospital Quality Reporting Program |
| Skilled Nursing Facility Quality Reporting Program |
| Skilled Nursing Facility Value-Based Purchasing Program |