

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is giving incentive payments to eligible professionals, hospitals, and critical access hospitals that demonstrate meaningful use of certified electronic health record (EHR) technology.

Incentive payments will include:

- Up to \$44,000 for eligible professionals in the Medicare EHR Incentive Program
- Up to \$63,750 for eligible professionals in the Medicaid EHR Incentive Program
- A base payment of \$2 million for eligible hospitals and critical access hospitals, depending on certain factors

Get started early! To maximize your Medicare EHR incentive payment you need to begin participating in 2011 or 2012; Medicaid EHR incentive payments are also highest in the first year of participation.

Registration for the EHR Incentive Programs is open now, so register TODAY to receive your maximum incentive.

For more information and to register, visit:

www.cms.gov/EHRIncentivePrograms/

For additional resources and support in adopting certified EHR technology, visit the Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology (ONC):

www.HealthIT.gov





