

## **BCBSM 2026 Incentive Program Criteria Document**

Pay for Performance=P4P Gold Card=GC

**CQI Value-Based Reimbursement=CQI VBR** 

Incentive	Measurement	Measure	Additional narrative describing the measure
Program	Period	Description	
P4P	01/01/2026-	Clinical Audit, CDA	1. Clinical Audit – 2 points
	12/31/2026	Team Meeting	a. Increase the overall data accuracy rate,
		Participation, and	target is >=95% as determined by a
		Submission of	clinical audit of breast, lung, bone mets,
		Clinical Data	and prostate data.
			i. Metric score – 1 point.
			ii. Audit cases are patients with an RT
			end date within the 2025 calendar
			year (1/1/2025 - 12/31/2025).
			Patients with an RT end date in
			2026 can be utilized for facilities
			with an insufficient number of
			cases.
			b. Sufficient audit preparation and follow-up
			i. Metric score – 1 point.
			ii. Audit materials available for review
			at the time of audit.
			iii. An appropriate staff member (CDA)
			attends the audit.
			iv. Corrections identified during the
			clinical audit are completed within
			2 weeks of receiving them.
			Audit Exemption Criteria for High-Performing
			Facilities:
			<ul> <li>Eligibility: Facilities that achieved a clinical audit score of 98% or higher in 2025.</li> </ul>
			Exemption: These facilities will be exempt
			from the clinical audit for the subsequent year, 2026.
			Score Carry-Over: During the exempt year,
			the score achieved in the preceding year,
			2025, will be carried over. This means that
			high-performing facilities will automatically
			get 2 points for the clinical audit metric.
			Facilities that achieve a clinical audit score
			below 98% in 2025 will continue with their
			annual 2026 clinical audit without
			exemption.
			<ul> <li>Facilities that were granted an audit</li> </ul>
			exemption in 2025 will be audited in 2026.
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			2. CDA Team Meeting Attendance – 1 point
			a. Metric Score – 1 point

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			this measure.

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Program	Pellou	Description	Submissi	on of the 36-month P6 form due during 1/1/2026-7/31/2026
			All 36-m	onth P6 Forms due during 1/1/2026 - 7/31/2026
			iv	The RT end date will be used to identify patients who are eligible for 36-month follow-up during the 1/1/2026-7/31/2026 measurement period.
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				get: >=75% Completion rate of annual
				g follow-up form
			ii	<ul> <li>Metric Score -1 point.</li> <li>Relevant Form: CDA 1 year follow- up form (L11)</li> </ul>
			iii	
				sion of the 1-year L11 form due during 1/1/2026-7/31/2026
			All 1-year L1	1 Forms due during 1/1/2026 -7/31/2026
			iv	. The RT end date on the L8 form will be used to identify patients who are eligible for the first-year follow-up during the 1/1/2026-7/31/2026 measurement period.
			v	. The 1-year L11 follow-up form is expected to be completed 9 to 15 months after the RT end date.
			vi	
				between 1/1/2025 and 7/31/2025
				but are terminated earlier than 12
				months after their RT end date (the
				1st year follow-up), will not be
				excluded from this measure. In this
				case, L11 forms should be filled out at the same time an SE2 (early
				termination form) is completed.
			P4P Scoring	
				udit, CDA Team Meeting
			_	ion, and Submission of Clinical Data
			Score Brea	
			1 point	Clinical Audit data accuracy
			1 point	Sufficient audit preparation and
			Polit	follow-up

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			1 point	CDA Team meeting attendance
			1 point	Submission of baseline, on- treatment, and end-of-treatment
				clinical forms
			1 point	Submission of P6 36-month form
			1 point	Submission of L11 1 year form
				Ill metrics met: 6 points.
				ome metrics met: Partial points given
			D	ased on the breakdown above.
P4P	01/01/2026-	Timely Submission	_	s & dosimetry information is submitted
	09/30/2026	of High-Quality		6 weeks of end of treatment for >=85%
		Physics & Dosimetry Data		ast, lung, bone mets, and prostate ts from the 2026 performance year.
		Dosinietry Data		sics & dosimetry information" refers to
				patient- specific Radiotherapy Technical
				ils form and full DICOM data set where
				ired. * Credit is received if the patient's
			infor	mation is submitted within 6 weeks of the
			patie	ent's RT end date.
			*Note	e that DICOM data upload is not required
			for b	one mets patients treated with a 2D or 3D
			techi	nique.
			-	tion: Patients with RT start date of
				026-09/30/2026 and whose physics data
			deadline	by the November 2026 data entry e.
			_	& dosimetry information is error-free
				ng to database-specific Physics-Data
				r reports for >=95% of 2026 patients.
			-	rrors on the Physics-Data Checker reports
				26 patients must be resolved by the mber 2026 deadline for a case to be
				right 2026 deadline for a case to be led as "error-free."
				ed as Terror-free. 1: Patients with RT start date of
			_	6-09/30/2026.
			_	s data audit score achieved is >=97%
				e facility demonstrates sufficient audit
				ration and follow-up.
				verall data accuracy is >=97% as
				etermined by an audit of breast, lung,
				one mets, and prostate cases. Audit ases are patients with an RT end date
				ithin the 2025 calendar year (1/1/2025-
				2/31/2025).
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Program	Period	Description	b. Sufficient audit preparation and follow-up, which includes:  i. Audit materials available for review at the time of audit.  ii. Appropriate staff member (physicist or dosimetrist) attends the audit.  iii. Corrections identified during the audit are completed within 2 weeks of receiving them.  Audit Exemption for High-Performing Facilities:  • Facilities that achieved a physics audit score of 99% or higher in 2025 will be exempt from the physics data audit in 2026.  • During the exempt year, the score achieved in the previous year will be carried over. This means that high-performing facilities will automatically meet physics data audit Metric C.  • Facilities with a physics audit score below 99% in 2025 will continue with their annual 2026 physics audit without exemption.  • Facilities that were granted an audit exemption in 2025 will be audited in 2026.  P4P Scoring:  • Three Metrics Met 6 points  • Two Metrics Met 4 points  • One Metric Met 2 points  • No Metrics Met 0 points
P4P CQI VBR	01/01/2026-09/30/2026	Increase the collaborative-wide utilization of prone positioning for breast cancer radiation treatment.	Population: Breast cancer patients enrolled in MROQC during Q1-Q3 2026.  Numerator: Breast cancer patients who receive whole or partial breast radiation only in the prone position.  Denominator: Breast cancer patients who do not have any of the following exclusions for prone positioning during the measurement period:  -Lack prone treatment equipment -Cannot tolerate prone positioning -Refuses prone positioning after being informed of its potential benefits -Is receiving regional (nodal) irradiation -Have small breasts, defined as a cup size A or a breast PTV_eval volume ≤ 1000cc. **

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			**Small breasted patients will be excluded from the denominator for purposes of this measure. These patients may, however, be treated in the prone position if the patient and the oncologist choose to do so but if they are excluded, it will not affect the facility's calculation of the measure.  • Data from the BRTD will be used for this measure as well as the B7, which will capture any contraindications for treatment with prone by the physician.  • The MROQC collaborative will use breast data from node negative patients with an RT start date of 01/01/2026-9/30/2026 for this measure. The score reported will be the collaborative performance at the end of Q3 2026. This will allow for measurement/improvement, and allow for time to finalize data collection, determination of final rate, and scoring before
			scores are due to BCBSM in late 2026.
P4P	01/01/2026-	Increase the	Population: Node positive breast cancer patients
GC	09/30/2026	baseline and post-	with RT start dates of 01/01/26-09/30/26.
CQIVBR	00/00/2020	radiation treatment	Will III didit dated of 6 1/6 1/20 00/00/20
		(RT) completion	Numerator: Number of node positive breast cancer
		rate of standard of	patients who receive the standard of care arm
		care arm	measurements for lymphedema assessment at
		measurements for	baseline (pre-RT) and in follow-up (post-RT).
		lymphedema	Denominator: Total number of node positive broast
		assessment in node positive	<b>Denominator:</b> Total number of node positive breast cancer patients who were treated with regional
		breast cancer	fields (excluding IMN only)
		patients treated to	noted (oxoldanig ii ii v only)
		regional fields.	The following patients will be excluded from the
			measure:
		A. >=50% of breast	<ul> <li>Patients who decline the</li> </ul>
		patients treated to	measurements.
		regional fields with a baseline	Patients who have a virtual visit.  Patients who did not complete PT
		measurement (B7	<ul> <li>Patients who did not complete RT</li> </ul>
		or B9) in 2025 must	Documentation of this measure will come from
		have a follow-up	the B7 or B9 forms (Baseline) and/or B10 or B14
		measurement (B10	(Follow-Up) as well as the BRTD (to determine if
		or B14) completed	the patient is node positive).
		and reported in cm	
		within Q1-Q3 of	MROQC will use facility data from node positive
		2026. *	breast patients with baseline measurements in
		B. >=50% of breast	2025 who will be due for a follow-up in Q1-Q3 2026 as well as cases with an RT start date of
		patients treated to	01/01/2026-09/30/2026 to capture baseline

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		regional fields with a RT start date within Q1-Q3 of 2026 must have a baseline measurement (B7 or B9) reported in cm and complete nodal irradiation data (dose to irradiated nodal groups is reported and nodal contours are named according to TG263	measurements for this measure. The score reported will be the facility performance rate as of the end of Q3 2026 (using Q1-Q3 2026 overall rate). This will allow for measurement/improvement, and allow for time to finalize data collection, determination of final rate, and scoring before scores are due to BCBSM in late 2026.
		guidelines).	
P4P CQI VBR	01/01/2026-09/30/2026	For treatment of lung cancer with hypofractionation (6-20 fractions), MROQC Consensus Quality Guidelines are achieved for at least 75% of patients collaborative-wide.	Population: Lung cases treated with hypofractionation with RT start dates of 01/01/26-09/30/26.  Numerator: All lung cases treated with hypofractionation meeting the MROQC Consensus Quality Guidelines.  Denominator: All lung cases treated with hypofractionation.  • The lung radiotherapy technical details (LRTD) form will be used to determine fractionation and the lung DICOM will be used to identify if organs at risk (OARs) are contoured per the MROQC Consensus Quality Guidelines.  • The MROQC collaborative will use lung data from patients treated with hypofractionation with an RT start date of 01/01/2026-9/30/2026 for this measure. The score reported will be the collaborative performance at the end of Q3 2026. This will allow for measurement/improvement, and allow for time to finalize data collection, determination of final rate, and scoring before scores are due to BCBSM in late 2026.
P4P	01/01/2026-	Increase the	Population: All bone mets cases who start
GC CQI VBR	09/30/2026	utilization rate of bone mets treatments consisting of 5 fractions or fewer.	treatment in Q1-Q3 2026  Numerator: Bone mets cases receiving 5 or fewer fractions  Denominator: All bone mets cases except for those
			being treated for cord compression

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P4P GC CQI VBR	01/01/2026-09/30/2026	Increase the rate of physics consultation for bone metastases reirradiation. * *For cases where there is concern for toxicity due to cumulative dose (Type 1 or Type 2 reirradiation), the physics consult must occur prior to physician approval. For Type1 reirradiation cases with no concern for toxicity, the consult must occur prior to the start of treatment.	<ul> <li>Data from the baseline clinical data form (M1), physician baseline (M4), and the bone mets physics survey (MRTD) for bone mets cases with a radiotherapy (RT) start date of 1/1/2026 through an RT start date of 9/30/2026 will be used to assess this measure. The physics survey (MRTD) will be used to determine the number of fractions delivered.</li> <li>The score reported will be the facility's performance as of the end of Q3 2026 (using Q1-Q3 2026 overall rate). This will allow for measurement/improvement and allow for time to finalize data collection and determination of a facility's final rate.</li> <li>Population: Patients undergoing reirradiation treatments within the participating radiation oncology departments.</li> <li>Numerator: The number of reirradiation cases with documented medical physics consultations.</li> <li>Denominator: The total number of reirradiation cases.</li> <li>For bone mets reirradiation cases, the bone mets physics survey (MRTD) will be the source for documentation of a physics consult prior to final physician approval of a treatment plan.</li> <li>For Type 1 reirradiation where there is overlap of irradiation volumes but no concern for toxicity from cumulative doses, physics must be consulted prior to treatment.</li> <li>MROQC will use facility data for bone mets reirradiation cases with an RT start date of 01/01/2026-09/30/2026 for this measure. The score reported will be the facility performance as of the end of Q3 2026 (using Q1-Q3 2026 overall rate). This will allow for measurement/improvement, and allow for time to finalize data collection, determination of final</li> </ul>
			rate, and scoring before scores are due to BCBSM in late 2026.
P4P	01/01/2026-	Improve the	Population: Patients with Intact, High-risk prostate
GC	09/30/2026	percentage of	cancer per NCCN guidelines with RT start dates of
CQIVBR		patients with	01/01/2026-09/30/2026.
		intact, localized, high-risk prostate cancer patients receiving definitive	<b>Numerator:</b> Number of high-risk patients recommended to receive an intended ADT duration

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		radiotherapy that are recommended to receive long-	in accordance with ASTRO/AUA guidelines (18-36 months).
		term androgen deprivation therapy (ADT).	<b>Denominator:</b> Number of patients with intact, highrisk prostate cancer per NCCN guidelines.
		(ADT).	<ul> <li>The P3 will capture the intended duration, clinical trial participation, and patient refusal (possible exclusions). Risk grouping will come from either the MUSIC baseline data (matching facilities) or the P7 (facilities without a MUSIC partner).</li> <li>MROQC will use facility prostate case data with an RT start date of 01/01/2026-09/30/2026 for this measure. The score reported will be the facility performance as of the end of Q3 2026 (using Q1-Q3 2026 overall rate). This will allow for measurement/improvement and allow for time to finalize data collection, determination of final rate, and scoring before scores are due to BCBSM in late 2026.</li> </ul>
P4P	01/01/2026-	Increase MRI	Population: Patients with intact prostate cancer
GC	09/30/2026	utilization for intact	with RT start dates of 01/01/2026-09/30/2026
CQIVBR		prostate cancer	undergoing treatment type external beam radiation
		patients receiving definitive	therapy with or without brachytherapy.
		radiotherapy.	<b>Numerator:</b> All prostate patients with an MRI in the last 12 months report on the P3 form.
			<b>Denominator:</b> All intact patients, with treatment type = "EBRT alone" or "Combination therapy of EBRT and brachytherapy'
			Patients unable to undergo MRI will be excluded.     Examples:
			<ul> <li>Patient declined for reasons such         as claustrophobia, personal         preference, or cost</li> <li>Implanted medical device</li> <li>Lack of insurance coverage</li> </ul>
			<ul> <li>Post-operative case</li> <li>The prostate physics survey (PRTD) will be used to collect data on the number of intact prostate cancer patients receiving EBRT. The physician</li> </ul>
			androgen deprivation form (P3 form) will be used to identify patients who underwent MRI in the last 12 months.
			MROQC will use facility prostate case data with an RT start date of 01/01/2026-09/30/2026 for this measure. The score reported will be the

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			facility performance as of the end of Q3 2026 (using Q1-Q3 2026 overall rate). This will allow for measurement/improvement and allow for time to finalize data collection, determination of final rate, and scoring before scores are due to BCBSM in early 2026.
P4P	01/01/2026-12/31/2026	Collaborative-Wide Meeting Participation – Clinical Champion (per MROQC CC Attendance Policy)	All Clinical Champions are expected to attend the three (3) Collaborative Meetings held each year. Full Pay for Performance (P4P) points are awarded for attendance at the 3 meetings. When the Clinical Champion cannot attend a substitute may be allowed to represent the facility.  A substitute is allowed once a year; the Clinical Champion must attend at least two of the meetings and can send a substitute for the third and still receive full P4P points. If two substitutes attend in a calendar year, only partial points will be given.  Ideally, the substitute is another Radiation Oncologist from that facility that treats MROQC patients. Other Radiation Oncologists are acceptable.  In certain cases (example: a small facility with only 1-2 Radiation Oncologists), another physician is acceptable such as the Chief Medical Officer (CMO), the Chief of Quality, or a physician involved in Radiation Oncology cases.  Residents, Physician Assistants (PA), Nurse Practitioners or non-physicians are not acceptable substitutes.  1. Friday, February 13th, 2026 (virtual)
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P4P	01/01/2026- 12/31/2026	Collaborative-Wide Meeting Participation – Physics Lead (or designee)	The facility's Physics Lead (or designee-i.e., another physicist or a dosimetrist who works on MROQC) is expected to attend all the MROQC Collaborative Meetings for 2026.  1. Friday, February 13 <sup>th</sup> , 2026 (virtual) 2. Friday, May 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2026 3. Friday, October 16 <sup>th</sup> , 2026
P4P	01/01/2026- 12/31/2026	Collaborative-Wide Meeting Participation – Clinical Data Abstractor (or designee)	MROQC CDAs (or designee-i.e., another CDA or someone who works on MROQC not covering another role at a meeting) are expected to attend all the MROQC Collaborative Meetings for 2026.  1. Friday, February 13 <sup>th</sup> , 2026 (virtual) 2. Friday, May 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2026 3. Friday, October 16 <sup>th</sup> , 2026

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P4P	Period 01/01/2026- 12/31/2026	Description  Bonus Measure: MROQC Physician Engagement	MROQC Physician Engagement (10 Bonus Points)  Not to exceed 100 points total on the P4P scorecard.  Lead author on an MROQC publication (Counts as 2 items) Lead a skills workshop (Counts as 2 items) Present at an MROQC collaborative-wide meeting (non-leadership role only) Present on MROQC at a national meeting (Cannot be a resident) Attend 5 working group meetings in 2026 (Total across practice physicians; 1 physician counts per meeting i.e., no double points if 2 attend the same meeting) Coauthor on an MROQC publication Attend 3 case review sessions Propose a new quality measure: provide reasoning to implement the measure, work with the MROQC data team to review supporting data and present the measure to the relevant working group  Metrics of Success: or more items achieved To points dualifications: Must be a Clinical Champion or Porticipating
			1. Must be a Clinical Champion or Participating     Physician     2. Cannot be a resident
CQIVBR	01/01/2026- 09/30/2026	At least 80% of breast cancer patients who report using cannabis in the past 30 days are provided an MROQC cannabis education document during treatment.	Population: Breast cancer patients treated at MROQC facilities who report cannabis use within the past 30 days in Q1-Q3 2026.  Numerator: Breast cancer patients treated in MROQC during Q1-Q3 2026 who report using cannabis within the past 30 days who are offered with the MROQC cannabis education document.  Denominator: Breast cancer patients treated in MROQC during Q1-Q3 2026 who report using cannabis within the past 30 days prior to treatment start.

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			<ul> <li>"Provided" equals "offered" the education document.</li> <li>Data will be collected from B1 (patient), B5 (CDA)</li> </ul>
			MROQC will use breast data from patients with an RT start date of 01/01/2026-9/30/2026 who report cannabis use within the past 30 days for this measure. The score reported will be the collaborative performance at the end of Q3 2026. This will allow for measurement/improvement, and allow for time to finalize data collection, determination of final rate, and scoring before scores are due to BCBSM in late 2026.