

# Hospice CAHPS Dates & Deadlines

This Hospice CAHPS Dates & Deadlines schedule will keep you informed of data submission deadlines to comply with CMS public reporting. Send your patient data files and “update” files on a monthly basis to meet the deadlines provided in the schedule below. After the data submission deadline, we encourage you to access the data submission reports stored on the CAHPS Hospice Survey Data Warehouse and confirm your data has been successfully submitted.

As part of our commitment to you, Press Ganey will perform periodic audits and notify you of missing data required for Hospice CAHPS. Update files should be transmitted by the deadlines below and contain patient data required by CMS that was unavailable at time of initial upload.

Additionally, you are also required to provide a count for the total number of No Publicity patients excluded from the Hospice CAHPS file each sample month. This number should include those patients who requested not to have their name released. If you need additional information about this required count, please let us know.

Month of Death	Hospice monthly data file due to Press Ganey	Survey administration month	“Update” file due to Press Ganey	Monthly data sent to Hospice CAHPS data center
April 2025	June 1-15, 2025	July 1, 2025	August 18, 2025	August 25th, 2025
May 2025	July 1-15, 2025	August 1, 2025	September 22, 2025	September 29th, 2025
June 2025	August 1-15, 2025	September 1, 2025	October 20, 2025	October 27th, 2025
July 2025	September 1-15, 2025	October 1, 2025	November 17, 2025	November 24th, 2025
August 2025	October 1-15, 2025	November 1, 2025	December 16, 2025	December 22nd 2025
September 2025	November 1-15, 2025	December 1, 2025	January 19, 2026	January 26th, 2026
October 2025	December 1-15, 2025	January 1, 2026	February 16, 2026	February 23rd, 2026
November 2025	January 1-15, 2026	February 1, 2026	March 23, 2026	March 30th, 2026
December 2025	February 1-15, 2026	March 1, 2026	April 20, 2026	April 27th, 2026
January 2026	March 1-15, 2026	April 1, 2026	May 18, 2026	May 25th, 2026
February 2026	April 1-15, 2026	May 1, 2026	June 22, 2026	June 29th, 2026
March 2026	May 1-15, 2026	June 1, 2026	July 20, 2026	July 27th, 2026
April 2026	June 1-15, 2026	July 1, 2026	August 24, 2026	August 31st, 2026
May 2026	July 1-15, 2026	August 1, 2026	September 21, 2026	September 28th, 2026
June 2026	August 1-15, 2026	September 1, 2026	October 19, 2026	October 26th, 2026
July 2026	September 1-15, 2026	October 1, 2026	November 23, 2026	November 30th 2026
August 2026	October 1-15, 2026	November 1, 2026	December 21, 2026	December 28th, 2026
September 2026	November 1-15, 2026	December 1, 2026	January 18, 2027	January 25th, 2027

\* Beginning with April 2025 decedent survey administration, a prenotification letter is required to be sent 7 days before survey administration begins.