

## **2021 - Annual Reporting Revision for Level 2 and Level 3 Cardiac Catheterization Services Only**

The Department will not enforce the April 30, 2021, Annual Report filing deadline for Level 2 and Level 3 Cardiac Catheterization Services. The expectation is that the Annual Report, which remains a requirement under the regulations, will be promptly submitted to the Department following receipt of NCDR® data for calendar year 2020.

### **Discussion:**

Level 2 and Level 3 Cardiac Catheterization Services are required to obtain and maintain membership in the national cardiovascular data registry/CathPCI registry (NCDR®) and are required to file an Annual Report based on NCDR® data from the previous year. See Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 3701-84-30.2; 3701-84-30.3. The Annual Report is a calendar year report (January 1 through December 31) with information from the preceding calendar year, i.e., the 2021 annual report is based on data from calendar year 2020.

It is the Department's understanding the deadline for submitting 4th quarter 2020 data to the NCDR® is April 15, 2021, and that it takes approximately 1-2 months before the NCDR® returns data to the healthcare service. Therefore, the filing of an Annual Report to the Department on or before April 30, 2021, based on NCDR® data for calendar year 2020, may not be feasible.

When completing the 2021 Annual Report, please utilize the following guidelines for reporting:

- Report the NCDR® reporting metric listed next to the metric. These NCDR® metrics align with current regulations.
- Do not report items noted "N/A."
- Report "Procedure Volumes" and "Other" items as they are not dependent on an NCDR® metric.
- Comments are acceptable but should not contain patient identifying information as the report is a public record.

Thank you,

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