**Improvement Activity:** Practice improvements for bilateral exchange of patient information (IA\_CC\_13)

**Activity Weighting:** Medium

**Description:** Ensure that there is bilateral exchange of necessary patient information to guide patient care that could include one or more of the following: Participate in a Health Information Exchange if available; and/or Use structured referral notes.

**Eligible clinician name:**

**NPI / Tax ID:**

As the above-named MIPS eligible clinician, I attest that I implemented a policy of providing structured referral notes for outbound referrals and actively seeking to receive such documents for inbound referrals. Our policy includes the use of the Direct messaging standard to allow for efficient and secure exchange of protected health information. Whether the referral is inbound or outbound, this clinical information can be processed by our certified EHR technology and can be used to satisfy the Health Information Exchange-related objectives in the Advancing Care Information performance category. Thus, we are utilizing our CEHRT to complete the improvement activity in a manner that aligns with the Advancing Care Information category.

**Activity Start / End Date:**