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Electronic Clinical Quality Measures Export Tool

(BQRE)

Installation Guide and Release Notes

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Preface

This manual describes the installation of the Electronic Clinical Quality Measures (eCQM) Export Tool (BQRE).

BQRE is a browser-enabled Graphical User Interface (GUI) for the Indian Health Service (IHS) deployed locally on an application server for extracting eCQM measures data from IHS-site Resource and Patient Management System (RPMS) databases. It provides functionality to extract Quality Reporting Document Architecture Category I (QRDA I) files that can be securely transmitted to the eCQM Engine (ECQM) to generate QRDA Category III (QRDA III) files to submit to reporting entities.

1.0 Release Notes

Prefix: BQRE

Current Version: 6.0

This is the sixth release of the locally deployed BQRE eCQM Export tool as defined by the following change requests:

Table 1-1: Change Requests

Feature ID	Title
99085	BQRE: Frailty Device mapping to LOINC in V CPT
86003	BQRE: Revise Data Entry Sheets for 2023
86004	BQRE: QDM Updates for 2023
86005	BQRE: NLM Value Set Updates for 2023
86006	BQRE: QRDA CAT-I Implementation Guide Updates for 2023
86007	BQRE: Regression Test for Existing Measures for 2023
86008	BQRE: CMS 871v2 Hospital Harm – Severe Hyperglycemia (HH-02)
96865	BQRE: CMS 816v2 Hospital Harm – Severe Hypoglycemia (HH-01)
96866	BQRE: CMS 334v4 Cesarean Birth – PC-02
96867	BQRE: CMS 1028v1 Severe Obstetric Complications – PC-07
94829	BQRE: Specify Accepted Measurement Units for Tests
92882	BQRE: Handle QRDA Files over 10MB - Unable to submit
96222	BQRE: Update Code in Extract for Observation
96967	BQRE: SNOMED Mapping for BI PATIENT CONTRINDICATION for Diphtheria & Tetanus Toxoid Anaphylaxis
96973	BQRE: Implement V DELIVERY File 9000010.64 as part of the Extraction for the LOINC Values
97027	BQRE: CMS 144 & 145 update SNOMED and RxNorm Extract for Allergy/Intolerance
96976	BQRE: Extraction update to Look to the VPOV file for Present on Admission new valueset

1.1 Contents of Distribution

Table 1-2: Distribution files and descriptions

File	Description
bqre0600.install.msi	BQRE Application Installer
bqre0600.xml	BQRE Data Description File

File	Description
bqre060i.pdf	BQRE Version 6.0 Installation Guide and Release Notes
bqre060t.pdf	BQRE Version 6.0 Technical Manual
bqre060u.pdf	BQRE Version 6.0 User Manual

1.2 Required Resources

This section lists the computer resources required for each deployment strategy.

1.2.1 Local Application Server Resources

For the BQRE/ECQM local install option, *do not* install on the same server as BPRM. However, the ECQM Application (IIS) and Database (RavenDB) and BQRE could be installed on ONE machine. The minimum specification for that server is Window OS with Microsoft .NET Core Runtime version 3.1+ and above with 2.4 Ghz+ quadcore with 8-12 GB RAM and 60 GB free space.

For the BQRE local / ECQM central option, the BQRE could be installed on BPRM application server. The minimum specification for that server is Window OS with Microsoft .NET Core Runtime version 3.1+ and above with 2.4 Ghz+ quadcore with 8-12 GB RAM and 60 GB free space.

1.2.2 Browser Standard

The following browsers are recommended for any workstations accessing the BQRE Extract tool:

- Google Chrome® Version 68 or higher
- Microsoft Edge
- Mozilla Firefox

1.3 Before You Begin: Installation Issues

Internet connectivity on the application server is necessary to download the required installation items.

1.4 BQRE Prerequisites

- BCQM Version 1.0 Patch 10
- BMC Version 4 Patch 14
- BMW Version 2023.4
- BJPC Version 2.0 Patch 28

- BGO Version 1.1 Patch 34
- DTS Cycle 57
- HealthShare 2017.2.x

2.0 Installation Overview

The BQRE v6.0 installation requires two files. The **bqre0600.xml** data description file and the **bqre0600.install.msi** application installation file are specific to the eCQM Export Tool. These two files are included in the BQRE distribution package.

- 1. Install **bqre0600.xml**. Follow instructions in Section 3.2.
- 2. Install **bgre0600.install.msi**. Follow instructions in Section 3.3.

Warning: Previous versions of BQRE must be un-installed from the Control Panel and the server restarted, if prompted, before proceeding.

The local RPMS database and Ensemble instance need to be accessible from the application server on which the BQRE installation is locally deployed.

3.0 BQRE Installation and Configuration

This section outlines the steps essential for setting up and configuring an IHS RPMS database server for the BQRE application to be executed against the RPMS database. It also provides steps to set up such an environment.

3.1 Assumptions

This section assumes the following:

- The Ensemble/Cache server is already set up.
- An RPMS database is already set up on the Ensemble/Cache server.
- The person performing the installation and configuration has the appropriate rights to mount databases, create a namespace, and edit namespace settings for the RPMS database.
- The BMW CACHE.DAT file as described in the *BMW CACHE.DAT Installation Guide* document is installed.

3.2 Import a New BQRE XML File

A separate XML file is included with the release; follow the steps in Sections 3.2.1 through 3.2.2 to import a new BQRE XML file.

3.2.1 Disable Read Only

To import the **bqre0600.xml** file, you must set the BMW database to allow write access. If the database is set to **Read Only**, do the following:

1. Browse to the **Local Databases** window of the Ensemble Management Portal following this path:

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Figure 3-1: Browsing path to Local Databases window

- 2. Click **Edit** in the row corresponding to the BMW database.
- 3. In the displayed window, set the **Read Only** field to **No**.

Once the patch is installed, you can re-enable **Read Only** mode by repeating these steps and setting the **Read Only** field to **Yes**.

3.2.2 Import the BQRE XML File

To import the **bqre0600.xml** file, do the following:

1. From the Ensemble/Cache System Management Portal Home window, click System Explorer, then Classes. The Classes dialog displays (Figure 3-1).

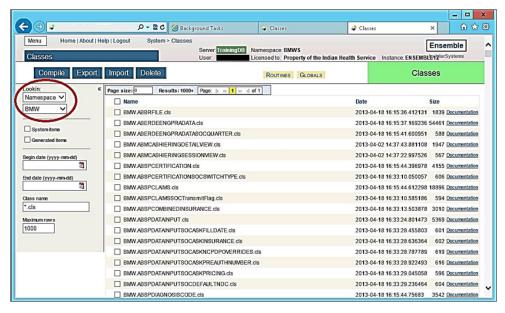


Figure 3-2: Classes dialog

- 2. Select the **BMW** namespace in the **LookIn** pane in the upper-left corner of the dialog.
- 3. Click **Import**. The **Import Classes** dialog displays (Figure 3-2).

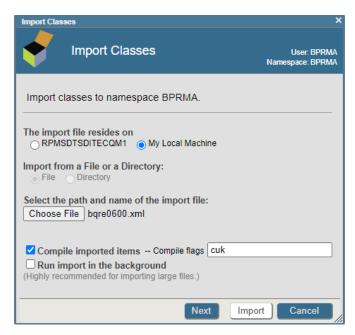


Figure 3-3: Import Classes dialog

- 4. Click **Browse** and navigate to the **bqre0600.xml** file in the folder where it was saved in Section 2.0.
- 5. Select the **bqre0600.xml** file and click **Next**.
- 6. A listing displays (Figure 3-3) showing the contents of the XML file.

Warning: If installing in a non-HealthShare environment, then uncheck the BMW.NEWBORN9000106490000106411.cls file before clicking Import.

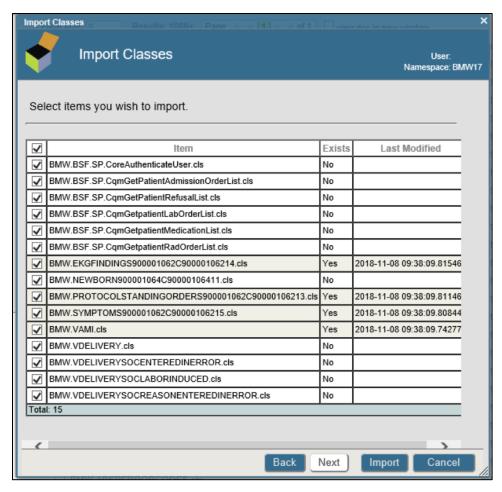


Figure 3-4: Import Classes window - Content listing

7. Click **Import**. After a few moments of processing, a listing of the imported classes displays (Figure 3-4).

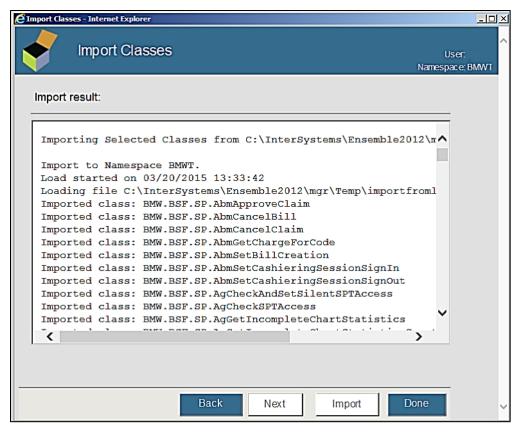


Figure 3-5: Import Classes window – Import result listing

8. Scroll to the bottom of the listing to confirm that the **Load finished successfully** message displays (Figure 3-5).

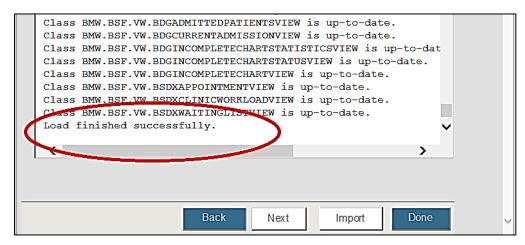


Figure 3-6: Import Classes window - Load finished successfully

At this point, the BMW database configuration is complete.

3.3 Install the MSI File

To install the BQRE Application:

- 1. Navigate to the location where the **BQRE Application Installer** file (bqre0600.install.msi) is stored.
- 2. Copy the MSI file to the application server (Windows operating system).
- 3. Double-click the MSI file.
- 4. In the **Setup Wizard** dialog (Figure 3-6), click **Next**.

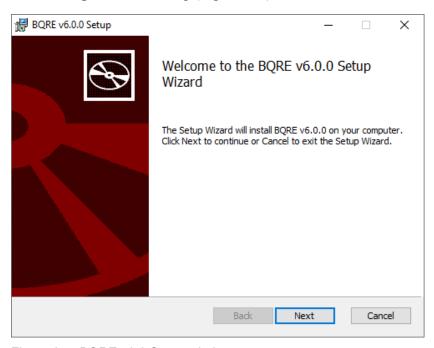


Figure 3-7: BQRE v6.0 Setup window

- 5. In the **BQRE v6.0 Setup** dialog (Figure 3-7), click **Finish**.
- 6. If setup says that **BQRE** is already installed, please go to Appendix A.2 for uninstalling existing version of **BQRE**.

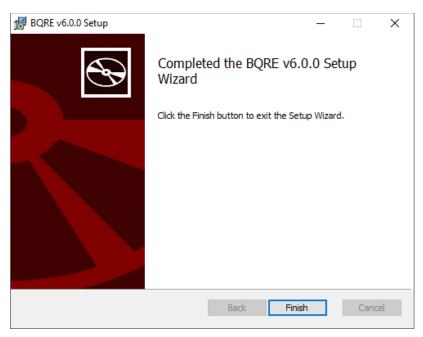


Figure 3-8: Completed the BQRE v6.0 Setup Wizard window

Note: If an error message displays indicating that you do not have sufficient privileges to run the installer, refer to Appendix A for instructions on running the installer from the Administrator Command Prompt.

3.4 Configuration

3.4.1 QRDA Storage Directory

On the site application server, a storage directory must be configured by site staff to store the exported QRDA 1 and QRDA III files. This directory can optionally be shared with eCQM Export Tool (BQRE) users. All applicable security protocols should be enforced to ensure that the patient data is restricted to those who will submit files to the eCQM Engine or other registries as required by the site.

Configuration of this directory is performed in two steps:

- Create a folder on an appropriate drive on the application server (e.g., D:\QrdaStorage\).
- 2. When configuring the site profile settings in the eCQM Export Tool (BQRE), provide the **QRDA storage path** and save the changes.

3.5 Confirm Application Launch and Application version via Logon

Open your internet browser and type in the **IP address** of the application server where eCQM Export Tool (BQRE) is installed. The default port for eCQM Export Tool (BQRE) is **37019** (e.g., http://IPAddressofBQREApplicationServer:37019).

Verify Application version is BQRE 6.0.0 (Figure 3-8).



Figure 3-9: BQRE Sites list

Note: Figure 3-8 displays the **Sites** list with one site set up. When accessing this screen for the first time, the list will be empty.

Refer to the *eCQM Export Tool (BQRE) User Manual* for details on the process of registering the first site.

Appendix A Installing and Uninstalling MSI File from the Command Prompt (as Administrator)

Warning: Previous versions of BQRE must be un-installed from the

Control Panel (or Command Prompt – Administrator Mode) and the server restarted, if prompted, before

proceeding.

A.1 Run the Application Installer

- 1. Navigate to **C:\Windows\system32** on your application server.
- 2. Locate the **cmd.exe file**, right-click, and select **Run as Administrator**.
- 3. Navigate to the location where the **BQRE Application Installer** file (**bqre0600.install.msi**) is saved, as shown in the example below:

C:\Windows\system32>cd C:\Temp\BQRE

4. At the resulting prompt, type the **name** of the installation file (**bqre0600.install.msi** in this example) and press Enter.

C:\Temp\BQRE>bqre0600.install.msi

This will launch the **BQRE Setup Wizard**

5. In the **Setup Wizard** dialog (Figure A-1), click **Next**.

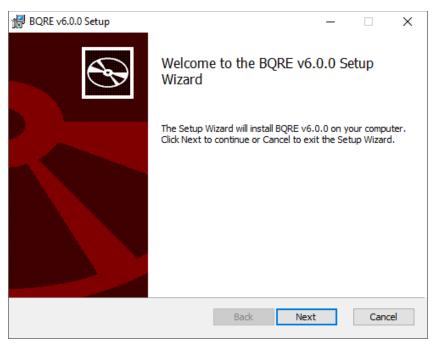


Figure A-1: BQRE v6.0 Setup window

6. In the **BQRE v6.0 Setup** dialog (Figure A-2), click **Finish**.

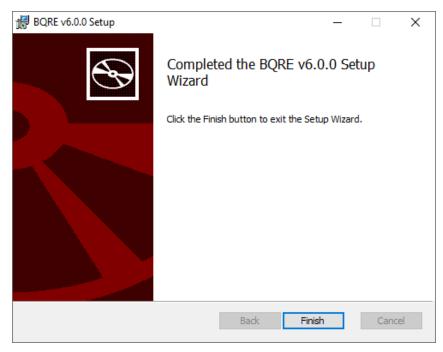


Figure A-2: Completed the BQRE v6.0 Setup Wizard

- 7. Open the %ProgramFiles% folder, usually found at C:\Program Files (x86)\.
- 8. Confirm that the **%ProgramFiles%** folder contains the **BQRE** folder.

- 9. Open the System Services list (Administrative Tools > Services).
- 10. Confirm that **BQRE** Extraction Service is in the Services list.
- 11. Confirm that **BQRE** Extraction Service is running.

A.2 Uninstall the Existing BQRE Application

Go to **Programs and Features** in the **Control Panel**, find BQRE and Uninstall the program, Once Uninstall is complete, go to the directory C:\Program Files (x86)\BQRE and delete everything remaining in the BQRE directory. If uninstall fails, Please follow the following steps.

- 1. Download and run the <u>Microsoft Install Uninstall Utility</u> (https://support.microsoft.com/en-us/help/17588/windows-fix-problems-that-block-programs-being-installed-or-removed) prior to running the command prompts.
- 2. Navigate to C:\Windows\system32 on your application server.
- 3. Locate the cmd.exe file, right-click and select Run as Administrator.
- 4. To uninstall the existing **BQRE** .msi file, run the following command:

```
msiexec /x bgre0600.install.msi
```

5. To manually remove the existing **BQRE Service**, run the following command (name of the Service must match exactly as it appears under **Administrative Tools** > **Services**):

```
sc delete "BQRE Extraction Service"
```

6. If successful, the following message should display:

```
[SC] DeleteService SUCCESS
```

- 7. Navigate to Control Panel > Programs and Features (or Add / Remove Programs).
- 8. Confirm that **BQRE** Application is no longer displayed.
- 9. Open the %ProgramFiles% folder, usually found at C:\Program Files (x86)\.
- 10. Confirm that the **%ProgramFiles%** folder no longer contains the **BQRE** folder.
- 11. Open the System Services list (Administrative Tools > Services).
- 12. Confirm that **BQRE** Extraction Service is *not* listed in the Services list.

Acronym List

Acronym	Term Definition
CQM	Clinical Quality Measure
eCQM	Electronic Clinical Quality Measures
DTS	Distributed Terminology Services
IHS	Indian Health Service
MIPS	Merit-based Incentive Payment System
MSI	Microsoft Installer
OIT	Office of Information Technology
QPP	Quality Payment Program
QRDA	Quality Reporting Document Architecture
RPMS	Resource and Patient Management System
SQA	Software Quality Assurance
XML	Extensible Markup Language

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