The US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has posted a new <u>information document</u> to assist mammography facilities subject to the **Mammography Standards Act (MQSA) as they prepare for the September 10, 2024 effective date of the March 10, 2023, <u>final rule</u> amending MQSA regulations.** The document highlights the new requirements related to breast density reporting, lists other new requirements imposed by the final rule, and details additional items MQSA inspectors will look for beginning September 10, 2024 when the final rule's new requirements go into effect. Topics addressed in the document include new requirements for mammography reports, patient lay summaries, communication of results, medical outcomes audit, equipment, personnel records, medical recordkeeping, transfer of records/release of copies, facility responsibility to self-referred patients, and accreditation failures.

The document provides links to subscribe to the MQSA listserve to receive email updates when new information on the topic is posted. **Questions can be directed to the MQSA Hotline** at <u>MQSAhotline@versatechinc.com</u> or 1-800-838-7715.