## EMIS Change 22-35

Updates to connectivity and hardware program codes reporting guidance based on first year collecting this data.

## 2.9 STUDENT PROGRAM (GQ) RECORD

## Major Program Code Groupings

*Hardware*. These program codes indicate whether a student has hardware access for schoolwork at their primary residence. For each student, report the level of access to computing hardware for doing schoolwork within the student's primary residence.

If the district provides devices to all students in one or more grade levels, reporting the grade levels where devices are provided on the Organization–General Information (DN) Record will eliminate the need to report hardware program codes for individual students.

The level of hardware access for a student may change over time; however, these program codes should be reported based on the district's assessment of a student's status at some point during the month of March. This assessment in March can be one-time only; once a district has assessed a student's status, the district does not need to update the status if it changes later in the month. If the district assesses a student's status in a month other than March, the district may use that information to report these codes instead of doing an additional assessment in March. The district only needs to report one applicable code.

**Connectivity.** These program codes indicate whether a student has internet connectivity at their primary residence. For each student, report the level of internet connectivity for doing schoolwork within the student's primary residence.

The level of internet connectivity for a student may change over time; however, these program codes should be reported based on the district's assessment of a student's status at some point during the month of March. This assessment in March can be one-time only; once a district has assessed a student's status, the district does not need to update the status if it changes later in the month. If the district assesses a student's status in a month other than March, the district may use that information to report these codes instead of doing an additional assessment in March. The district only needs to report one applicable code.