

2015 Pay for Quality (P4Q) Measures

Measure	Measure Description	STAR	CHIP	STAR+PLUS
Well-Child Visits at 3, 4, 5, & 6 yrs. [‡]	The percentage of members 3–6 years of age who had one or more well-child visits with a PCP during the measurement year.*	X	X	
Adolescent Well-Care Visits [‡]	The percentage of enrolled members 12–21 years of age who had at least one comprehensive well-care visit with a PCP or an OB/GYN practitioner during the measurement year.*	X	X	
Prenatal Care and Postpartum Care [‡]	The percentage of deliveries of live births between November 6 of the year prior to the measurement year and November 5 of the measurement year. For these women, the measure assesses the following facets of prenatal care. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Timeliness of Prenatal Care. The percentage of deliveries that received a prenatal care visit as a member of the organization in the first trimester or within 42 days of enrollment in the organization. Postpartum Care. The percentage of deliveries that had a postpartum visit on or between 21 and 56 days after delivery.* 	X		
Potentially Preventable Hospital Admissions (PPAs)	Risk adjusted expenditures for hospital or long-term care facility admission that may have been prevented with access to ambulatory care or health care coordination.	X	X	X
Potentially Preventable Hospital Re-Admissions (PPRs)	Risk adjusted expenditures for return hospitalizations resulting from care or treatment deficiencies provided during a previous hospital stay or from post-hospital discharge follow-up.	X		X
Potentially Preventable ED visits (PPVs)	Risk adjusted expenditures hospital emergency room or freestanding emergency medical care facility treatment provided for a condition that could be provided in a nonemergency setting.	X	X	X
Potentially Preventable Complications (PPCs)	Risk-adjusted expenditures that are related to hospital-based harmful events (accidental laceration during a procedure) or negative outcomes (hospital acquired pneumonia) that may result from the process of care and treatment rather than from a natural progression of underlying disease.	X		X
RRU asthma composite measure [§]	Asthma Medication Ratio: percentage of members who were identified as having persistent asthma and had a ratio of controller medications to total asthma medications of .50 or greater during the measurement year; and Use of Appropriate Medications for People with Asthma: percentage of members during the measurement year who were identified as having persistent asthma and who were appropriately		X	

[‡] Indicates the measure is hybrid.

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[§] Indicates the measure is retired. In July 2015, the National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA) retired the HEDIS performance measure “Use of Appropriate Medications for People With Asthma” (ASM) for HEDIS 2016 (CY2015) which is part of the RRU asthma composite measure.

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	prescribed medication during the measurement year.			
Anti-depressant Medication Management	The percentage of members 18 years of age and older with a diagnosis of major depression and were newly treated with antidepressant medication, and who remained on an antidepressant medication treatment. Two rates are reported. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Effective Acute Phase Treatment. The percentage of newly diagnosed and treated members who remained on an antidepressant medication for at least 84 days (12 weeks). Effective Continuation Phase Treatment. The percentage of newly diagnosed and treated members who remained on an antidepressant medication for at least 180 days (6 months).* 			X
HbA1c Control <8 [‡]	The percentage of members 18-75 years of age with diabetes (type 1 and type 2) who had HbA1c control (<8.0%).*			X

2014 Pay for Quality (P4Q) Measures

Measure	Measure Description	STAR	CHIP	STAR+PLUS
Well-Child Visits at 3, 4, 5, & 6 yrs. [‡]	The percentage of members 3–6 years of age who had one or more well-child visits with a PCP during the measurement year.*	X	X	
Adolescent Well-Care Visits [‡]	The percentage of enrolled members 12–21 years of age who had at least one comprehensive well-care visit with a PCP or an OB/GYN practitioner during the measurement year.*	X	X	
Prenatal Care and Postpartum Care [‡]	The percentage of deliveries of live births between November 6 of the year prior to the measurement year and November 5 of the measurement year. For these women, the measure assesses the following facets of prenatal care. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Timeliness of Prenatal Care. The percentage of deliveries that received a prenatal care visit as a member of the organization in the first trimester or within 42 days of enrollment in the organization. Postpartum Care. The percentage of deliveries that had a postpartum visit on or between 21 and 56 days after delivery.* 	X		
Potentially Preventable Hospital Admissions	Risk adjusted expenditures for hospital or long-term care facility admission that may have been prevented with access to ambulatory care or health care coordination.	X	X	X
Potentially Preventable Hospital Re-Admissions	Risk adjusted expenditures for return hospitalizations resulting from care or treatment deficiencies provided during a previous hospital stay or from post-hospital discharge follow-up.	X		X
Potentially Preventable ED visits	Risk adjusted expenditures hospital emergency room or freestanding emergency medical care facility treatment provided for a condition that could be provided in a nonemergency setting.	X	X	X

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Anti-depressant Medication Management	The percentage of members 18 years of age and older with a diagnosis of major depression and were newly treated with antidepressant medication, and who remained on an antidepressant medication treatment. Two rates are reported. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Effective Acute Phase Treatment. The percentage of newly diagnosed and treated members who remained on an antidepressant medication for at least 84 days (12 weeks). Effective Continuation Phase Treatment. The percentage of newly diagnosed and treated members who remained on an antidepressant medication for at least 180 days (6 months).* 			X
HbA1c Control <8 [‡]	The percentage of members 18-75 years of age with diabetes (type 1 and type 2) who had HbA1c control (<8.0%).*			X

2013 At-Risk Measures

Measure	Measure Description	STAR	CHIP	STAR+PLUS
Childhood Immunization Status [‡]	The percentage of children 2 years of age who had four diphtheria, tetanus and acellular pertussis (DTaP); three polio (IPV); one measles, mumps and rubella (MMR); three H influenza type B (HiB); three hepatitis B (HepB), one chicken pox (VZV); four pneumococcal conjugate (PCV); one hepatitis A (HepA); two or three rotavirus (RV); and two influenza (flu) vaccines by their second birthday.	X	X	
Well-Child Visits at 3, 4, 5, & 6 Yrs. [‡]	The percentage of members 3–6 years of age who had one or more well-child visits with a PCP during the measurement year.	X	X	
Adolescent Well-Care Visits [‡]	The percentage of enrolled members 12–21 years of age who had at least one comprehensive well-care visit with a PCP or an OB/GYN practitioner during the measurement year.	X	X	
Prenatal Care [‡]	The percentage of deliveries of live births between November 6 of the year prior to the measurement year and November 5 of the measurement year. For these women, the measure assesses the following facet of prenatal care. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Timeliness of Prenatal Care. The percentage of deliveries that received a prenatal care visit as a member of the organization in the first trimester or within 42 days of enrollment in the organization. 	X		
Use of Appropriate Medication for People With Asthma	The percentage of members 5–64 years of age during the measurement year who were identified as having persistent asthma and who were appropriately prescribed medication during the measurement year.	X	X	X

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Measure	Measure Description	STAR	CHIP	STAR+PLUS
Cholesterol Management for Patients With Cardiovascular Conditions	The percentage of members 18–75 years of age who were discharged alive for AMI, coronary artery bypass graft (CABG) or percutaneous coronary interventions (PCI) from January 1–November 1 of the year prior to the measurement year, or who had a diagnosis of ischemic vascular disease (IVD) during the measurement year and the year prior to the measurement year, who had each of the following during the measurement year: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LDL-C screening. • LDL-C control (<100 mg/dL). 			X
HbA1c Testing [‡]	The percentage of members 18–75 years of age with diabetes (type 1 and type 2) who had HbA1c testing.			X

2013 Quality Challenge Measures

Measure	Measure Description	STAR	CHIP	STAR+PLUS
Appropriate Testing for Children with Pharyngitis (2-18 yrs.)	The percentage of children 2–18 years of age who were diagnosed with pharyngitis, dispensed an antibiotic and received a group A streptococcus (strep) test for the episode.	X	X	
Weight Assessment and Counseling for Nutrition and Physical Activity for Children/Adolescents	The percentage of members 3–17 years of age who had an outpatient visit with a PCP or OB/GYN and who had evidence of the following during the measurement year. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BMI percentile documentation. • Counseling for nutrition. • Counseling for physical activity. 	X	X	
Member using Inpatient Services for ACSC (AHRQ-Pediatric Quality Indicators (PDI))	Pediatric Quality Indicators (PDIs) for child members: (1) Asthma (2) Diabetes Short-Term Complications (3) Gastroenteritis (4) Perforated Appendix (5) Urinary Tract Infection (The age eligibility for these measures is 17 years old and younger.)	X	X	

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Member using inpatient services for ACSC (AHRQ- Prevention Quality Indicators (PQIs)	Prevention Quality Indicators (PQIs) for adult members: (1) Diabetes Short-Term Complications (8) Dehydration (2) Perforated Appendix (9) Bacterial Pneumonia (3) Diabetes Long-Term Complications (10) Urinary Tract Infection (4) Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (11) Angina without Procedure (5) Low Birth Weight (12) Uncontrolled Diabetes (6) Hypertension (13) Adult Asthma (7) Congestive Heart Failure (14) Rate of Lower Extremity Amputation among Patients			X
Follow-up Care for Children Prescribed ADHD Medication: Initiation Phase	The percentage of children newly prescribed attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) medication who had at least three follow-up care visits within a 10-month period, one of which was within 30 days of when the first ADHD medication was dispensed. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Initiation Phase. The percentage of members 6–12 years of age as of the IPSPD with an ambulatory prescription dispensed for ADHD medication, who had one follow-up visit with practitioner with prescribing authority during the 30-day Initiation Phase. 	X	X	
Antidepressant Medication Management	The percentage of members 18 years of age and older with a diagnosis of major depression and were newly treated with antidepressant medication, and who remained on an antidepressant medication treatment. Two rates are reported. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Effective Acute Phase Treatment. The percentage of newly diagnosed and treated members who remained on an antidepressant medication for at least 84 days (12 weeks). Effective Continuation Phase Treatment. The percentage of newly diagnosed and treated members who remained on an antidepressant medication for at least 180 days (6 months). 			X
Adult BMI Assessment	The percentage of members 18–74 years of age who had an outpatient visit and whose body mass index (BMI) was documented during the measurement year or the year prior to the measurement year.			X
Members Utilizing CDS Option: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HCBS SPW PAS HCBS Non-SPW PHC 	0.5% Increase in Members utilizing Consumer Directed Services			X
Diabetic Eye Exam	The percentage of members 18–75 years of age with diabetes (type 1 and type 2) who had an eye exam.			X

2012 At-Risk Measures

Measure	Measure Description	STAR	CHIP	STAR+PLUS
Present on Admission	98% of Institutional encounters submitted with non-exempt diagnosis codes will have a Present on Admission indicator.	X	X	X
Geo-Access - Provider	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 90% of child Members have access to at least one child-appropriate PCP with an Open Panel within 30 travel miles from Member's residence. 90% of Adult Members have access to at least one PCP with an Open Panel within 30 travel miles from Member's residence. 	X	X	X
Geo-Access - Pharmacy	80% of Members have access to at least one network pharmacy within 15 miles of the Member's residence.	X	X	X
Clean Claims Adjudicated in 30 days	98% of clean claims are adjudicated within 30 calendar days of receipt.	X	X	X
Call Timeliness	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 80% of Member calls must be answered within 30seconds. The Member Hotline average hold time does not exceed 2 minutes. The Member Hotline abandonment rate does not exceed 7%. 	X	X	X

2012 Quality Challenge Measures

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Ambulatory Care	<p>Utilization of ambulatory care in the following categories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outpatient Visits • Emergency Department Visits 	X	X	X
Inpatient Utilization General Hospital/Acute Care	<p>Utilization of acute inpatient care and services in the following categories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Total inpatient • Medicine • Surgery • Maternity 	X	X	X
Members Utilizing CDS Option: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HCBS SPW Personal Attendant Services (PAS) • HCBS Non-SPW Primary Home Care (PHC) 	0.5% Increase in Members utilizing Consumer Directed Services.			X

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