



NORMATIVE LETTER 19-1107

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To: Managed Care Organizations (MCOs) contracted to offer services under the Government Health Plan Program Vital

Re: HEDIS Measures

The Puerto Rico Health Insurance Administration (PRHIA) will continue using the same HEDIS metrics that have been reported for the past years except for the Frequency of Ongoing Prenatal Care (FPC) which has been retired. Be advised that the measurement period for the HEDIS 2020 is January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019. Also, for the next year, the HEDIS metric list will remain the same.

HEDIS Measures:

EFFECTIVENESS OF CARE	
ABA	Adult BMI Assessment
WCC	Weight Assessment and Counseling for Nutrition and Physical Activity for Children and Adolescents
	<i>BMI Percentile</i>
	<i>Counseling for Nutrition</i>
	<i>Counseling for Physical Activity</i>
CIS	Childhood Immunization Status
BCS	Breast Cancer Screening
CCS	Cervical Cancer Screening
CHL	Chlamydia Screening in Women
MMA	Medication Management for People with Asthma
CBP	Controlling High Blood Pressure
CDC	Comprehensive Diabetes Care
	<i>Hemoglobin A1c (HbA1c) Testing</i>
	<i>HbA1c Poor Control (>9.0%)</i>
	<i>HbA1c Control (<8.0%)</i>
	<i>HbA1c Control (<7.0%) for a Selected Population</i>
	<i>Eye Exam</i>
	<i>Medical Attention for Nephropathy</i>
	<i>BP Control (<140/90 mm Hg)</i>
AMM	Antidepressant Medication Management
SSD	Diabetes Screening for People with Schizophrenia or Bipolar Disorder who are using Antipsychotic Medications.
ADD	Follow-Up Care for Children Prescribed ADHD Medication
FUH	Follow-Up After Hospitalization for Mental Illness



URI	Appropriate Treatment for Children with Upper Respiratory Infection
ACCESS/AVAILABILITY OF CARE	
AAP	Adults' Access to Preventive/Ambulatory Health Services
CAP	Children and Adolescents' Access to Primary Care Practitioners
ADV	Annual Dental Visit
PPC	Prenatal and Postpartum Care
	<i>Timeliness of Prenatal Care</i>
	<i>Postpartum Care</i>
UTILIZATION	
W15	Well-Child Visits in the First 15 Months of Life
AWC	Adolescent Well-Care Visits
FSP	Frequency of Selected Procedures
AMB	Ambulatory Care
IAD	Identification of Alcohol and Other Drug Services
MPT	Mental Health Utilization

Sincerely,

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