# Linkage to behavioral care and MAT for people with opioid use disorders

#### **Metric Information**

**Metric description:** Practice/clinic site level measure of how the site delivers acute care and recovery services to people with opioid use disorders (OUDs).

**Reporting period and deadline:** Semi-annual, DY3 through DY5

Reporting Period	Reporting Deadline
January – June 2019	07/31/2019
July – December 2019	01/31/2020
January – June 2020	07/31/2020
July – December 2020	01/31/2021
January – June 2021	07/31/2021
July – December 2021	01/31/2022

#### **DSRIP Program Summary**

Project affiliation: Project 2A □ Project 3A ■

**Metric respondent criteria:** All practice/clinic sites identified by the ACH as a partnering provider engaged in Project 3A transformation strategies.

#### **Metric Details**

#### Question and response format:

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What protocols are in place to provide a pathway for all patients with opioid use disorder to be evaluated for behavioral health interventions?	<ul> <li>Select all that apply:</li> <li>Screening and treatment for depression and anxiety occurs on site</li> <li>Screening for depression and anxiety occur on site, patients are referred for treatment</li> <li>Contracting with providers who offer these services</li> <li>Formalized referral relationship (through MOU or a similar arrangement) with providers who offer these services</li> <li>Informal referral relationships with providers who offer these services</li> <li>None of the above</li> </ul>



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What protocols are in place to provide a pathway for all patients with opioid use disorder to be evaluated for medication-assisted treatment?	<ul> <li>Select all that apply:</li> <li>Medications are provided on site</li> <li>Contracting with providers who offer these services</li> <li>Formalized referral relationship (through MOU or a similar arrangement) with providers who offer these services</li> <li>Informal referral relationships with providers who offer these services</li> <li>None of the above</li> </ul>

#### **Potential Follow-Up Questions**

The Independent Assessor (IA) and/or the Independent External Evaluator (IEE) may use these questions in follow-up conversations with partnering provider sites (practice/clinic, community-based organization) and ACHs. ACHs may elect to use them for their own follow-up activities with partnering provider sites.

- If your practice/clinic site offers behavioral care or MAT to patients with OUDs, are they offered to some, most or all patients with OUDs?
- Do patients with OUDs who get care from your practice or clinic site typically get these services from you, or do they go elsewhere?
- What systems are in place to ensure the beneficiary is connected to the acute care and recovery services that are needed?

#### Version Control

July 2018 Release: Full P4R metric specifications released.

