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## Executive Summary

Apple Health, the Washington Medicaid program administered by the Health Care Authority (HCA), provides managed health care benefits for more than 1.1 million residents. Managed care enrollment has nearly doubled since July 2012 with implementation of the Affordable Care Act and the inclusion in managed care of Medicaid populations who previously received fee-for-service care.

HCA has used Healthcare Effectiveness Data and Information Set (HEDIS®)\* measures since 1998 to assess the performance of the managed care organizations (MCOs) that serve Medicaid enrollees. Developed and maintained by the National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA), the HEDIS measures allow comparison of the Washington MCOs' performance with national benchmarks for the Medicaid population.

This report presents the 2014 results of HEDIS measures for the five MCOs that serve Apple Health enrollees:

- Amerigroup Washington Inc. (AMG)
- Community Health Plan of Washington (CHP)
- Coordinated Care Corp. (CCC)
- Molina Healthcare of Washington (MHW)
- UnitedHealthcare Community Plan (UHC)

Amerigroup, Coordinated Care, and UnitedHealthcare began contracting with HCA on July 1, 2012, and therefore had only 6 months of service data for enrollees in 2012. Since many HEDIS measures are based on services delivered to enrollees with 12 months of continuous enrollment, HCA required each MCO to report only inpatient and ambulatory care utilization measures in 2013—omitting performance data for childhood immunizations, well-child care, diabetes care, and other measures HCA had required historically. This year, the MCOs returned to reporting a full set of clinical care measures as required by HCA.

This 2014 report presents initial data in terms of analyzing the current MCOs' performance in serving the broad range of enrollees under Apple Health. Compared with the same measures in previous years, the 2014 measures apply to a greatly expanded Medicaid population, including many thousands of enrollees who formerly received fee-for-service care (e.g., disabled/blind SSI recipients and other adult clients). Despite differences in the 2012 and 2014 Medicaid populations, and in the roster of MCO contractors, this report presents formal statistical comparisons of the 2012 and 2014 state averages as an index of system change.

HCA required the MCOs to report certain HEDIS measures for the first time in 2014, as noted below. Also, MHW reported measures for the Washington Medicaid Integration Partnership (WMIP) pilot program in 2014, as in previous years. Because HCA ended the WMIP program on June 30, 2014, this report presents the final performance data for WMIP.

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## 2014 HEDIS results

The recent changes in Medicaid enrollment affect several aspects of performance measure reporting, and thus the interpretation of HEDIS results, as described below.

- **Continuous enrollment:** Several measures require that members be enrolled with their MCO at least 12 months to qualify for inclusion in the measure's denominator. These measures include immunizations, diabetes, asthma, and some utilization measures. Many members assigned to the new MCOs do not meet the enrollment criteria because the MCOs were newly contracted with HCA in July 2012. Therefore, even though MCO members may have received health care services through their MCOs in 2013, they may not be represented in the measures that require continuous enrollment.
- **Enrollment stability:** HCA required MCOs to meet network adequacy standards during 2012; however, most MCOs continued to add new providers to their networks throughout 2013. As a result, many enrollees may not have established a relationship with a care provider during 2013.
- **Access to data:** The "legacy" MCOs (CHP and MHW) have access to their members' historical administrative data for HEDIS reporting. While HCA supplied some historical data to the new MCOs, the administrative data may not be complete for those members.

## 2014 highlights

Given the caveats noted above, Aumentra Health's analysis of HEDIS results for 2014 revealed the following highlights.

- *Childhood immunization* measures showed different trends depending on how long HCA has required the measures to be reported.
  - For the seven antigens in Combo 3, which the Washington MCOs have reported for many years, the statewide average immunization rates in 2014 were uniformly lower than in 2012, and were significantly below the 2014 U.S. average rates. In Washington, average immunization rates for these antigens peaked most recently in 2010.
  - For the hepatitis A, rotavirus, and influenza vaccines, first reported in 2010, average immunization rates continued to rise from previous years. Although the statewide rates for hepatitis A and rotavirus remained significantly below the U.S. average rates, the statewide influenza immunization rate significantly exceeded the U.S. rate.
- Performance on *diabetes care indicators* showed mixed results.
  - Delivery of screening procedures generally increased from 2012 (except for a significant decline in dilated retinal exams), as did the overall percentage of enrollees with LDL-C levels under control.
  - The percentage of enrollees with acceptable HbA1c levels continued to fall, and the percentage of those with good control of their blood pressure declined markedly.
  - Relative to the U.S. Medicaid averages, the Washington MCOs significantly underperformed on six of the nine diabetes indicators. However, the statewide rate of HbA1c testing significantly exceeded the U.S. average rate.

- *Well-child care (WCC) visit rates* showed little change since the previous measurement in 2012. The Washington MCOs continue to lag behind the national Medicaid performance in providing WCC visits, particularly for older children and adolescents.
- The rate of *emergency room (ER) visits* by Washington MCO enrollees in 2014 rose significantly from 2013 to 2014, reversing a trend of declining ER utilization. However, the Washington Medicaid average remained significantly below the U.S. Medicaid average, as has been the case since 2006.
- *Access to primary care practitioners* for children and adolescents was a bright spot, as the Washington MCOs reported access rates significantly higher than the U.S. average rates for three of four age groups. In years before 2008 when the Washington MCOs were required to report this measure, access rates were similarly high.

Considering measures that HCA required the MCOs to report for the first time in 2014:

- The MCOs performed below the U.S. averages for adolescent meningococcal immunizations, weight assessment and counseling for nutrition and physical activity for children and adolescents, pharyngitis testing for children, and use of appropriate medications for people with asthma.

**Performance by MCO:** CHP remained the top performer for immunizations, followed by MHW and CCC. AMG and UHC reported the poorest results in 2014, often significantly below the state average. On diabetes care indicators, CHP and MHW generally outperformed the statewide average, as did CCC; however, UHC's generally poor performance on these indicators tended to weigh down the overall group performance.

On newer measures of services for children and adolescents, CHP outperformed other MCOs in delivering weight assessment and counseling for nutrition and physical activity, while MHW was the top performer in providing access to primary care practitioners.

**WMIP final performance data:** Acumentra Health analyzed long-term trends in HEDIS measures for the WMIP program, spanning 6 to 9 years, depending on data availability. This analysis revealed:

- Considering *diabetes care*, the delivery of screening measures showed little improvement over time, except for monitoring of diabetic nephropathy. The long-term trends in outcome measures (HbA1c levels and blood pressure and LDL-C control) also were discouraging.
- More encouragingly, the measures of *timely follow-up treatment after hospitalization for mental illness* improved significantly from 2008 to 2014. *Antidepressant medication management* for WMIP enrollees also trended in a positive direction over time.
- Trends in *ambulatory care utilization* showed a significant increase in outpatient visit rates coupled with a significant decrease in ER visit rates, suggesting that the program succeeded in treating enrollees at less intensive levels of care over time.

Appendix B presents detailed historical data on all HEDIS measures reported by the Washington MCOs since 2010.

## Recommendations

Previous reports in this series have outlined recommendations for HCA and the MCOs, aimed at improving access to care and the quality and timeliness of care. Many of those recommendations remain valid, although their current feasibility may be limited by the resource constraints facing the Washington Medicaid program.

To sustain long-term improvement in the delivery of managed care for Medicaid enrollees, Acentra Health recommends that HCA

- seek to align performance measures with other state and federal reporting requirements to reduce burden on providers and promote efficient use of health system resources
- consider requiring the MCOs to engage in formal activity to share best practices aimed at reducing the performance gaps among health plans for specific measures
- help MCOs overcome barriers to collecting complete member-level encounter data, including race/ethnicity data, so that the MCOs can use these data to assess resources for improving the quality of care and establish appropriate interventions to address health care disparities. In previous years, the EQRO found gaps in immunization and well-child datasets that limit the ability to perform comprehensive analysis.
- set performance expectations for HEDIS measures, such as requiring MCOs to perform a PIP or focused improvement study for measures that fail to meet specific benchmarks
- designate incentive measures for which MCOs can receive quality incentive payments for top performance
- continue to provide supplemental data on Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment to assist the MCOs in calculating HEDIS well-child measures
- consider adding a contract requirement for the MCOs to provide HEDIS-specific performance feedback to clinics and providers on a frequent and regular schedule

Acentra Health recommends that the contracted MCOs

- participate in public health initiatives and partnerships such as the Washington State Collaborative to Improve Care and the DOH's Washington State Immunization Information System (formerly called Child Profile)
- provide dashboard reporting on a routine basis to providers to highlight regional rates, since public reporting may promote more local control and better coordination among providers and other entities providing services
- monitor member-level data to improve the completeness of race and ethnicity information, to aid in establishing appropriate interventions to address health care disparities
- conduct validation studies to improve the quality of encounter data to ensure that enrollees are receiving appropriate interventions
- monitor their HEDIS rates at least quarterly, using administrative data

## Introduction

Traditionally, the Washington Medicaid program provided managed medical care primarily for children, mothers, and pregnant women, and for several thousand adult SSI or SSI-related clients through the WMIP program in Snohomish County. Since July 1, 2012, however, managed care enrollment has nearly doubled with the addition of disabled and blind SSI recipients and other new populations, such as those served by the former Medical Care Services program. The net effect has been a major shift toward adult enrollment.

As of January 1, 2014, all populations served by Washington Medicaid, including many thousands of newly eligible enrollees authorized by the federal Affordable Care Act, were rolled up under Apple Health.

Table 1 shows the name and acronym of each MCO and the number of enrollees by service population in December 2013.

**Table 1. Washington Medicaid managed care plans and enrollees, December 2013.<sup>a</sup>**

<b>Health plan</b>	<b>Enrollment</b>
<b>Amerigroup Washington Inc. (AMG)</b>	
Healthy Options/Healthy Options Foster Care/CHIP/Basic Health Plus	34,241
<i>SSI recipients (included in above)</i>	<i>10,503</i>
<b>Community Health Plan of Washington (CHP)</b>	
Healthy Options/Healthy Options Foster Care/CHIP/Basic Health Plus	236,404
<i>SSI recipients (included in above)</i>	<i>27,468</i>
Health Home	61
Medical Care Services (formerly GA-U)	7,180
CHP total	243,645
<b>Coordinated Care Corp. (CCC)</b>	
Healthy Options/Healthy Options Foster Care/CHIP/Basic Health Plus	80,592
<i>SSI recipients (included in above)</i>	<i>15,759</i>
<b>Molina Healthcare of Washington (MHW)</b>	
Healthy Options/Healthy Options Foster Care/CHIP/Basic Health Plus	375,231
<i>SSI recipients (included in above)</i>	<i>29,964</i>
WMIP	3,055
MHW total	378,286
<b>UnitedHealthcare Community Plan (UHC)</b>	
Healthy Options/Healthy Options Foster Care/CHIP/Basic Health Plus	60,754
<i>SSI recipients (included in above)</i>	<i>14,555</i>
Health Home	265
UHC total	61,019
<b>Total</b>	<b>797,783</b>

<sup>a</sup> Healthy Options includes SSI recipients in the Blind/Disabled population.

Source: Washington Health Care Authority.

Figure 1 shows the geographical distribution of MCO services as of May 1, 2013. AMG began serving enrollees in Benton and Franklin counties during 2013.

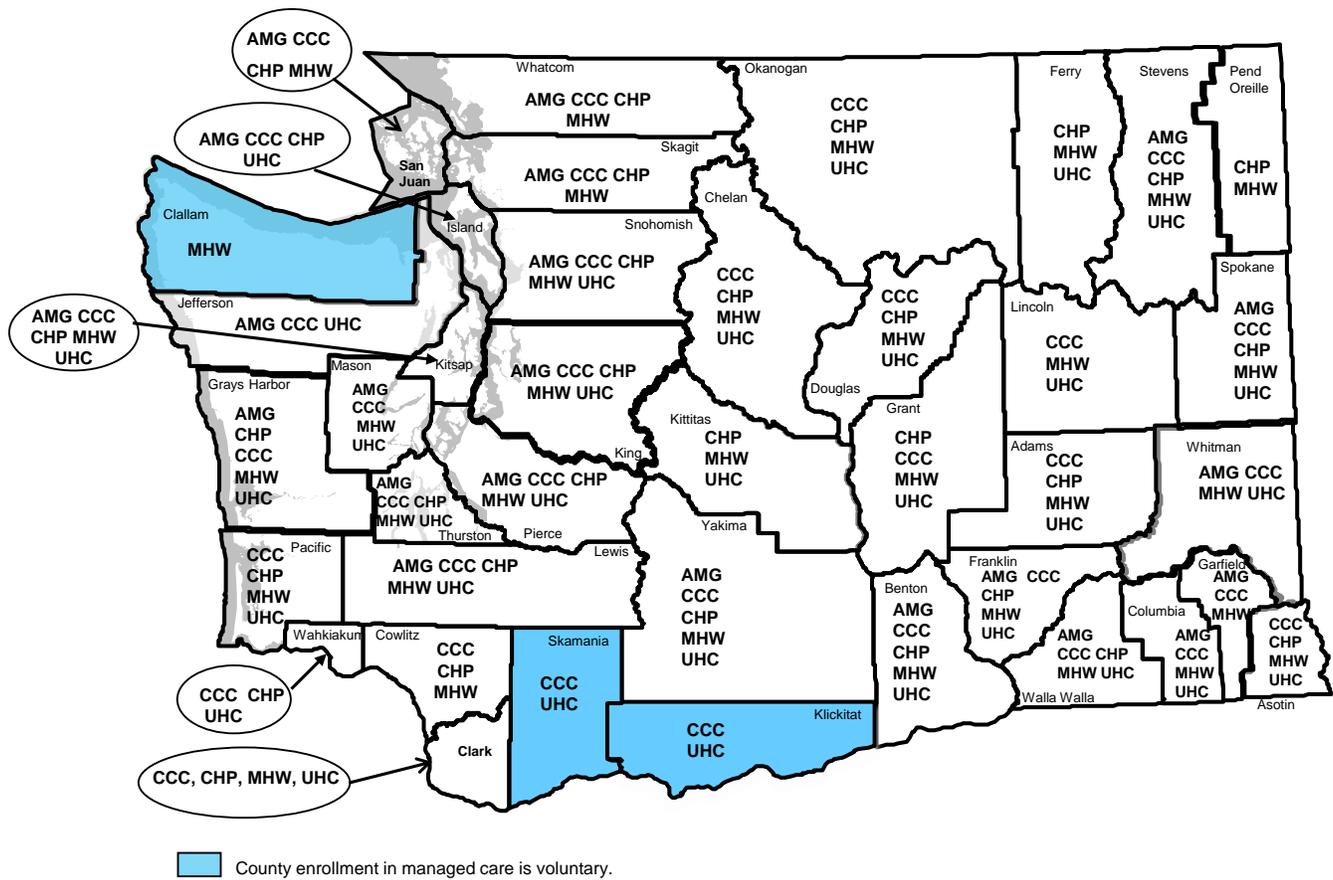


Figure 1. Geographical coverage of Washington Medicaid enrollees by MCO, May 2013.

HCA has stated that it will require all five currently contracted MCOs to hold NCQA accreditation by December 31, 2016. Those with current accreditation for the Medicaid product line include CCC, CHP, and MHW.

## Methods

HEDIS results for a measurement year (the year in which care is given) are gathered, audited, and reported the following year, called the reporting year. Results are based on a statistically valid random sample of health plan enrollees. The HEDIS technical specifications set stringent criteria for identifying the eligible population for each measure.<sup>1</sup>

To ensure data integrity, NCQA verifies that a health plan collects data according to the technical specifications. Each plan's data collection process is audited by an NCQA-certified HEDIS auditor. The NCQA HEDIS Compliance Audit<sup>TM</sup> assures purchasers and health plans of fair and accurate comparisons of plan performance. HCA funds the HEDIS audit for the MCOs to fulfill the federal requirement for validation of state performance measures.

This report presents results for reporting year 2014 (measurement year 2013) for the HEDIS measures that HCA required the Washington MCOs to report. Results for the WMIP program appear in charts that display available data since 2006.

Acumentra Health compiled individual MCO data from the NCQA-audited Interactive Data Submission System (IDSS) results.<sup>2</sup> We derived the state average for each measure by adding individual MCO numerators and denominators, dividing the aggregate numerator by the aggregate denominator, and converting the ratio to the appropriate reporting unit. Most HEDIS measures are reported as percentages; utilization measures are typically reported as counts per 1,000 member months. The 2014 national Medicaid averages came from NCQA's *Quality Compass*<sup>®</sup> report.<sup>3</sup>

Data graphs show the 95% confidence interval (CI) for each measurement, indicating the upper and lower limits within which each MCO percentage would be expected to fall 95 times if 100 identical studies were conducted. The smaller the CI, the higher the likelihood that the percentage found in the MCO sample reliably estimates the percentage that applies to MCO members overall. A small CI, therefore, indicates greater precision, usually due to adequate sample sizes.

For each measure, Appendix B reports the NCQA national Medicaid average rate and the 90th percentile rate. The latter is NCQA's highest benchmark rate, below which fall 90% of all rates reported nationally.

Note: HEDIS measures are not designed for case-mix adjustment or risk adjustment for existing co-morbidities, physical or mental disabilities, or severity of disease. Therefore, when reviewing and comparing plan performance, it may be difficult to determine whether differences among MCO rates were due to differences in the use of services or quality of care, or to differences in the health of the MCO's population.

### Administrative vs. hybrid data collection

For certain measures, HEDIS technical specifications allow a health plan to collect data by the administrative or the hybrid method. In the administrative method, the health plan defines the eligible population and uses data from its information systems—such as claims and encounter data—to identify enrollees who received the service(s) for the measure. In the hybrid method, the health plan performs supplemental medical chart reviews to identify enrollees who received service(s) that might not be captured in the administrative data. Regardless of the data collection method, eligible enrollees who received services are counted as “numerator events.”

A sample of hybrid numerator events is validated as part of the HEDIS audit process. This medical record review validation (MRRV) ensures that chart reviews performed by the health plan, or by its contracted vendor, meet audit standards for sound processes and that abstracted medical data are accurate.

Beginning in 2013, NCQA implemented new audit requirements intended to make the MRRV process “more rigorous.” Health plans must meet a deadline of May 15 each year to finish abstracting medical records for all measures and to send the associated data to the HEDIS auditor. No charts are accepted past that date, when auditors began to review records.

The new audit procedure also uses a different, more sensitive statistical test to determine bias in medical record review. This test is intended to reduce the number of errors allowed in the sample of data collected using the hybrid method.

For the past several years, Acumentra Health has analyzed and reported on the difference between HEDIS rates calculated through the administrative vs. the hybrid method. For 2014, MCOs reported five hybrid measures: childhood immunizations, adolescent immunizations, weight assessment and counseling, comprehensive diabetes care, and the well-child measure set. Analysts reviewed data collected for the hybrid measures and found that the amount of data from medical record review varies by measure and by health plan. For some clinical measures, virtually all of the data is collected by medical record review. Since this was the initial year for reporting for three of the five plans, it was difficult to compare data collection methods for the newly contracted plans.

## Supplemental data

For years, many MCOs have used supplemental data to calculate their HEDIS measures. Supplemental data are defined as any health care delivery information that is available outside of the MCO’s claims/encounter data system. In 2013, NCQA created a formal structure and processes for supplemental data, and the 2014 HEDIS technical specifications provide guidelines for collection, validation, and use of these data. All supplemental data used by the MCO must meet NCQA specifications as determined by the auditor.

Three distinct categories of supplemental data apply to HEDIS reporting: Standard, Nonstandard, and Member-reported. The auditor must determine which category each supplemental data source belongs to and must communicate that determination to the MCO.

In 2014, all Washington MCOs used auditor-approved supplemental data in calculating their HEDIS measures. Examples of approved supplemental data include lab data, historical medical record data, and fee-for-service data on Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment (EPSDT) provided by HCA. The EPSDT supplemental data file was produced for HEDIS for the first time in 2014. The auditor examined HCA’s processes and source data as a component of the MCO audit. All MCOs reported that the state-supplied data had a positive impact on their well-child measures.

## Member-level data analysis

In the past, HCA has required the MCOs to submit de-identified member-level data (including elements for gender, primary language, race/ethnicity, and county) on childhood immunizations. HCA did not require submission of member-level data in 2014.

## Immunization for Children and Adolescents

For 2014, HCA required the MCOs to report 19 indicators of Childhood Immunization Status (10 individual antigens plus 9 combinations of antigens). For the first time, HCA required the MCOs to report Immunization for Adolescents. See measure definitions below.

### Measure definition

*Childhood Immunization Status* assesses the percentage of enrolled children who turned two years old during the measurement year, who were continuously enrolled for 12 months immediately preceding their second birthday, and who received the following vaccinations:

- four diphtheria, tetanus, and acellular pertussis (DTaP)
- three polio (IPV)
- one measles, mumps, and rubella (MMR)
- three *Haemophilus influenzae* type b (HiB)
- three hepatitis B (Hep B)
- one varicella-zoster virus (VZV)
- four pneumococcal conjugate (PCV)
- one hepatitis A (Hep A)
- two or three rotavirus (RV)
- two influenza (flu)
- Combination #2 (Combo 2) includes all antigens listed above except for PCV, Hep A, RV, flu
- Combination #3 (Combo 3) includes all antigens listed above except for Hep A, RV, flu
- Combination #4 (Combo 4) includes all antigens listed above except for RV, flu
- Combination #5 (Combo 5) includes all antigens listed above except for Hep A, flu
- Combination #6 (Combo 6) includes all antigens listed above except for Hep A, RV
- Combination #7 (Combo 7) includes all antigens listed above except for flu
- Combination #8 (Combo 8) includes all antigens listed above except for RV
- Combination #9 (Combo 9) includes all antigens listed above except for Hep A
- Combination #10 (Combo 10) includes all antigens listed above

*Immunization for Adolescents* assesses the percentage of adolescents 13 years of age who had one dose of meningococcal vaccine and one tetanus, diphtheria toxoids, and acellular pertussis (Tdap) vaccine or one tetanus, diphtheria toxoids (Td) vaccine by their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday. The measure calculates a rate for each vaccine and one combination rate.

**Data collection method:** Administrative or hybrid

## Childhood immunization rates

### Diphtheria, Tetanus, and Pertussis (DTaP)

Figure 2 displays the 2014 results for DTaP immunizations by MCO. The statewide average immunization rate (72.25%) was significantly lower than the U.S. average rate and significantly lower than the 2012 statewide rate. CHP’s rate (79.81%) was significantly higher than the state average, while the rates for AMG and UHC were significantly below average.

The epidemic of pertussis in Washington during 2012–2013 underscores the importance of delivering the full series of four DTaP vaccinations for infants, as well as Tdap boosters for adolescents and adults. Through mid-October 2014, the Washington Department of Health (DOH) reported 373 pertussis cases, down from 627 in the same period of 2013.<sup>4</sup> The highest incidence rate was among infants under one year of age (57.6 cases per 100,000).

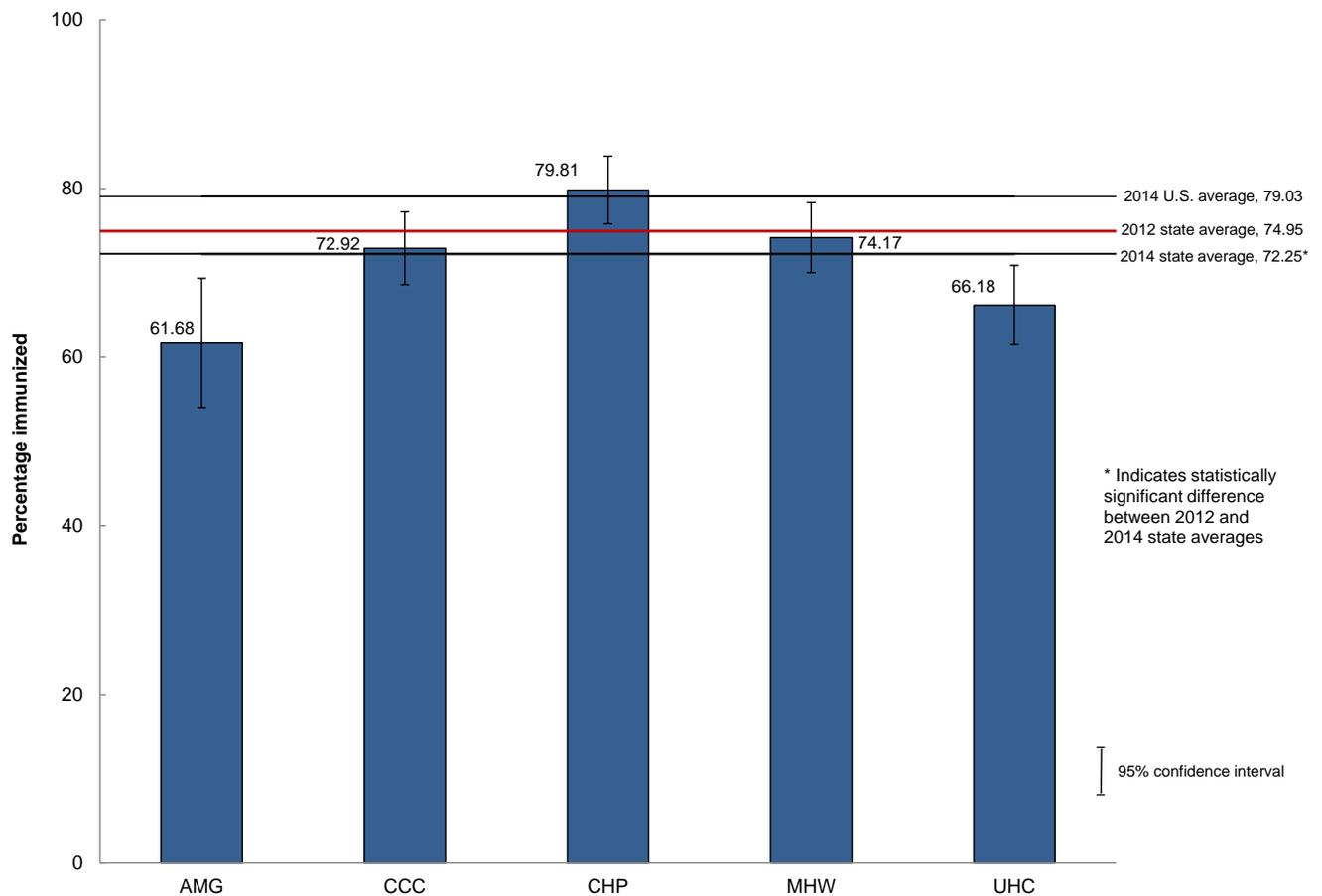


Figure 2. DTaP immunizations by health plan, reporting year 2014.

### Inactivated Polio Vaccine (IPV)

Statewide IPV immunization rates in 2014 averaged 85.27%, significantly lower than the U.S. average and significantly lower than the 2012 statewide rate (see Figure 3). The rates for CHP (91.24%) and MHW (89.18%) were significantly higher than the state average, while the rates for AMG and UHC were significantly below average.

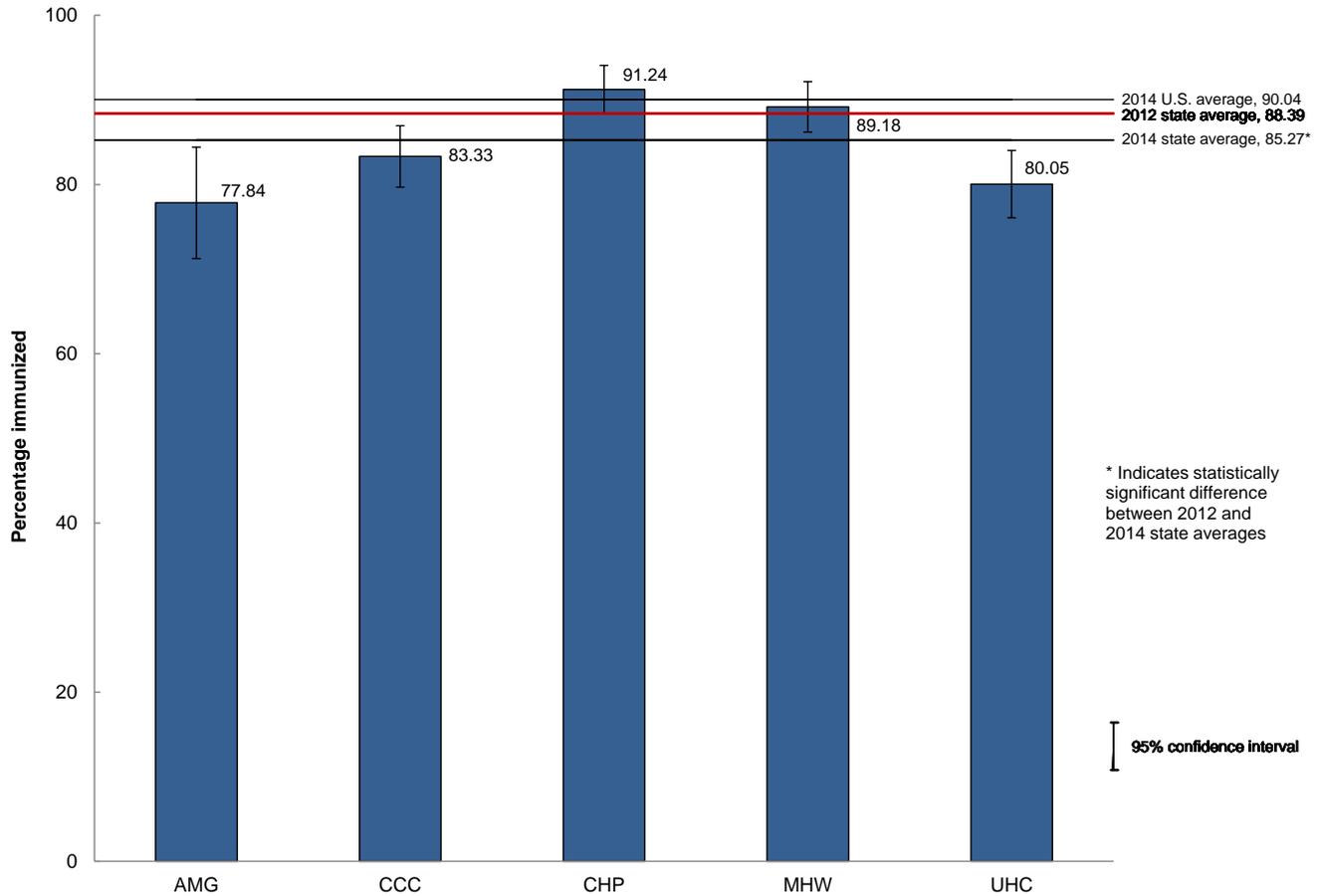


Figure 3. IPV immunizations by health plan, reporting year 2014.

### Measles, Mumps, and Rubella (MMR)

Statewide MMR immunization rates in 2014 averaged 86.29%, significantly lower than the U.S. average and significantly lower than the 2012 statewide rate (see Figure 4). CHP significantly outperformed the state average with a rate of 90.51%, while the rates for AMG and UHC were significantly below average.

In mid-July 2014, measles cases in Washington were reported at an 18-year high of 27 cases, compared with only 5 cases in 2013.<sup>5</sup> The recent outbreak comes after a five-year decline in the percentage of Medicaid managed care recipients receiving MMR vaccinations.

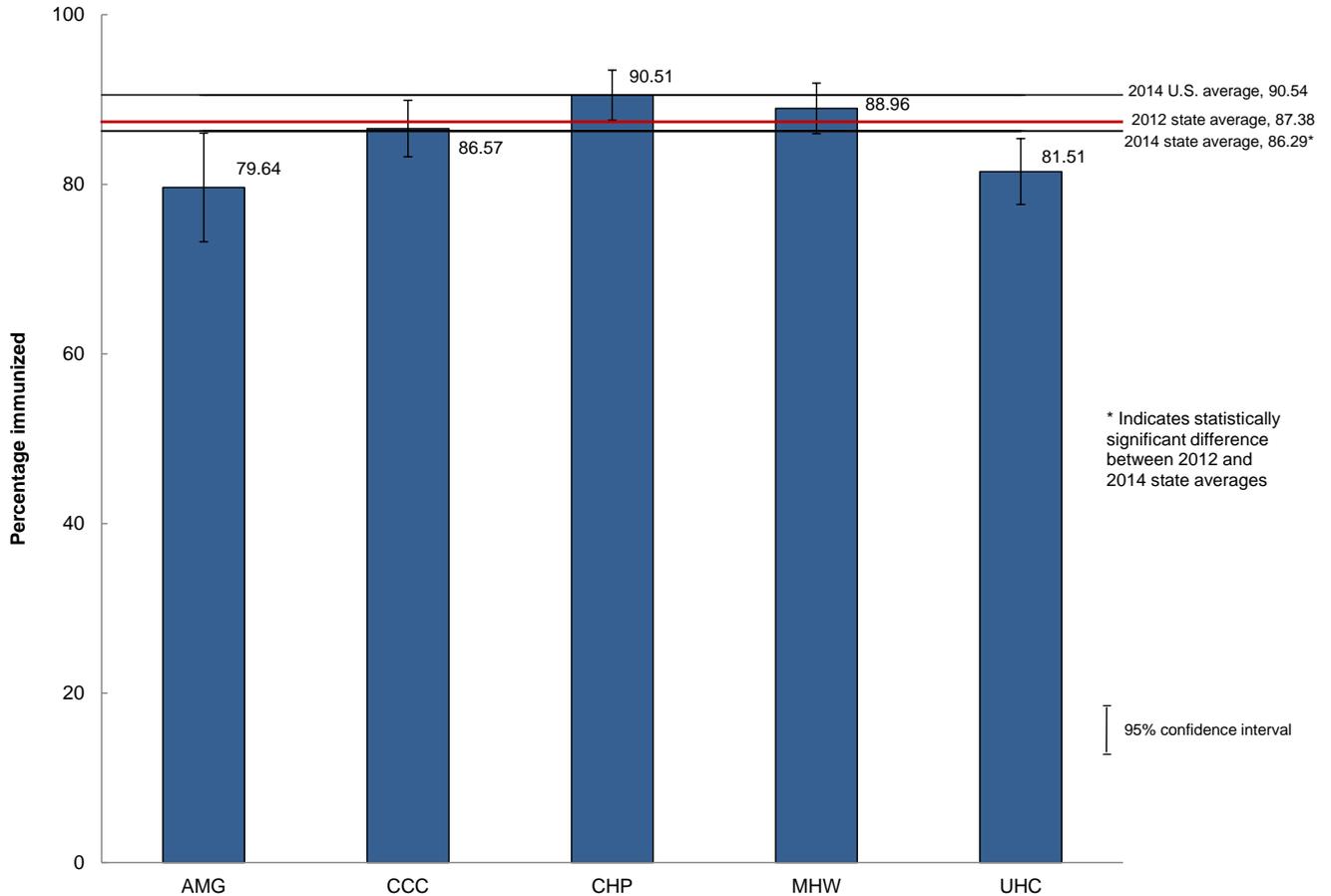


Figure 4. MMR immunizations by health plan, reporting year 2014.

### Haemophilus Influenzae Type B (HiB)

Figure 5 displays the 2014 results for HiB immunizations by MCO. The statewide average immunization rate (86.39%) was significantly lower than the U.S. average and significantly lower than the 2012 statewide rate. CHP’s rate (91.73%) was significantly higher than the state average, while UHC’s rate (80.29%) was significantly below average.

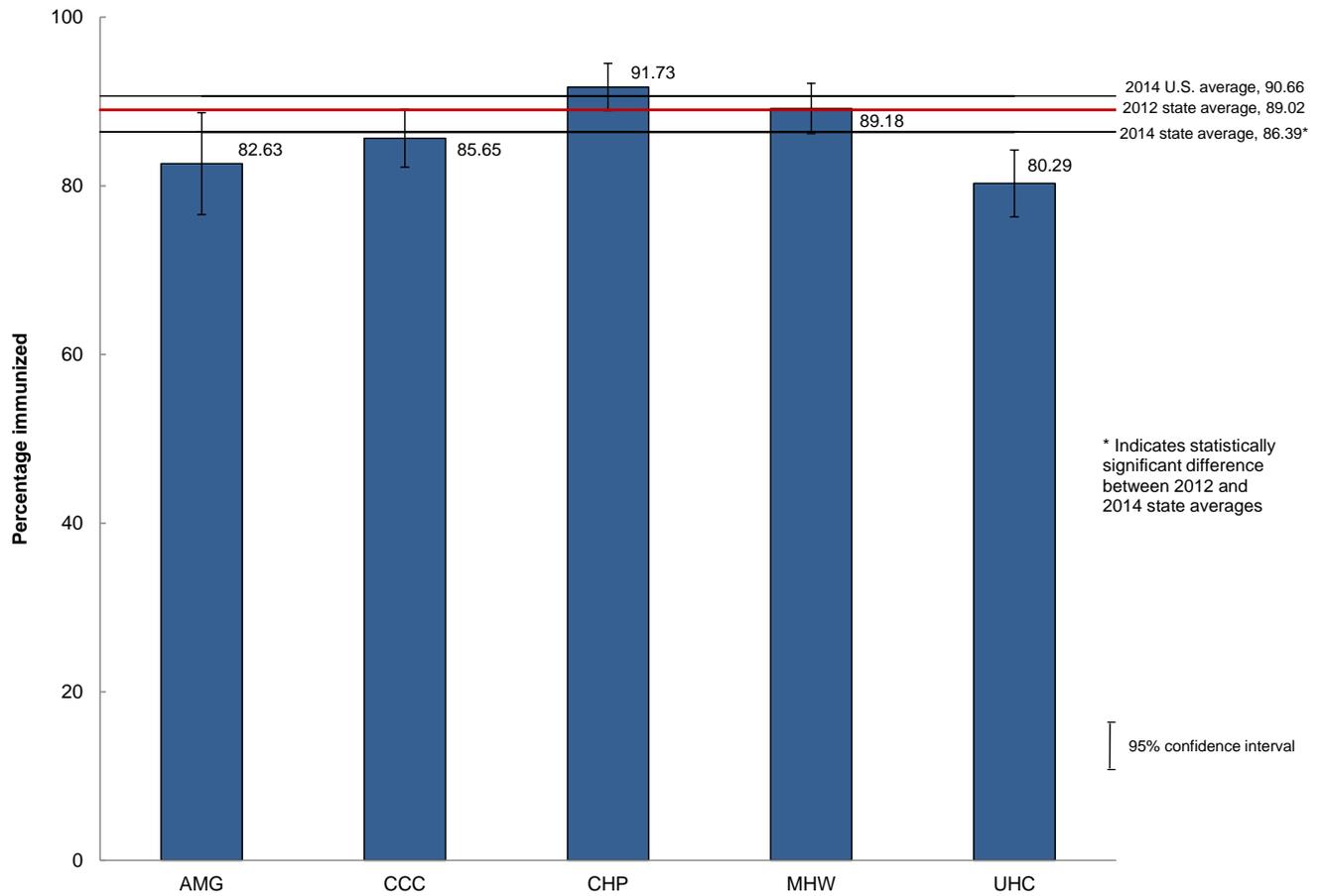
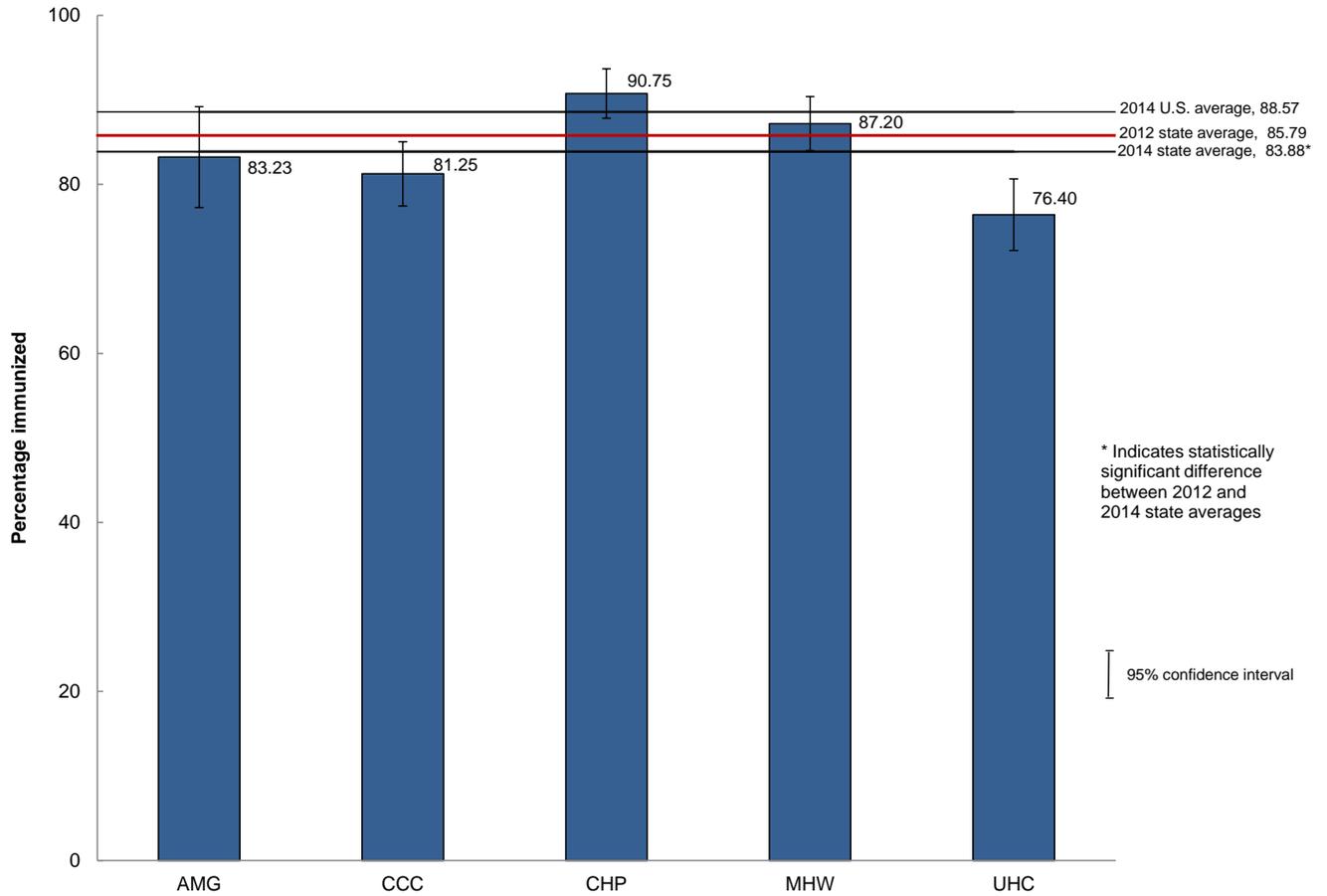


Figure 5. HiB immunizations by health plan, reporting year 2014.

### Hepatitis B (Hep B)

Statewide Hep B immunization rates in 2014 averaged 83.88%, significantly lower than the U.S. average and significantly lower than the 2012 statewide rate (see Figure 6). CHP's rate (90.75%) was significantly higher than the state average, while UHC's rate (76.40%) was significantly below average.



**Figure 6. Hep B immunizations by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

### Varicella-Zoster Virus (VZV)

Statewide VZV immunization rates in 2014 averaged 85.59%, significantly lower than the U.S. average and significantly lower than the 2012 statewide rate (see Figure 7). AMG’s immunization rate (77.84%) was significantly lower than the state average.

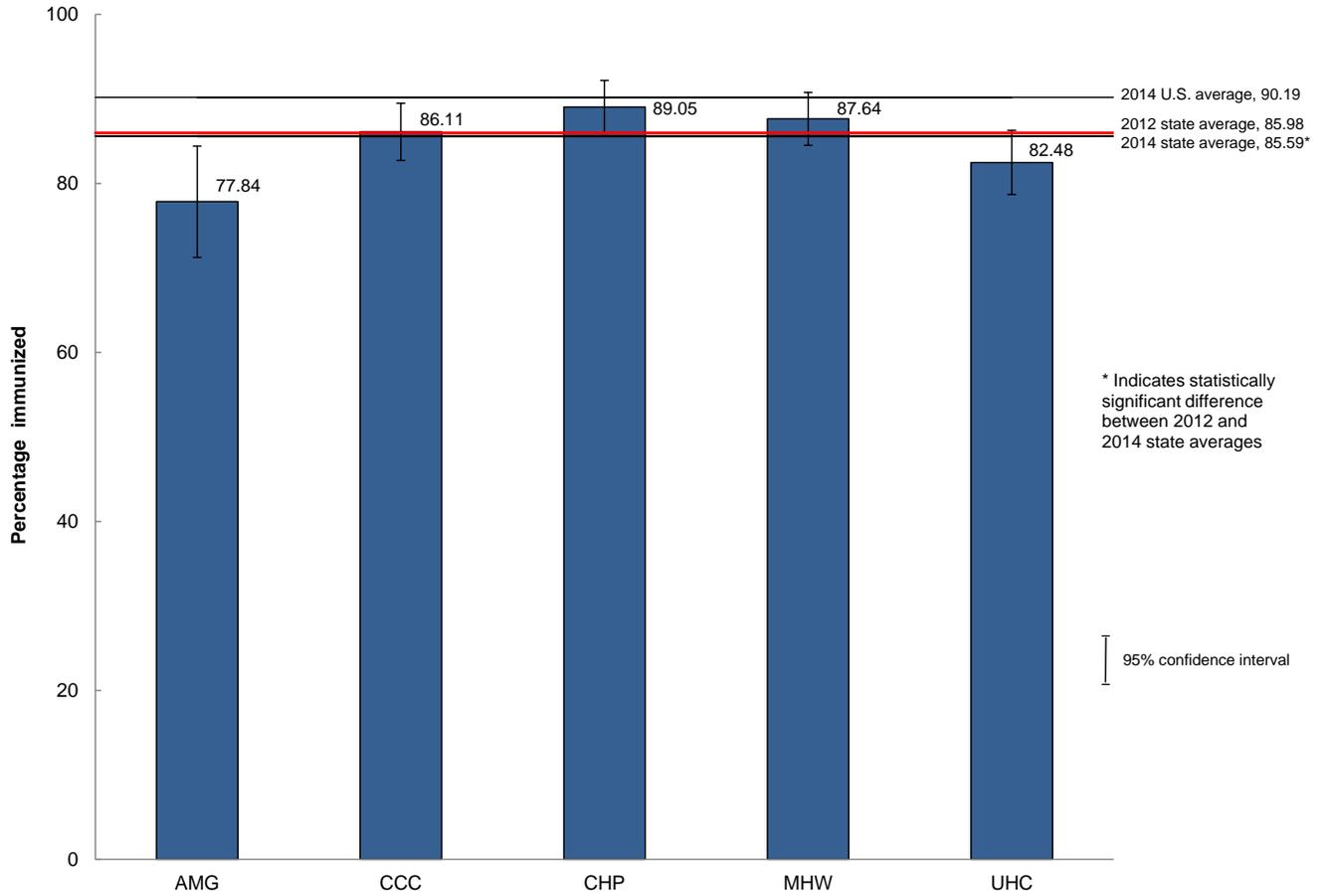


Figure 7. VZV immunizations by health plan, reporting year 2014.

### Pneumococcal Conjugate (PCV)

Figure 8 displays the 2014 results for PCV immunizations by MCO. The statewide average immunization rate (73.64%) was significantly lower than the U.S. average and significantly lower than the 2012 statewide rate. CHP’s rate (79.32%) was significantly higher than the state average, while AMG’s rate (62.87%) was significantly below average.

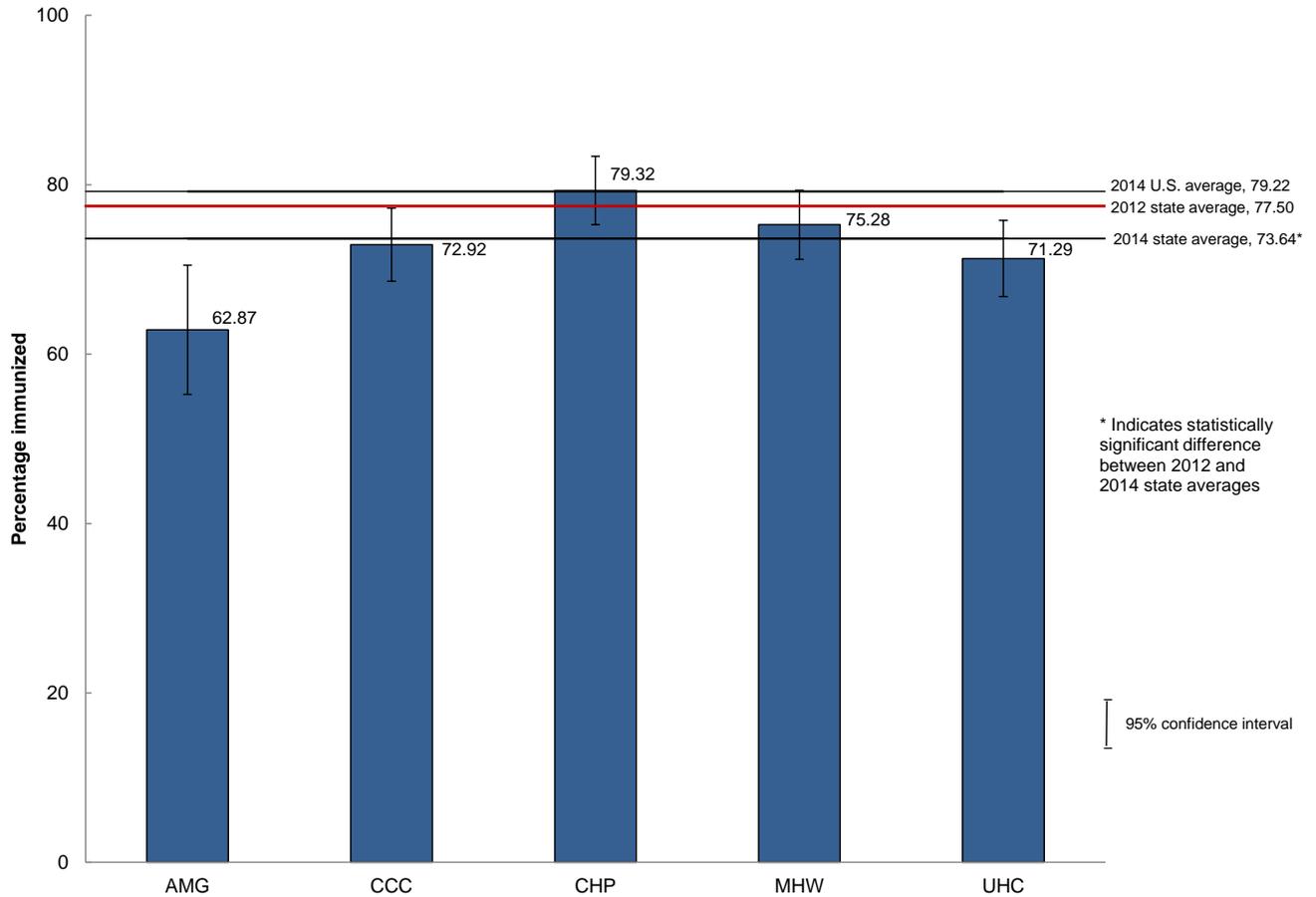


Figure 8. PCV immunizations by health plan, reporting year 2014.

### Hepatitis A (Hep A)

The statewide average Hep A immunization rate climbed to 77.21% in 2014, a significant improvement over the 2012 statewide rate, yet still significantly below the U.S. average (see Figure 9). CCC and CHP significantly outperformed the state average, while the rates for AMG and UHC were significantly below average. Note: In 2014, this measure required only one dose of the vaccine for compliance; in 2012, two doses were required.

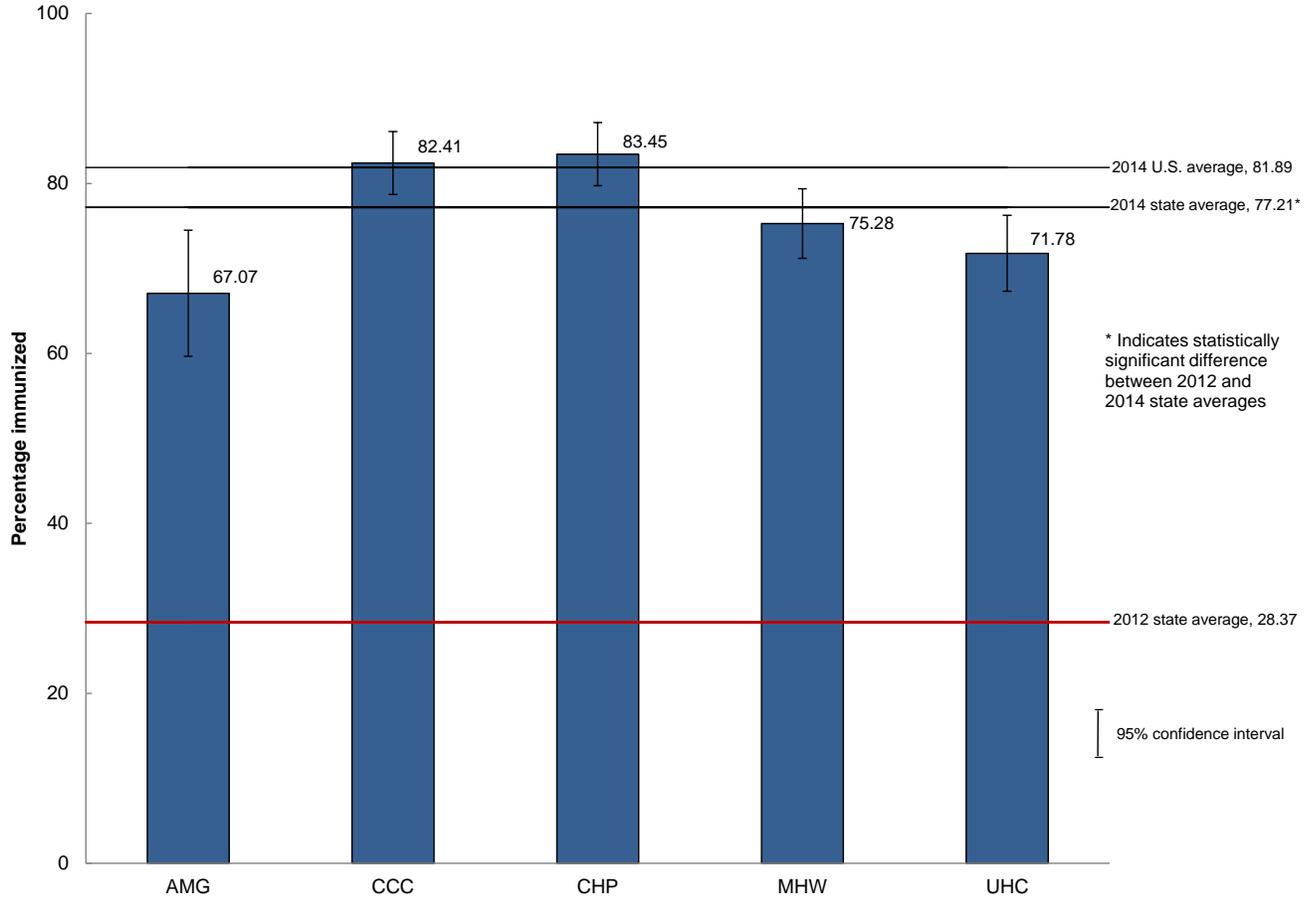


Figure 9. Hep A immunizations by health plan, reporting year 2014.

### Rotavirus

Similar to the trend for Hep A, the 2014 statewide average rotavirus immunization rate (65.37%) was significantly higher than the 2012 statewide rate, yet significantly below the U.S. average (see Figure 10). CHP’s rate (70.80%) was significantly higher than the state average, while AMG’s rate (53.89%) was significantly below average.

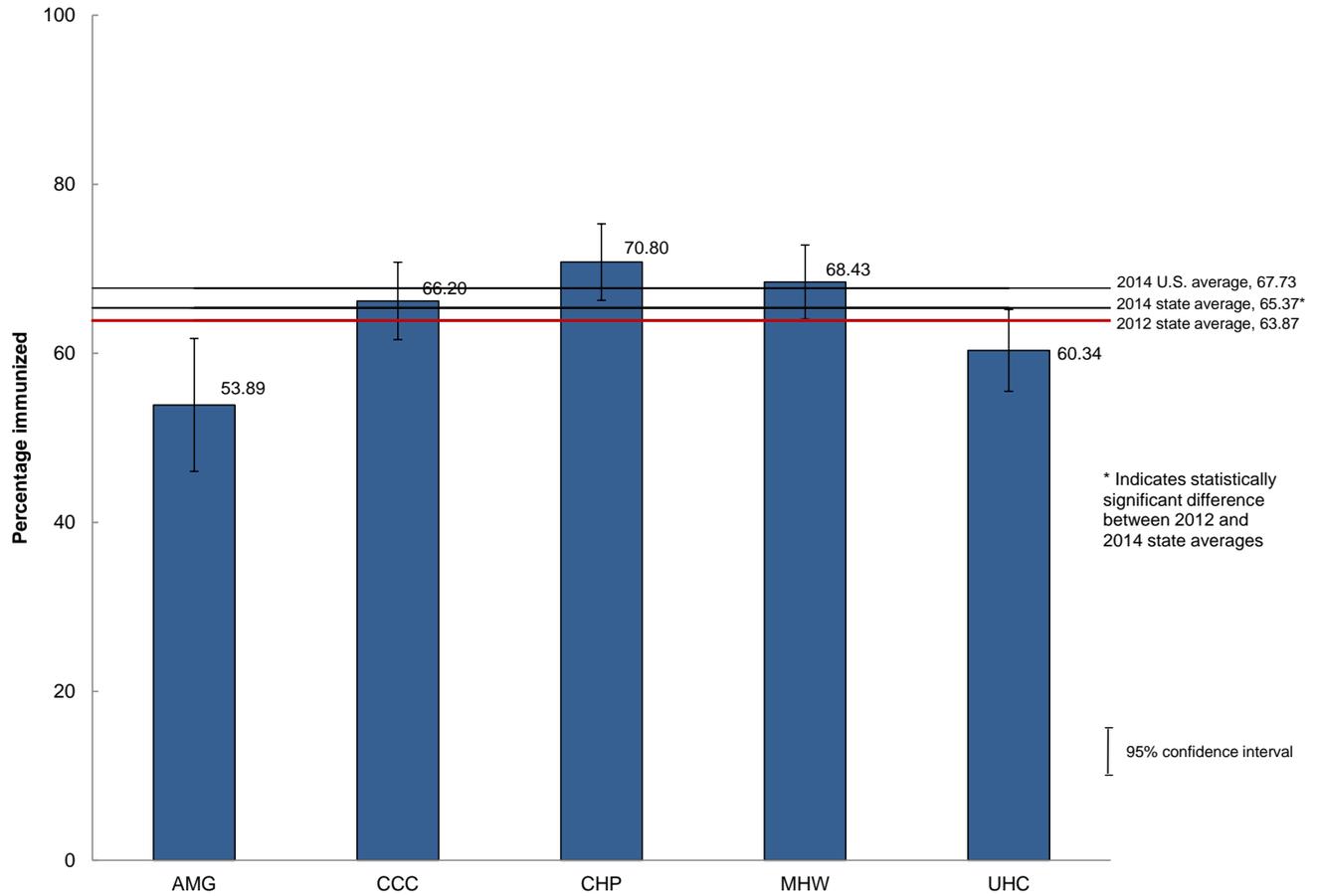


Figure 10. Rotavirus immunizations by health plan, reporting year 2014.

### Influenza

The 2014 statewide average influenza immunization rate rose significantly from 2012 to 2014, reaching 53.84% (see Figure 11) and significantly outperforming the U.S. average of 50.00%. AMG's rate (38.92%) was significantly lower than the state average.

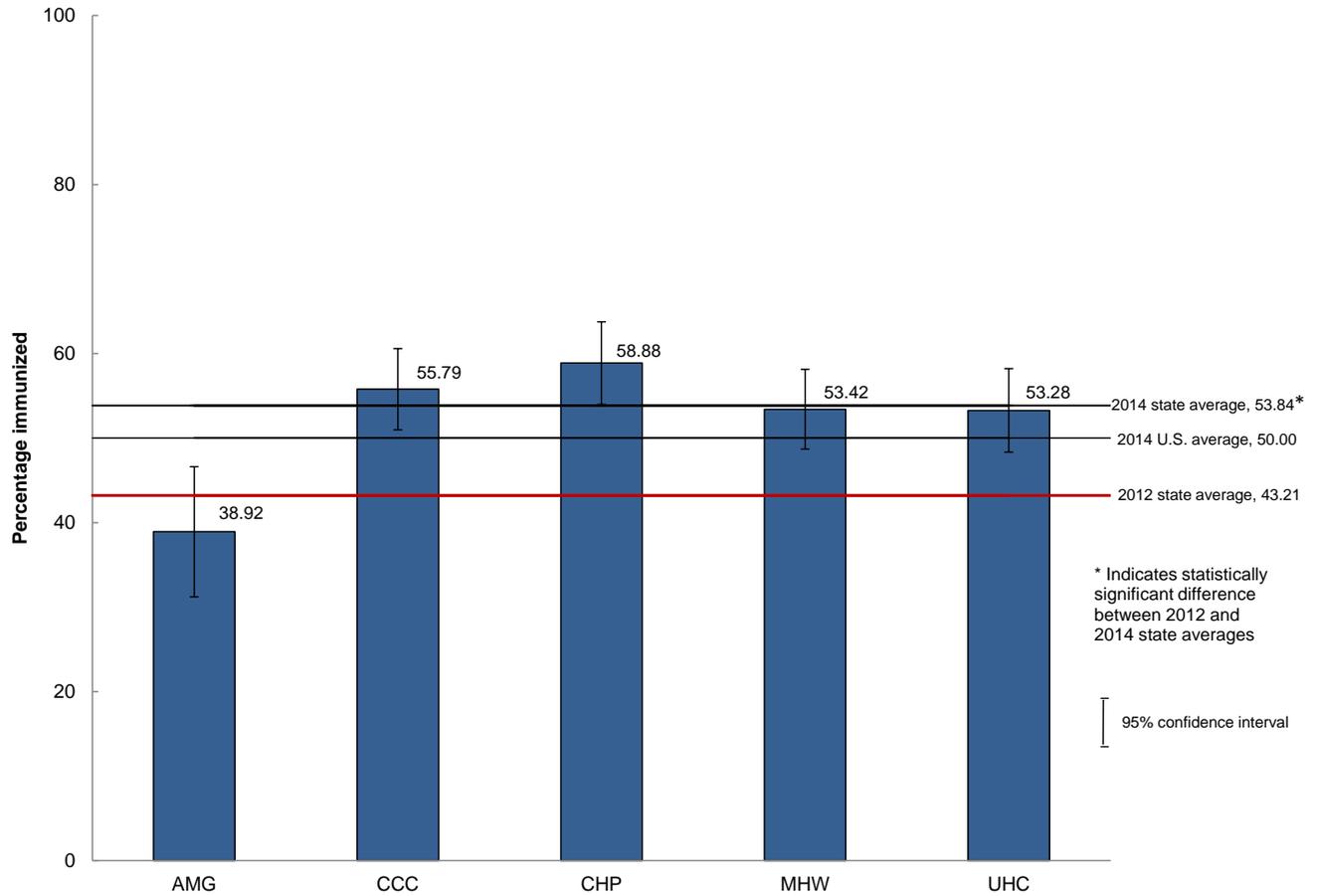


Figure 11. Influenza immunizations by health plan, reporting year 2014.

### Childhood Combination #2 (Combo 2)

The Combo 2 indicator measures the percentage of children who received the following numbers of specific vaccinations on schedule:

- four DTaP
- three IPV
- one MMR
- three HiB
- three Hep B
- one VZV

As shown in Figure 12, Combo 2 rates among the Washington MCOs averaged 65.96% in 2014, significantly lower than the 2012 state average and significantly lower than the U.S. average. CHP significantly outperformed the state average with a rate of 76.89%, while the rates for AMG and UHC were significantly below average.

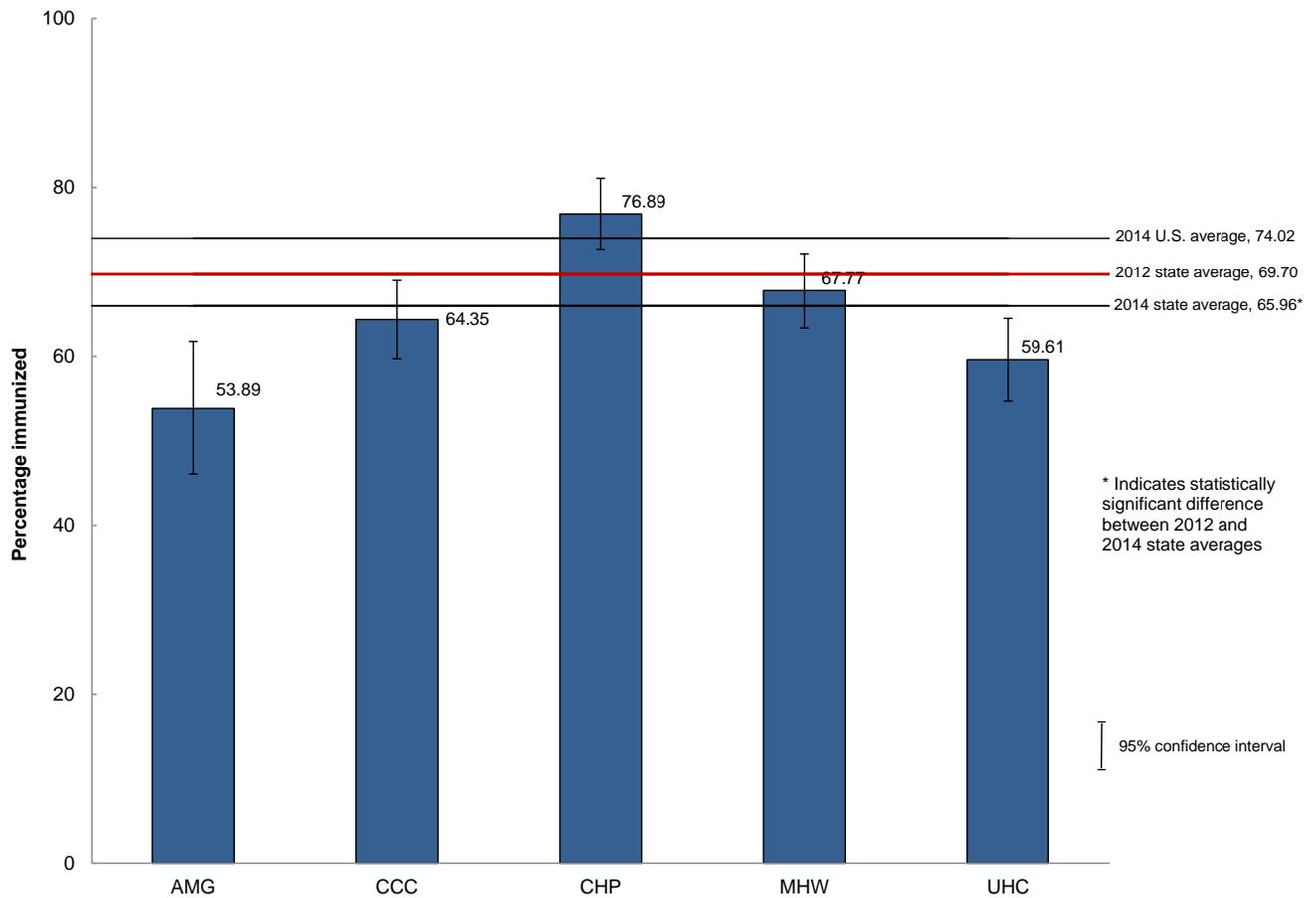


Figure 12. Combo 2 immunizations by health plan, reporting year 2014.

### Childhood Combination #3 (Combo 3)

Figure 13 displays 2014 results for the Combo 3 indicator, which measures the percentage of children who received the following numbers of specific vaccinations on schedule:

- four DTaP
- three IPV
- one MMR
- three HiB
- three Hep B
- one VZV
- four PCV

The 2014 state average (62.59%) was down significantly from 2012, and significantly lower than the 2014 U.S. average. CHP significantly outperformed the state average, while AMG’s rate was significantly below average.

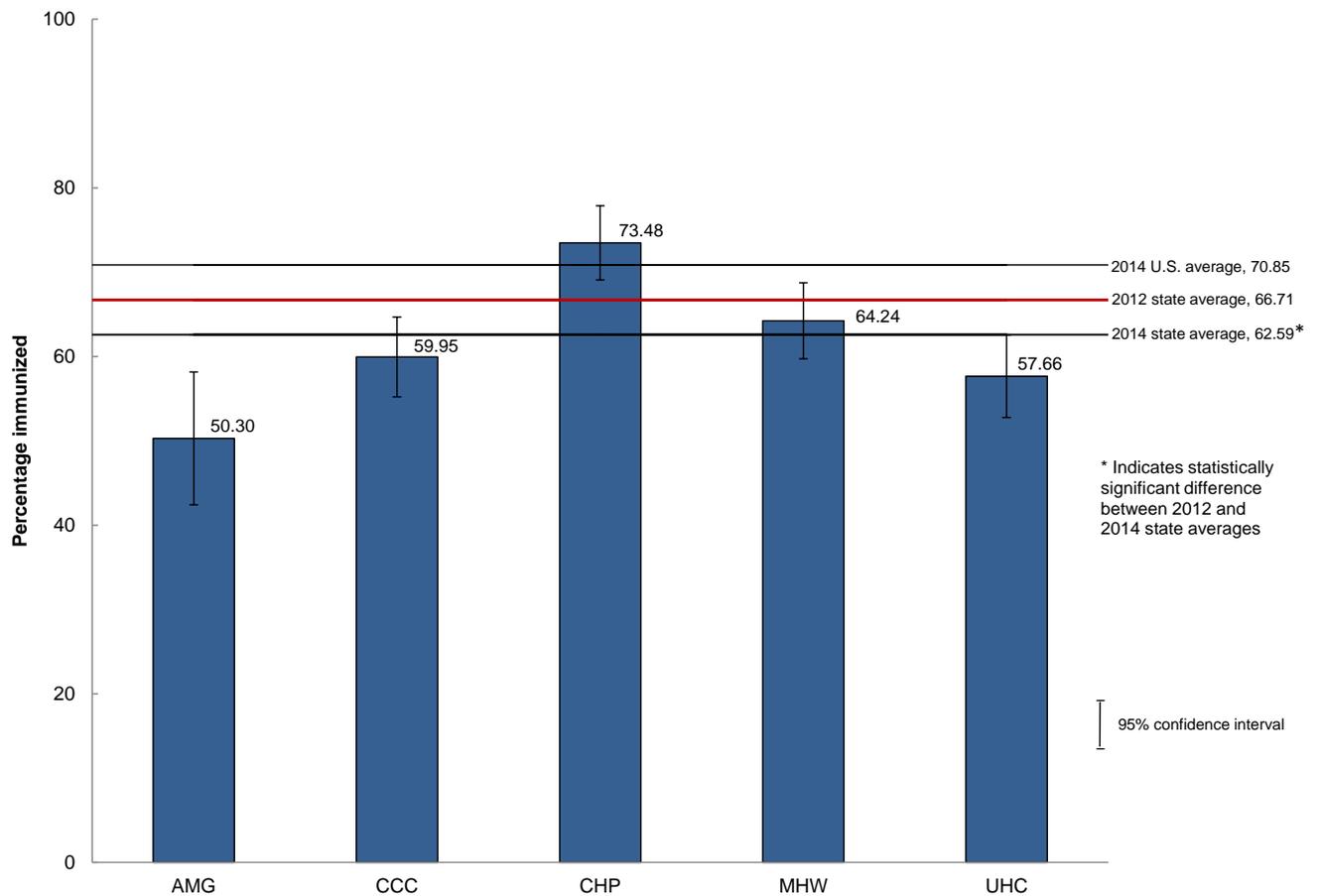


Figure 13. Combo 3 immunizations by health plan, reporting year 2014.

## Adolescent immunization rates

HCA required the Washington MCOs to report three measures of immunization for adolescents for the first time in 2014. Results are displayed on this page and the following two pages.

### Meningococcal Conjugate Vaccine

This vaccine protects against some of the bacteria that cause meningococcal disease, which can cause brain damage, hearing loss, learning disabilities, and even death. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommends vaccination for all preteens at age 11 or 12 and a booster shot for teens at age 16. Teens who received the vaccine for the first time at age 13–15 need a one-time booster dose at 16–18 years of age.<sup>6</sup>

As shown in Figure 14, the 2014 immunization rates among Washington MCOs averaged 67.41%, significantly below the national average. CCC and CHP significantly outperformed the statewide average with rates above 72%, while AMG's rate of 55.38% was significantly below average.

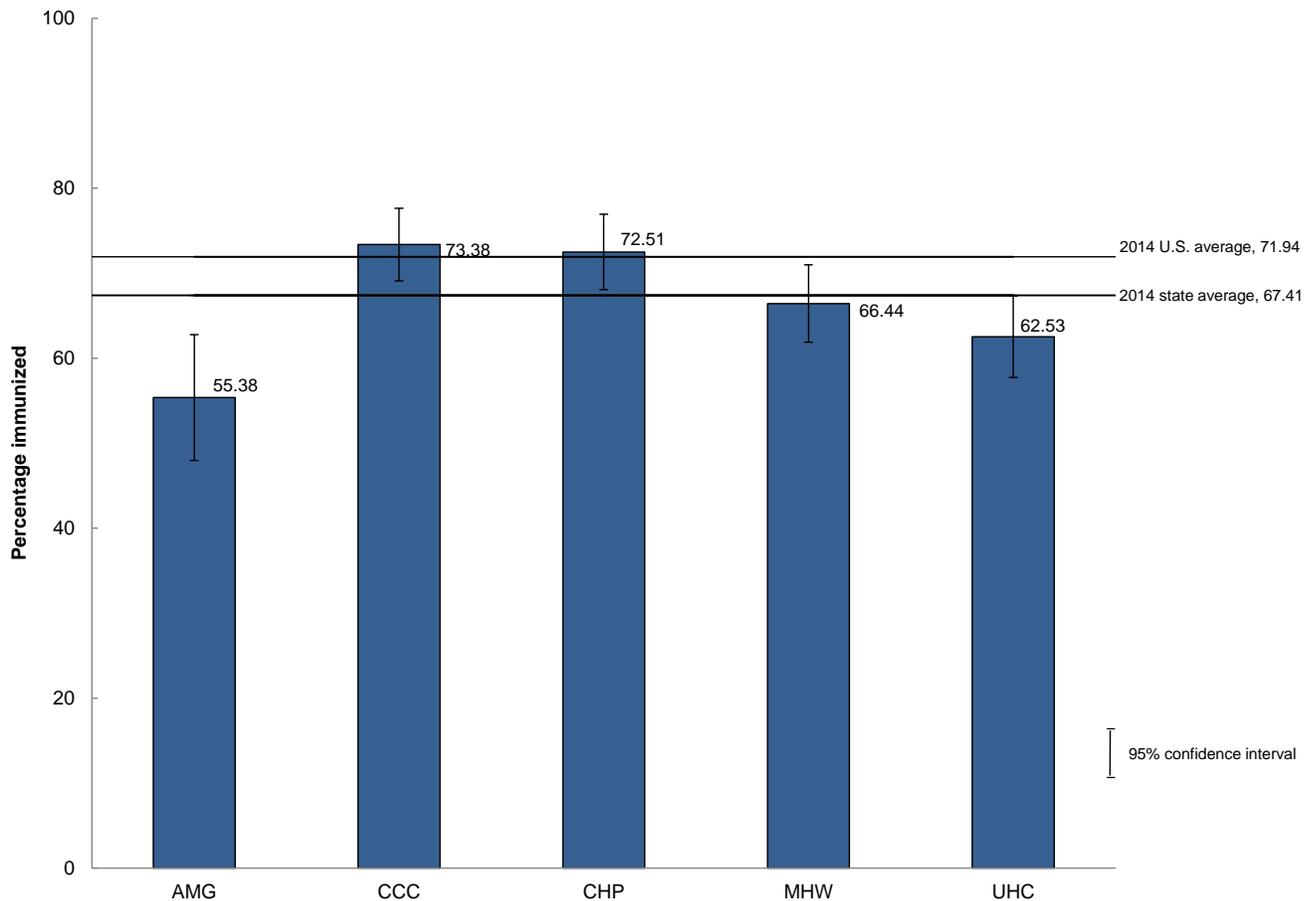


Figure 14. Adolescent meningococcal immunizations by health plan, reporting year 2014.

### Tetanus, Diphtheria, and Pertussis (Tdap)

The Tdap booster shot helps protect preteens and teens from the same diseases that DTaP shots protect younger children from. The CDC recommends that all preteens receive one Tdap shot when they are 11 or 12 years old.<sup>7</sup>

Figure 15 shows the 2014 immunization rates by MCO, averaging 83.97%, nearly identical to the U.S. average. CCC and CHP significantly outperformed the statewide average with rates between 88% and 89%, while UHC’s rate of 74.21% was significantly below average.

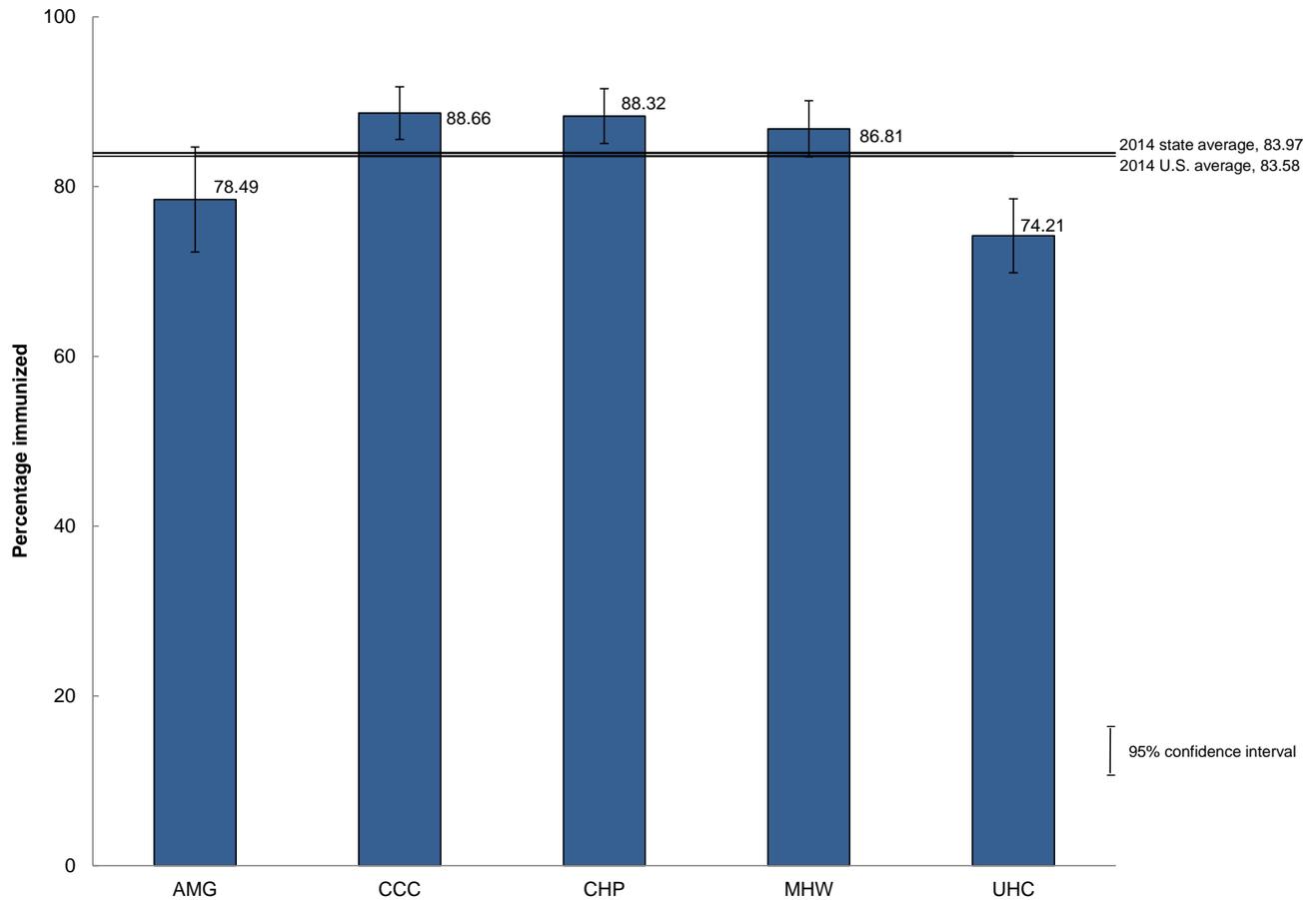


Figure 15. Adolescent Tdap immunizations by health plan, reporting year 2014.

### Adolescent Combination #1 (Combo 1)

The Combo 1 measure represents the percentage of adolescents 13 years of age who had one dose of meningococcal vaccine *and* one Tdap vaccine or one tetanus, diphtheria toxoids (Td) vaccine by their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday.

Figure 16 shows the 2014 immunization rates by MCO, averaging 65.44%, significantly lower than the U.S. average. CHP's rate (71.29%) was significantly higher than the statewide average, while AMG's rate (54.84%) was significantly below average.

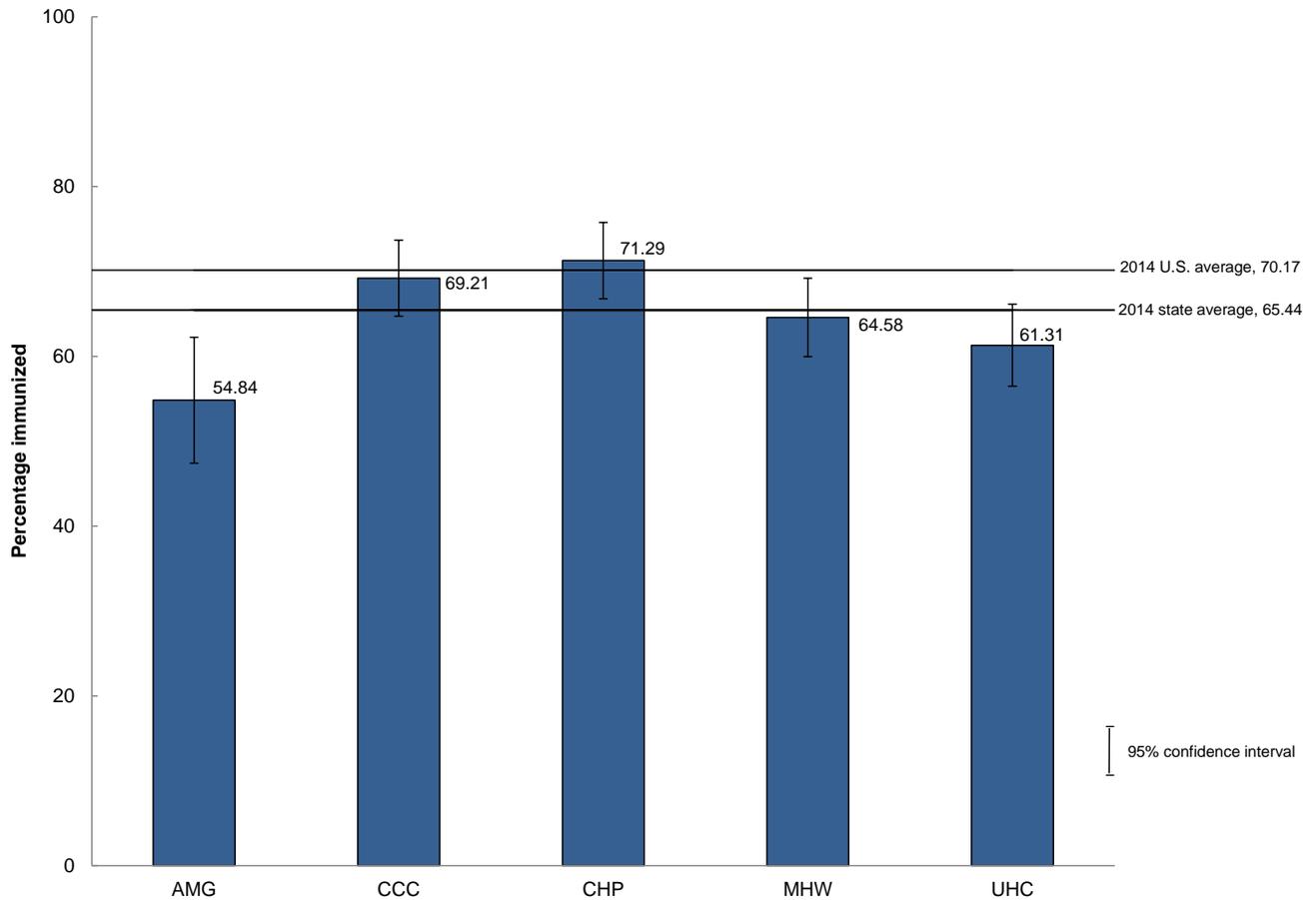


Figure 16. Adolescent Combo 1 immunizations by health plan, reporting year 2014.

## Discussion

Childhood immunization measures show different trends depending on how long HCA has required the measures to be reported.

- For the seven antigens in Combo 3, which the MCOs have reported for many years, the statewide average immunization rates in 2014 are uniformly lower than in 2012, and significantly below the U.S. average rates. Statewide average immunization rates for these antigens peaked most recently in 2010.
- For the Hep A, rotavirus, and influenza vaccines, first reported in 2010, statewide average immunization rates continue to rise. (The marked increase for Hep A, from an average 28% in 2012 to an average 77% in 2014, appears to be due in large part to a change in the dosing requirements, from two doses to one.) Although the statewide rates for Hep A and rotavirus are still significantly below the U.S. average rates, the statewide influenza immunization rate significantly exceeded the U.S. rate.
- The Washington MCOs reported three measures of adolescent immunizations for the first time in 2014. The statewide average immunization rates for the meningococcal conjugate vaccine and for Combo 1 were significantly lower than the U.S. average rates. However, the average Tdap immunization rate for the Washington MCOs was nearly identical to the U.S. average rate.

Among MCOs, CHP remains the top performer for immunizations, followed by MHW and CCC. AMG and UHC reported the poorest results in 2014, often significantly below the state average.

“Herd immunity” exists when a group resists attack by a disease because a large percentage of individuals are immune, though outbreaks of disease can and do occur even when a high level of herd immunity is reached.<sup>8</sup> Given that the statewide average immunization rates for Medicaid managed care enrollees are below 90% for all vaccines—and below 80% for many—the MCOs need to continue to seek ways to improve their immunization rates.

The CDC has ranked Washington among states with the highest percentage of exemptions from school vaccination requirements.<sup>9</sup> State law (ESB 5005, enacted in 2011) now requires a parent or guardian who seeks an exemption to obtain a note from a health care practitioner, stating that the parent or guardian has been informed of the benefits and risks of immunization. DOH has worked closely with schools, preschools, and child care staff to inform parents about the change to the exemption law and to provide support for parents to make informed decisions about immunizations. Exemption rates for kindergarteners dropped after the law went into effect, from 6.0% in the 2010–2011 school year to 4.5% in the 2011–2012 school year. The rate remained steady at 4.6% in school year 2013–2014.

DOH’s Washington State Immunization Information System (formerly called Child Profile) remains a highly positive force for improving immunization rates. About 99% of all vaccination providers in the state participate in the registry, which now contains 8.1 million active patient records and 86 million immunizations.

## Comprehensive Diabetes Care

HCA requires the MCOs to report nine indicators of comprehensive diabetes care, as defined below. NCQA introduced a new indicator of blood pressure control <140/80 mm Hg in 2011, and the MCOs reported this new indicator to HCA for the second year in 2012.

### Measure definition

This measure assesses the percentage of enrollees with diabetes (type 1 or type 2), ages 18–75, who were continuously enrolled during the measurement year and who had:

- Hemoglobin A1c (HbA1c) level tested
- poor control of HbA1c levels (HbA1c > 9.0%)
- good control of HbA1c levels (HbA1c < 8.0%)
- lipid profile (LDL-C screening) performed during the measurement year
- LDL-C levels controlled (<100 mg/dL)
- dilated retinal exam during, or prior to, the measurement year\*
- monitoring for nephropathy (kidney disease) through screening for microalbuminuria, medical attention for nephropathy, a visit to a nephrologist, a positive macroalbuminuria test, or evidence of ACE inhibitor/ARB therapy
- blood pressure control (<140/90 mm Hg) for the most recent blood pressure reading
- blood pressure control (<140/80 mm Hg) for the most recent blood pressure reading

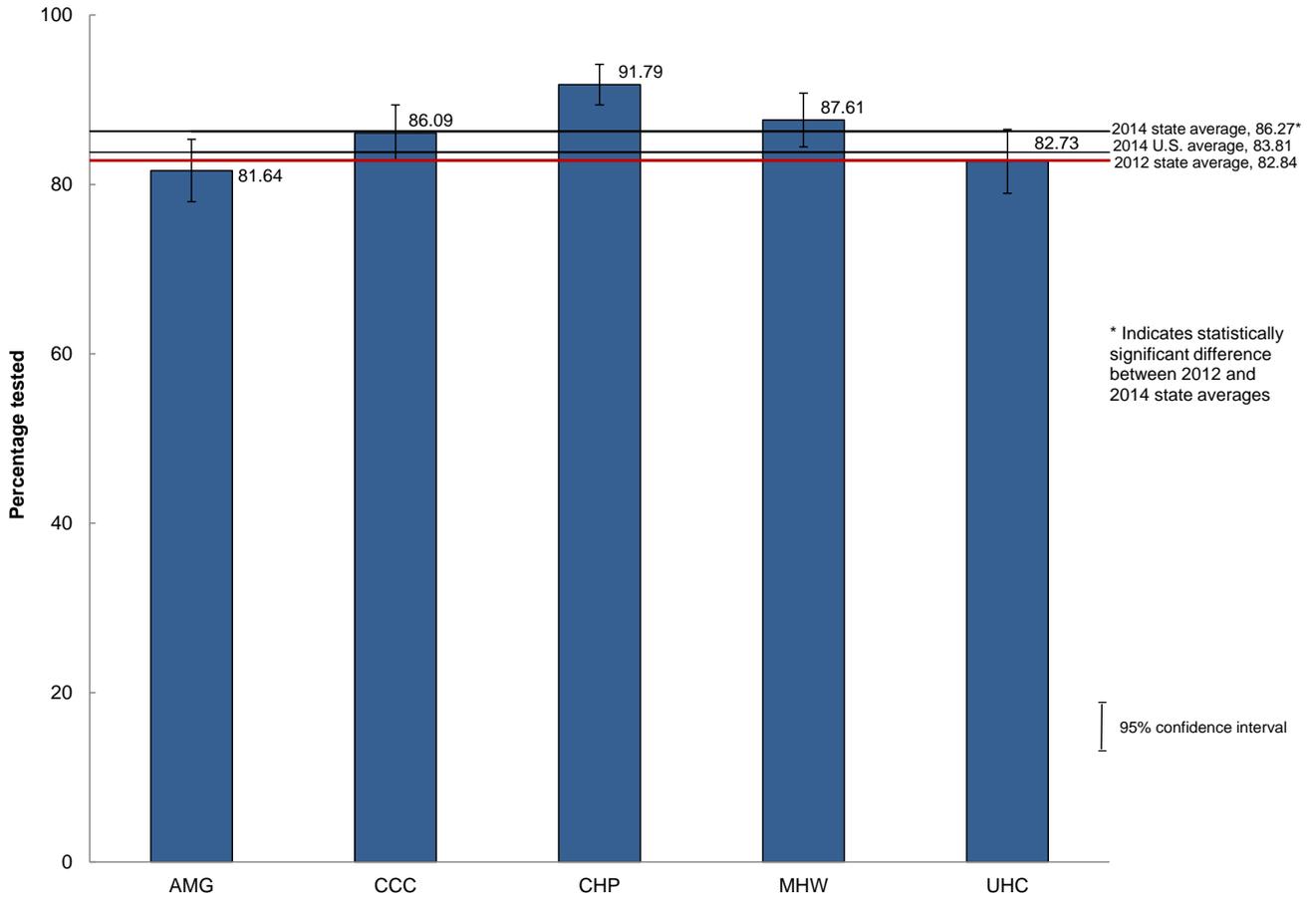
**Data collection method:** Administrative or hybrid

\*Dilated retinal exams performed prior to the measurement year must meet the following criteria for inclusion:

- the dilated retinal exam had a negative outcome (no evidence of retinopathy)
- the enrollee was not prescribed or dispensed insulin during the measurement year

**Annual HbA1c test**

Blood sugar testing showed significant improvement in 2014, as 86.27% of eligible MCO enrollees across the state received HbA1c tests (see Figure 17). The statewide testing rate in 2014 was significantly higher than the U.S. average rate. CHP’s rate (91.79%) significantly exceeded the statewide average and was within the NCQA 90<sup>th</sup> percentile, while AMG’s rate (81.64%) was significantly below average.

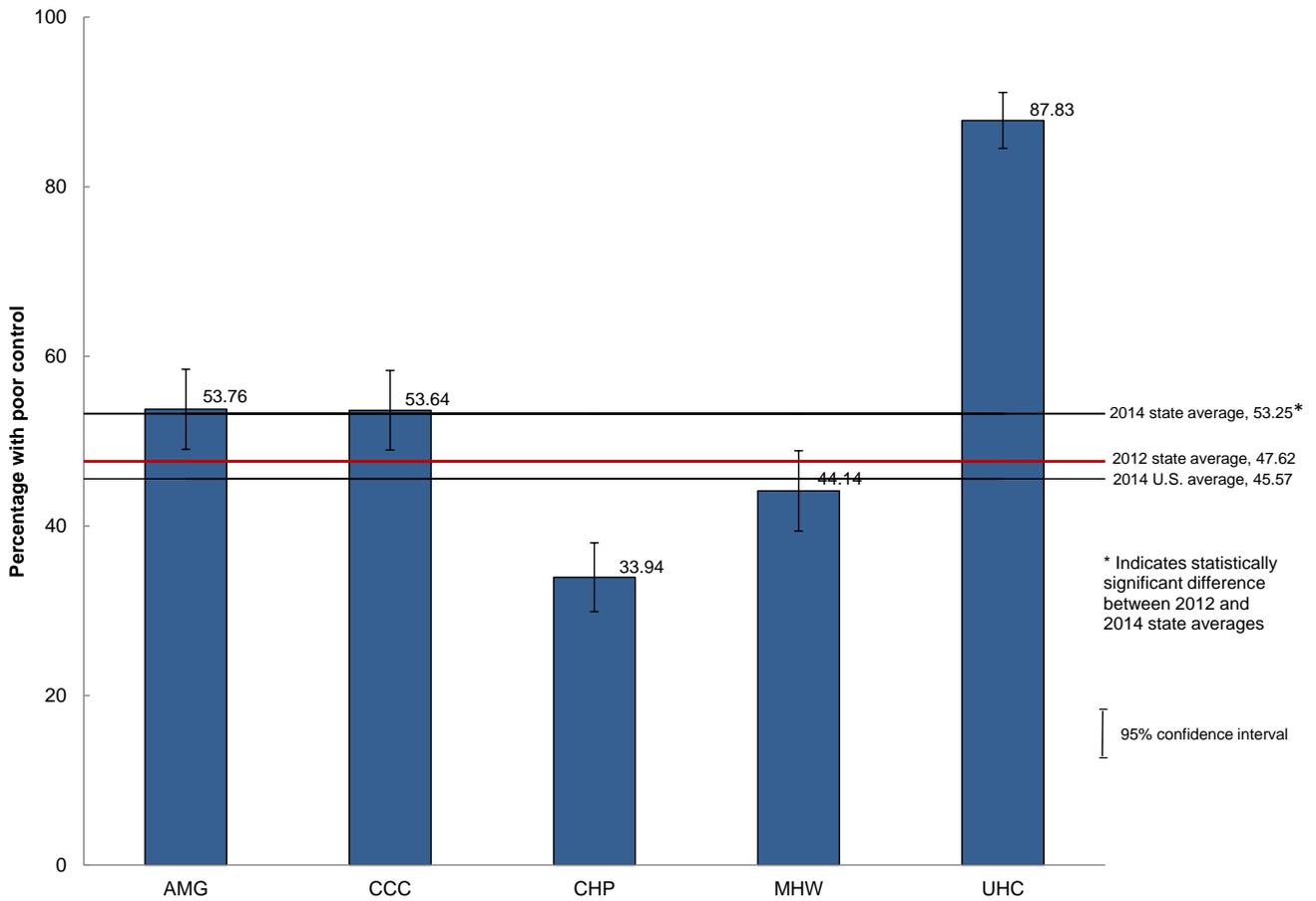


**Figure 17. Annual HbA1c tests by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

**Poor HbA1c control (> 9.0%)**  
**Good HbA1c control (< 8.0%)**

HbA1c control levels (Figures 18 and 19) varied widely among MCOs in 2014, as in previous years. The statewide trends are discouraging, as the percentage of enrollees with poor control continues to increase while the percentage of those with good control declines. In 2014, the statewide average of enrollees with poor control (53.25%) was significantly higher than in 2012, and significantly higher than the U.S. average.

Among MCOs, almost 88% of UHC enrollees had poor control of HbA1c levels—significantly higher (i.e., worse) than the statewide average. In contrast, CHP and MHW enrollees fared significantly better than average on this indicator.



**Figure 18. Enrollees with poor control of HbA1c levels by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Only about 11% of UHC enrollees had good control of their HbA1c levels, significantly below the statewide average, while CHP and MHW enrollees were significantly above average. The 2014 statewide average of enrollees with good control (39.64%) was significantly lower than the U.S. average.

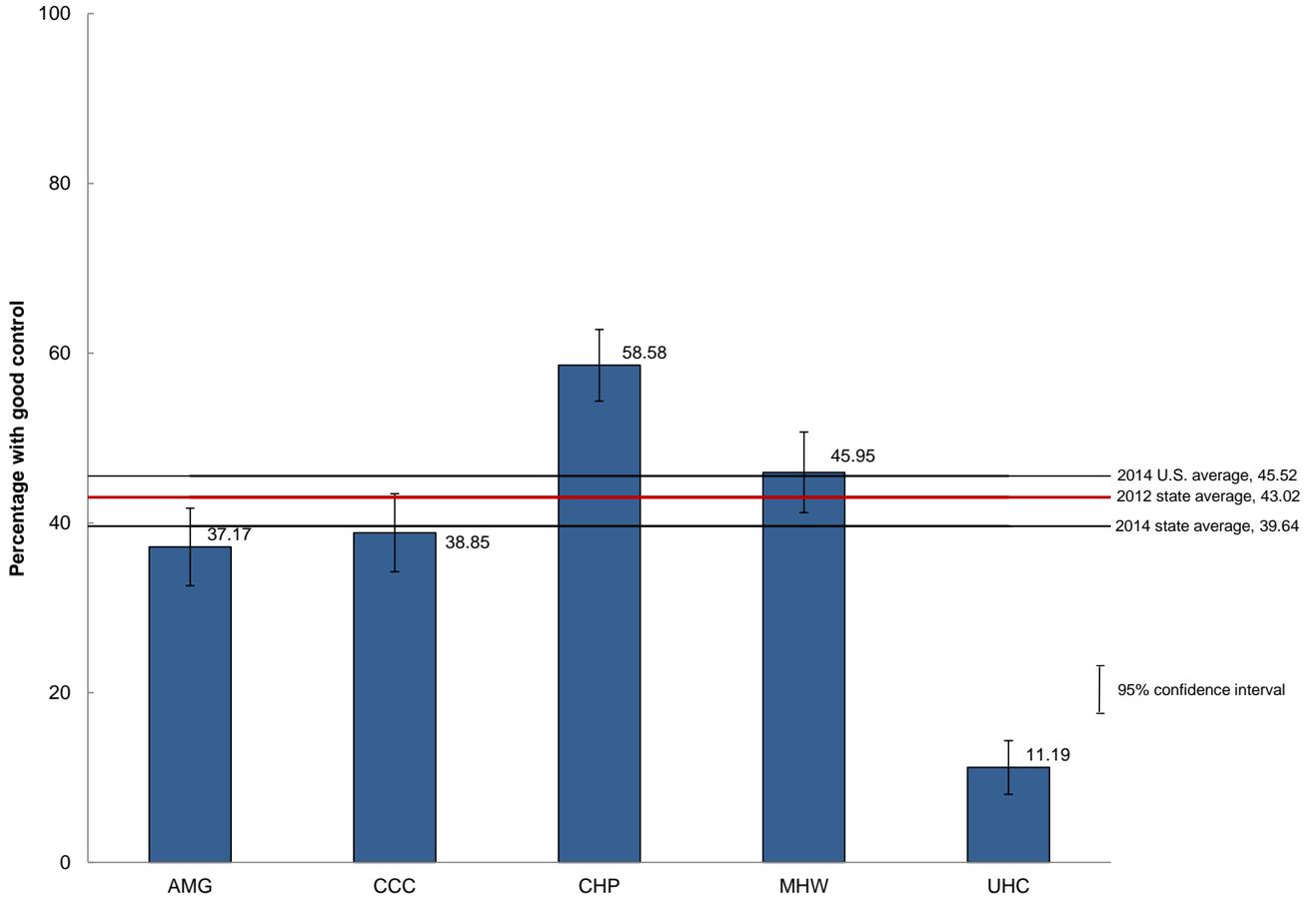


Figure 19. Enrollees with good control of HbA1c levels by health plan, reporting year 2014.

### Eye exam

Delivery of dilated retinal exams (Figure 20) followed a trend of significant decline in 2014. Only 46.06% of MCO enrollees across the state received these exams, although CHP and MHW reported significantly better results. The statewide rate was significantly lower than the U.S. average rate. Exam rates for AMG and UHC were significantly below the state average.

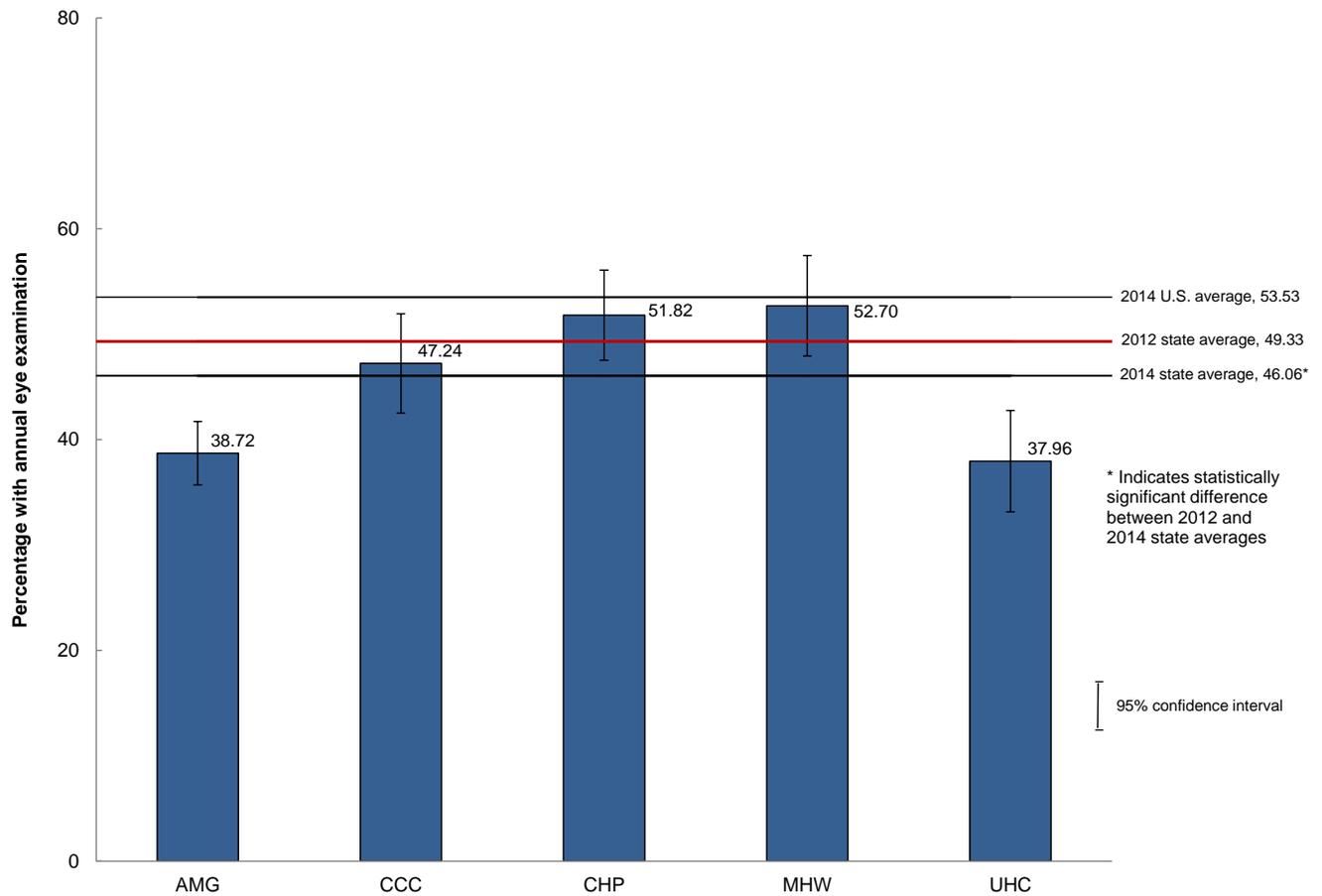
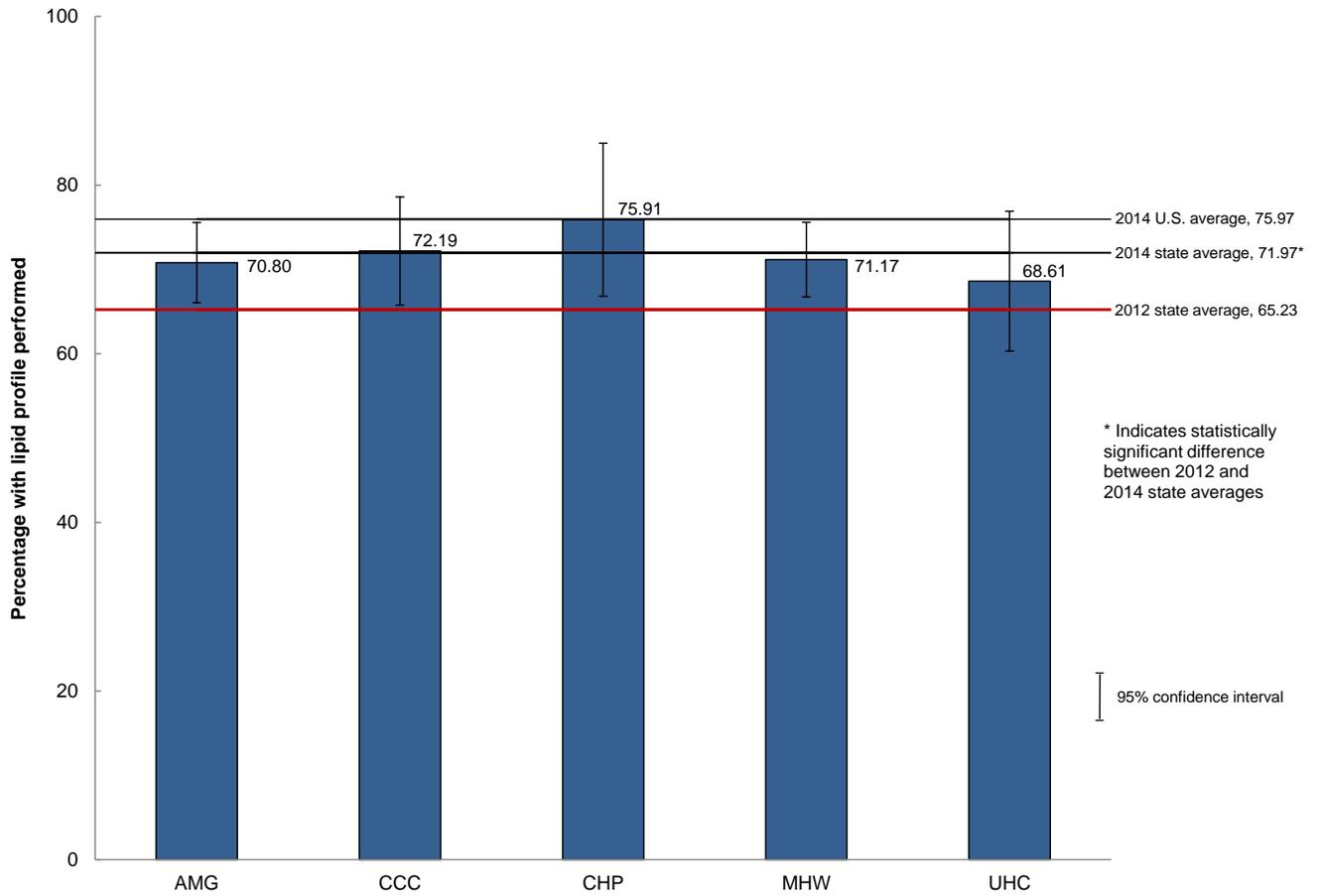


Figure 20. Dilated retinal exams by health plan, reporting year 2014.

**LDL-C screening**

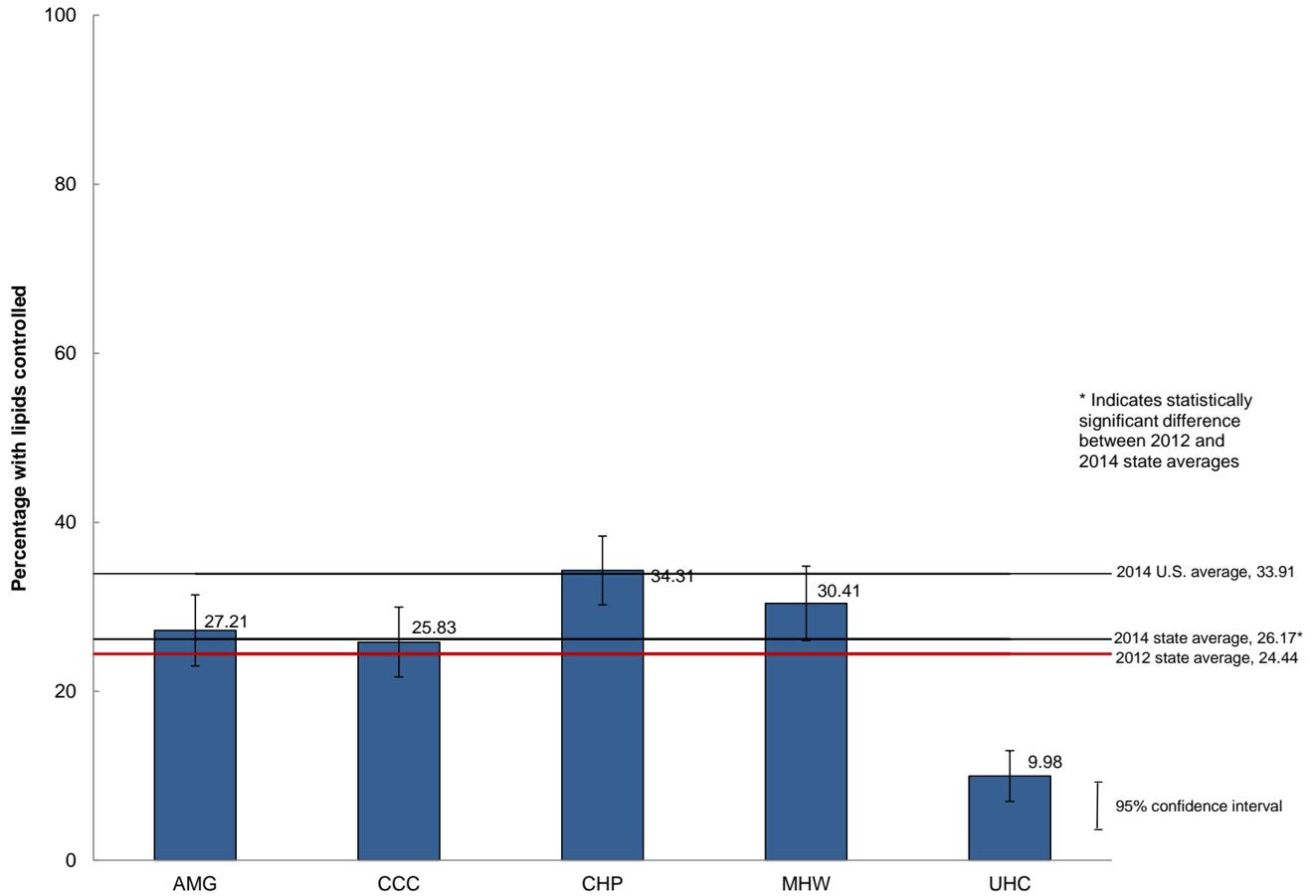
LDL-C screening (Figure 21) occurred for 71.97% of MCO enrollees in the measurement year, with relatively little variation among health plans. The statewide average showed significant improvement from 2012, yet remained significantly below the U.S. average rate.



**Figure 21. Lipid profile (LDL-C screening) performed by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

**LDL-C level <100 mg/dL**

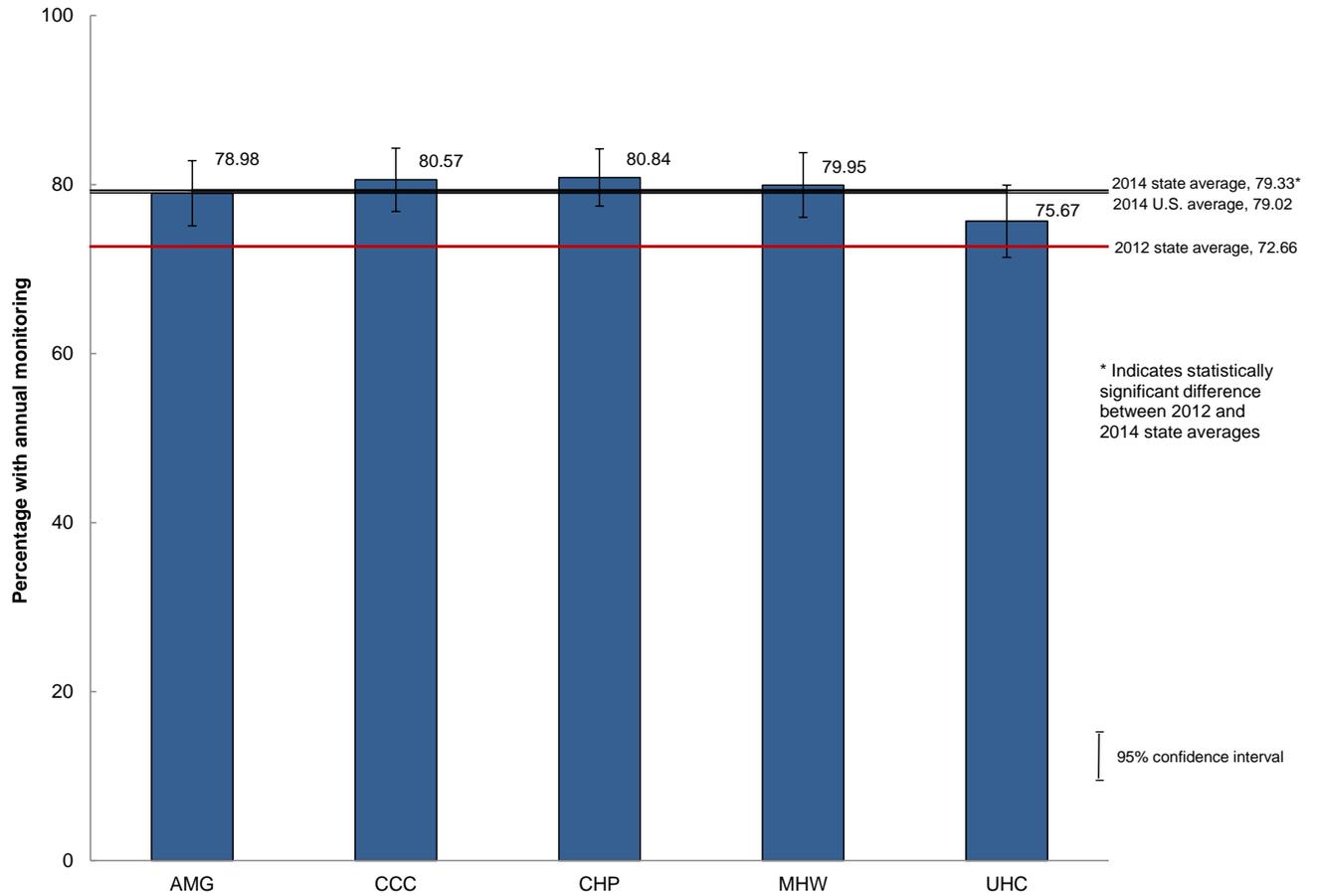
As shown in Figure 22, about 26% of eligible enrollees had their lipids under control in 2014, a significant improvement over 2012, yet still well below the U.S. average. The rate for CHP enrollees (34.31%) significantly exceeded the statewide average. In contrast, only about 10% of UHC enrollees met the standard.



**Figure 22. Lipids controlled (<100mg/dL) by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

**Monitoring for diabetic nephropathy**

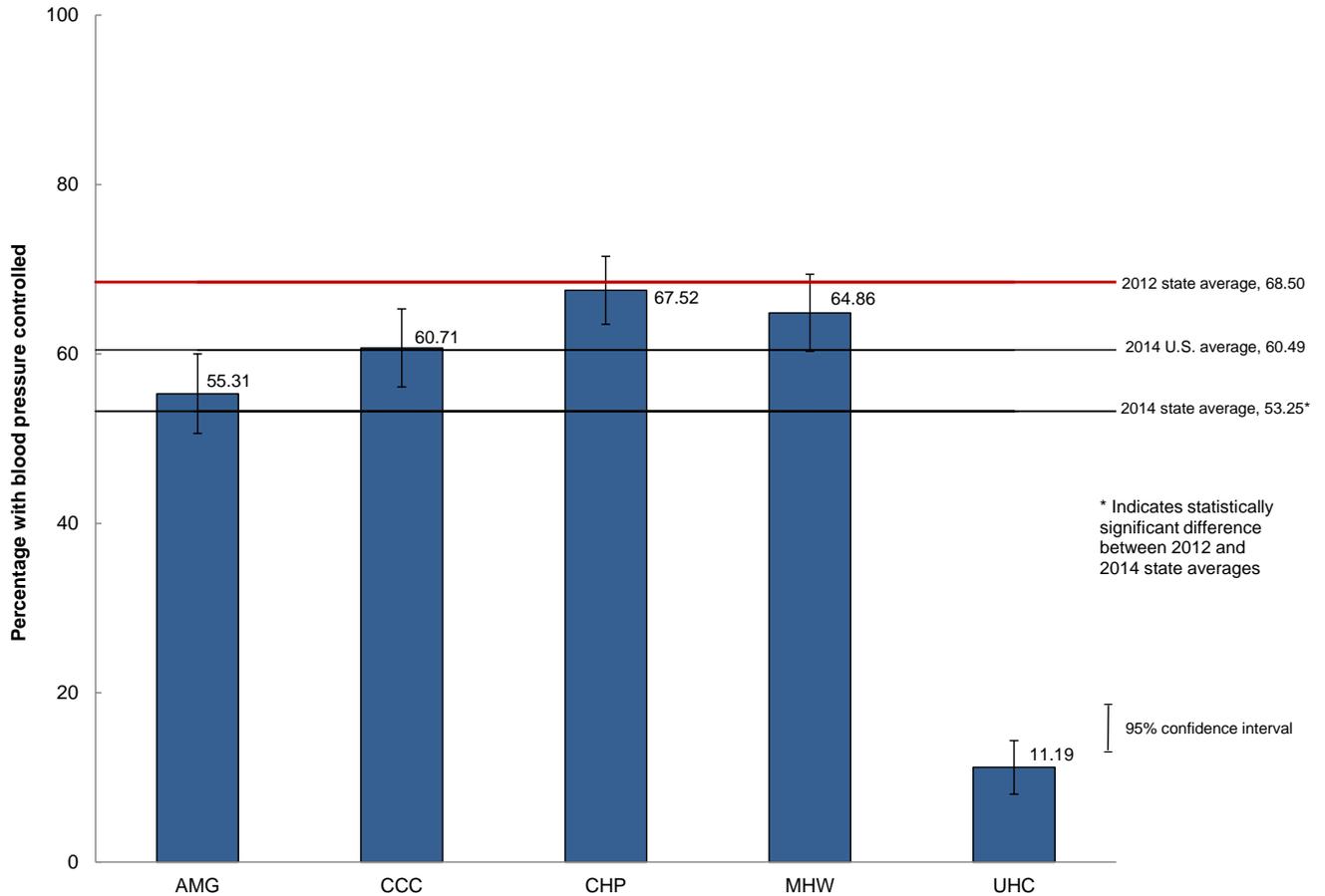
Nephropathy monitoring (Figure 23) occurred for almost 80% of MCO enrollees in the measurement year, with little variation among health plans. The 2014 statewide average showed significant improvement from 2012, and was nearly identical to the U.S. average.



**Figure 23. Nephropathy monitored annually by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

**Blood pressure control (<140/90 mm Hg)**

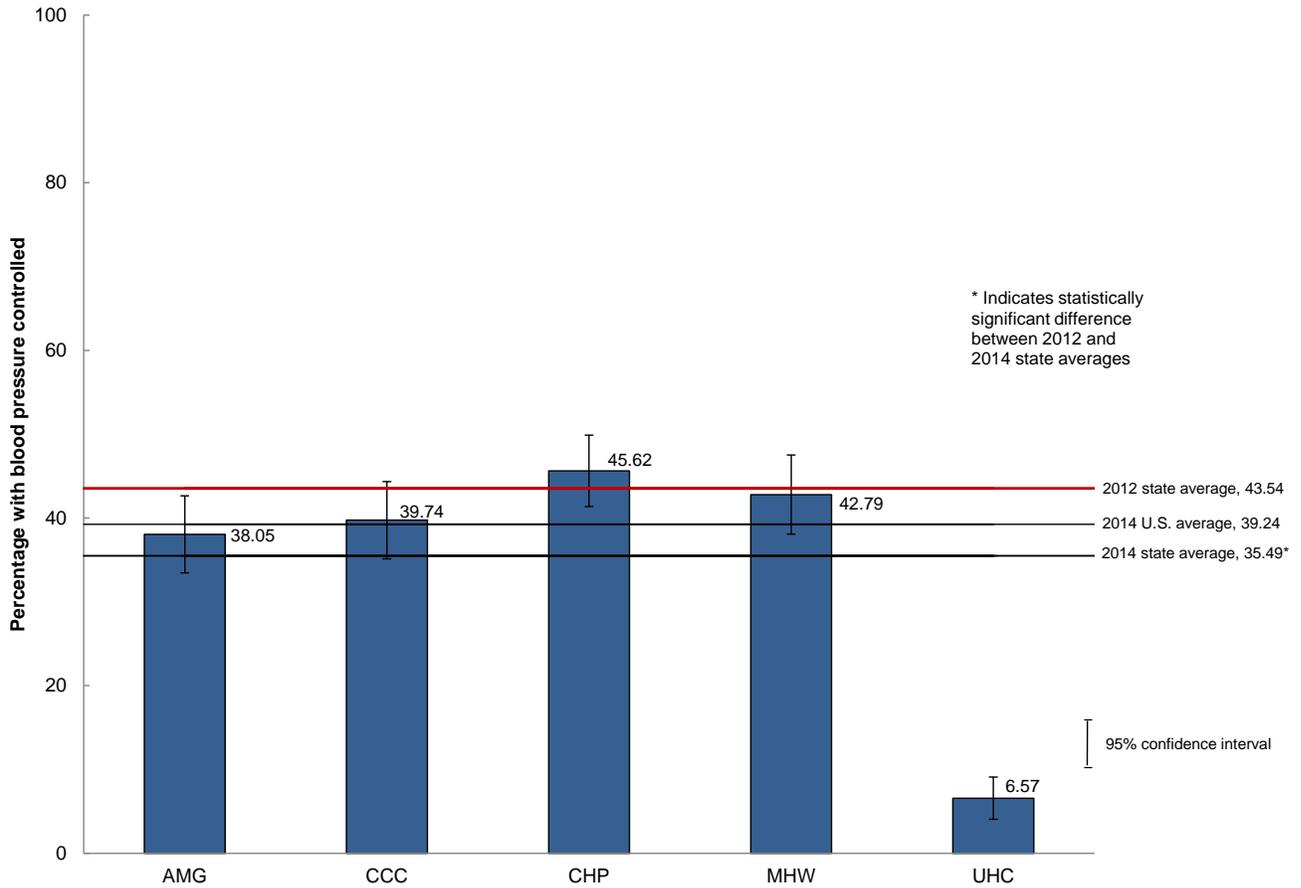
The percentage of MCO enrollees with blood pressure controlled at this level fell significantly in 2014, to 53.25%, significantly below the U.S. average (Figure 24). In 2012 and previous years, the Washington MCOs outperformed the U.S. Medicaid average for this indicator. Individual MCO results varied substantially in 2014, with CHP, MHW, and CCC significantly exceeding the state average while only 11% of UHC enrollees met the standard.



**Figure 24. Blood pressure controlled (<140/90 mm Hg) by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

**Blood pressure control (<140/80 mm Hg)**

On average, only 35.49% of Washington MCO enrollees had their blood pressure controlled at this level, a significant decline from 2012 and significantly below the U.S. average (Figure 25). The magnitude of the overall decline was due mainly to UHC’s reported rate of 6.57%, as CHP and MHW significantly exceeded the statewide average.



**Figure 25. Blood pressure controlled (<140/80 mm Hg) by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

## Discussion

Performance on the diabetes care indicators showed mixed results in 2014, the first year of reporting by three new MCO contractors. Delivery of preventive screening generally increased from 2012 (except for a significant decline in delivery of dilated retinal exams), as did the overall percentage of enrollees with LDL-C levels under control. At the same time, the percentage of enrollees with acceptable HbA1c levels continued to fall, and the percentage of those with good control of their blood pressure declined markedly.

The current roster of MCOs significantly underperformed relative to the national Medicaid averages on six of the nine indicators. Notably, fewer than 40% of Washington's managed care enrollees with diabetes have good control of their blood-sugar levels. More positively, the statewide rate of HbA1c testing was significantly higher than the U.S. average rate, and the statewide rate of monitoring for diabetic nephropathy improved significantly from 2012.

CHP and MHW, the more established MCOs, generally outperformed the statewide average, as did CCC. However, UHC's generally poor performance on these indicators tended to weigh down the overall group performance.

Some of the variability in MCO performance may reflect disparate levels of data completeness for various indicators, limiting the ability to make valid comparisons among health plans. Individual MCOs need to conduct drill-down analyses of patient-level data, and review their systems for recording and collecting data used to report performance measures, to determine whether their reported rates reflect actual performance or data completeness.

## Well-Child Care Visits

HCA requires the MCOs to report WCC visit rates for young Medicaid enrollees in three age brackets, as defined below. For the infant category, Acumentra Health breaks out rates according to the number of visits in the first 15 months, from 0 to 6+.

### Measure definitions

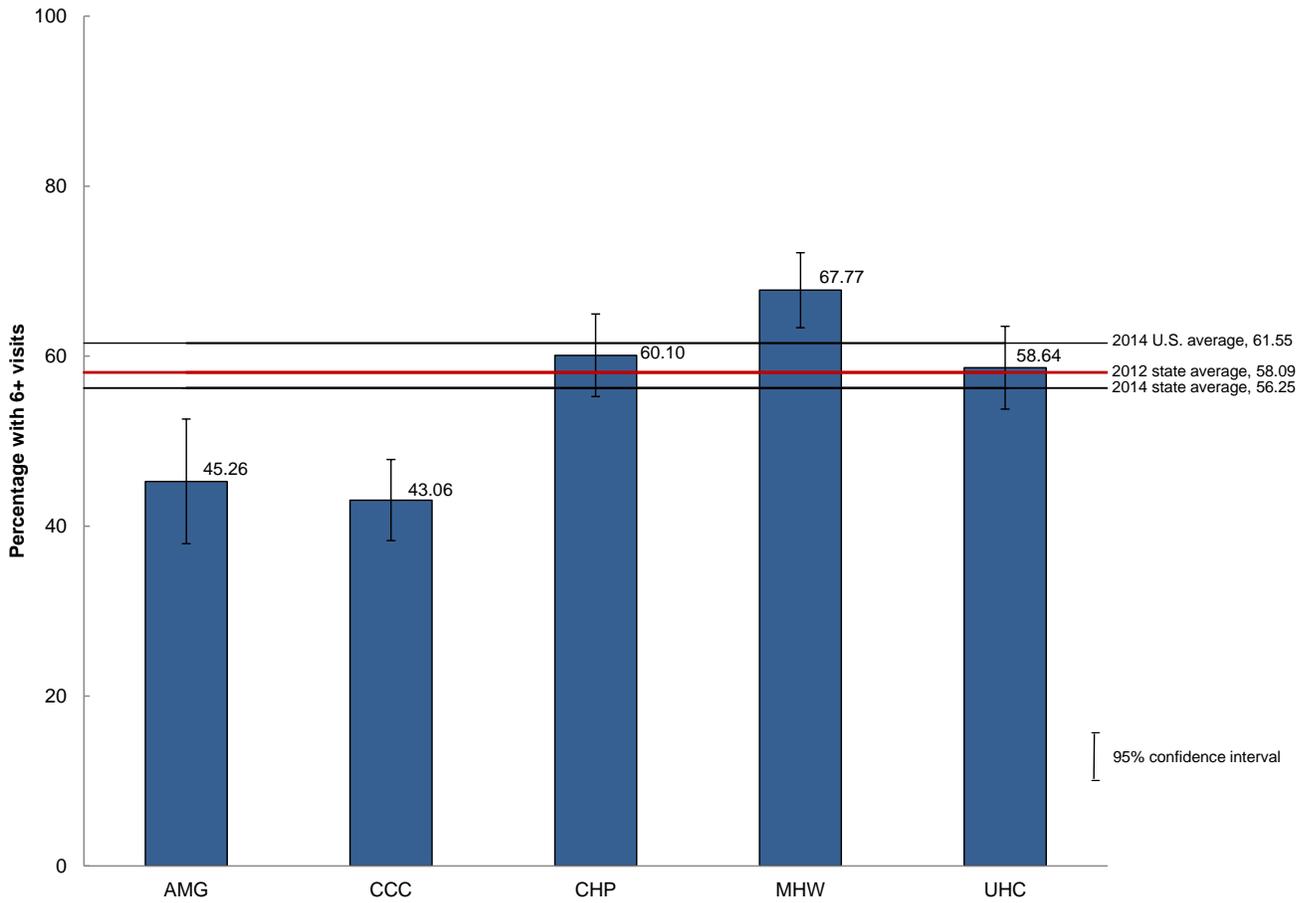
HEDIS measures evaluate the success of health plans in providing well-child services by assessing the percentage of Medicaid children with the recommended number of

- well-child visits in the first 15 months of life: the percentage of enrolled children who turned 15 months old during the measurement year, were continuously enrolled in the plan from 31 days and received between zero and six or more well-child visits with a PCP in their first 15 months of life
- well-child visits in the 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th years of life: the percentage of enrolled children who were between three and six years old during the measurement year, were continuously enrolled for 12 months, and received one or more well-child visits with a PCP during the measurement year
- adolescent well-care visits: the percentage of enrolled adolescents ages 12–21 years during the measurement year who were continuously enrolled for 12 months and had at least one comprehensive well-care visit with a PCP or an obstetrics/gynecology practitioner during the measurement year

**Data collection method:** Administrative or hybrid

**Well-child care in the first 15 months of life**

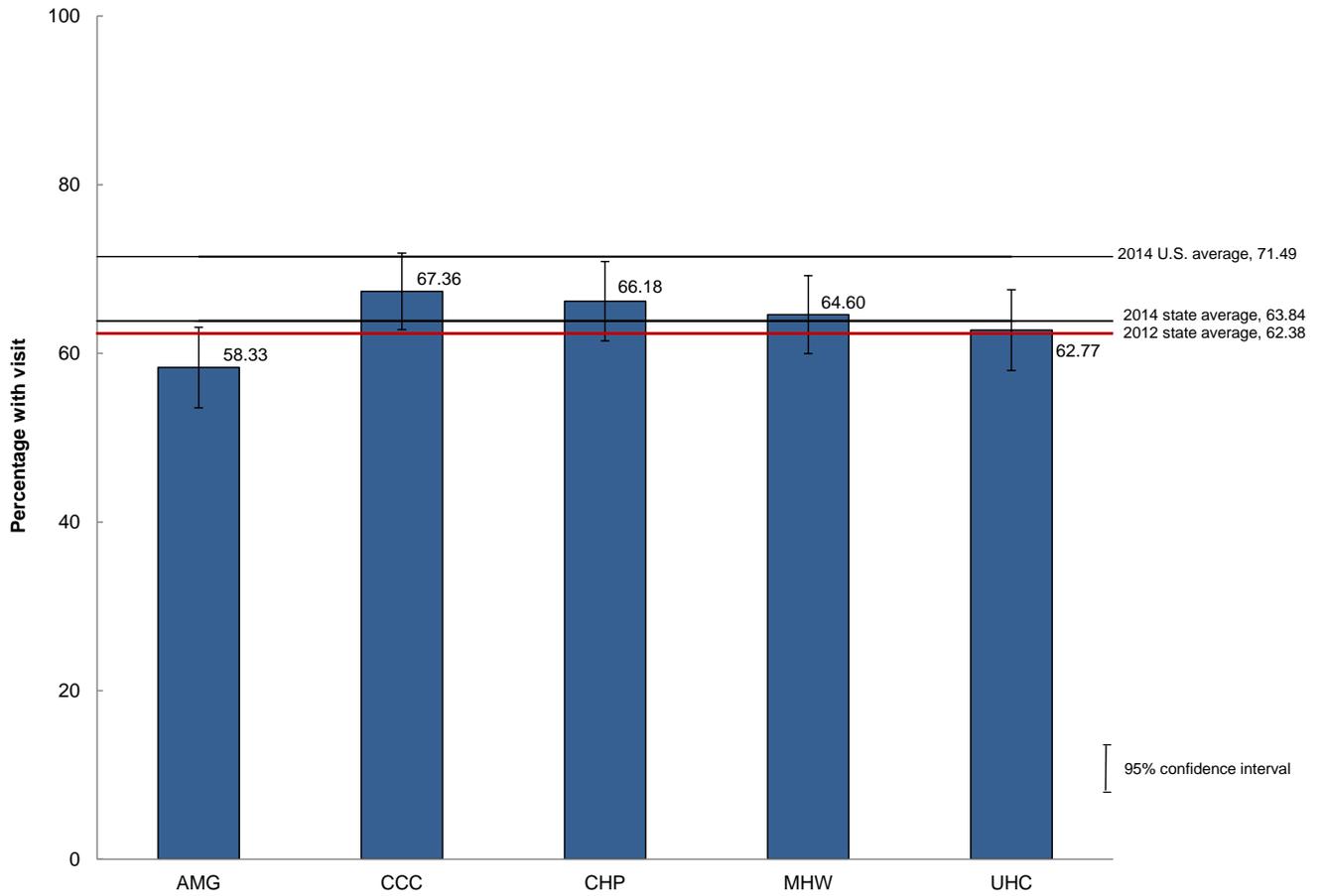
In 2014, 56.25% of infants enrolled with the Washington MCOs received six or more WCC visits, down slightly from 58.09% in 2012, and significantly lower than the U.S. average rate (see Figure 26). MHW outperformed all other MCOs at 67.77%, significantly above the state average, while the rates for AMG and CCC enrollees were significantly below average.



**Figure 26. Six or more well-child visits in the first 15 months of life by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

**Well-child care for children in the 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th years of life**

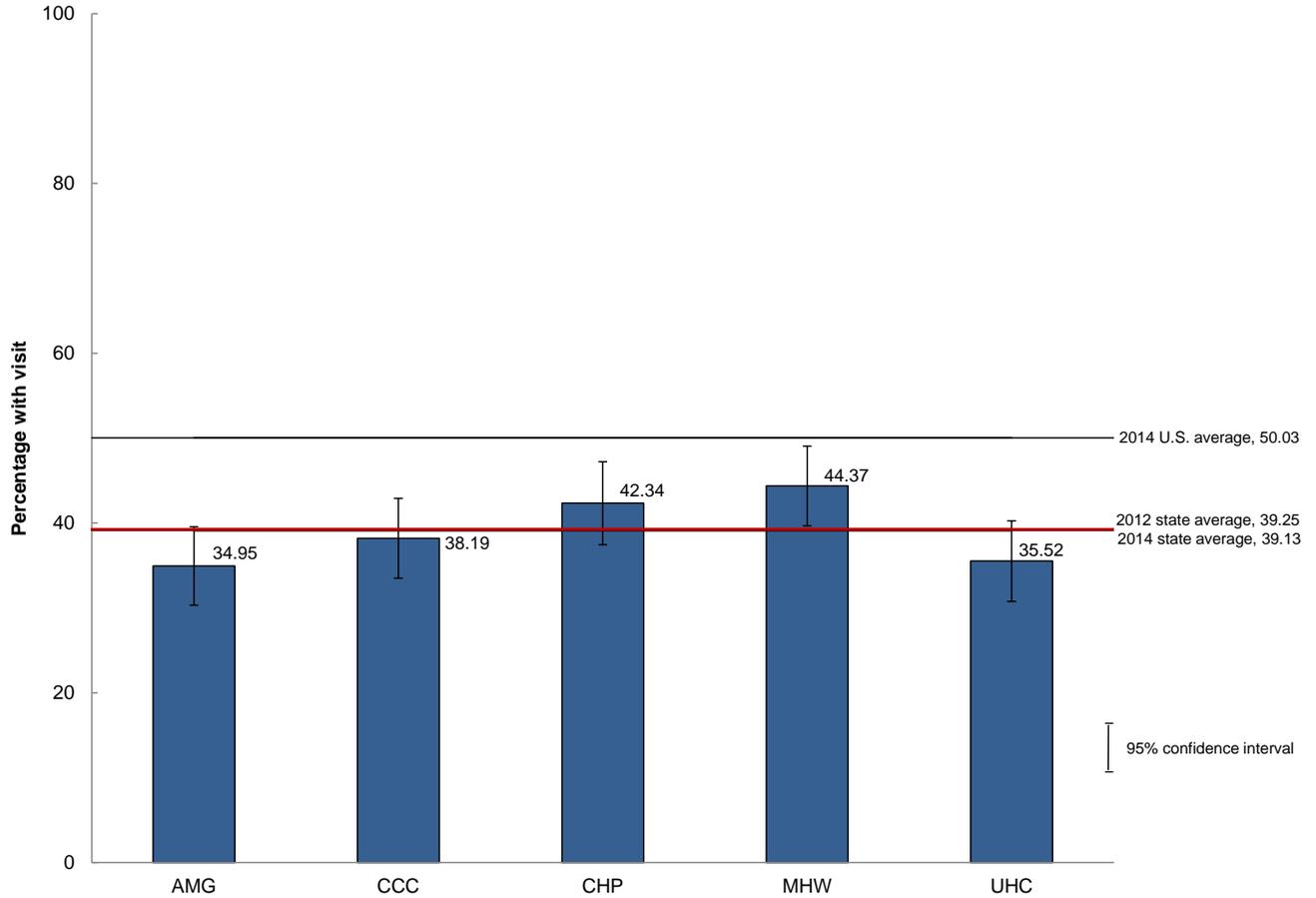
The 2014 statewide average visit rate for this age group, 63.84%, was marginally higher than the 2012 average, yet still significantly below the U.S. average (Figure 27). MCOs’ performance rates fell within a relatively narrow range, except that AMG’s rate of 58.33% was significantly lower than the state average.



**Figure 27. Well-child visits in the 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th years of life by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

**Adolescent well-child care**

The statewide average visit rate for adolescents in 2014 (39.13%) was almost identical to the 2012 average, and remained significantly below the U.S. average (Figure 28). MHW significantly outperformed the state average with a rate of 44.37%.



**Figure 28. Adolescents ages 12–21 with one or more well-care visits by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

## Discussion

WCC visit rates reported in 2014 showed little change since the previous measurement in 2012. The Washington MCOs continue to lag behind the national Medicaid performance in providing WCC visits, particularly for older children and adolescents.

If an MCO's WCC visit rates fall below certain NCQA national benchmarks, HCA requires the MCO to conduct a clinical performance improvement project (PIP) designed to increase rates. The benchmarks are:

- WCC visits in the first 15 months, five or more visits: NCQA 75th percentile
- WCC visits in the 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th years of life: NCQA 75th percentile
- adolescent well-care visits: NCQA 50th percentile

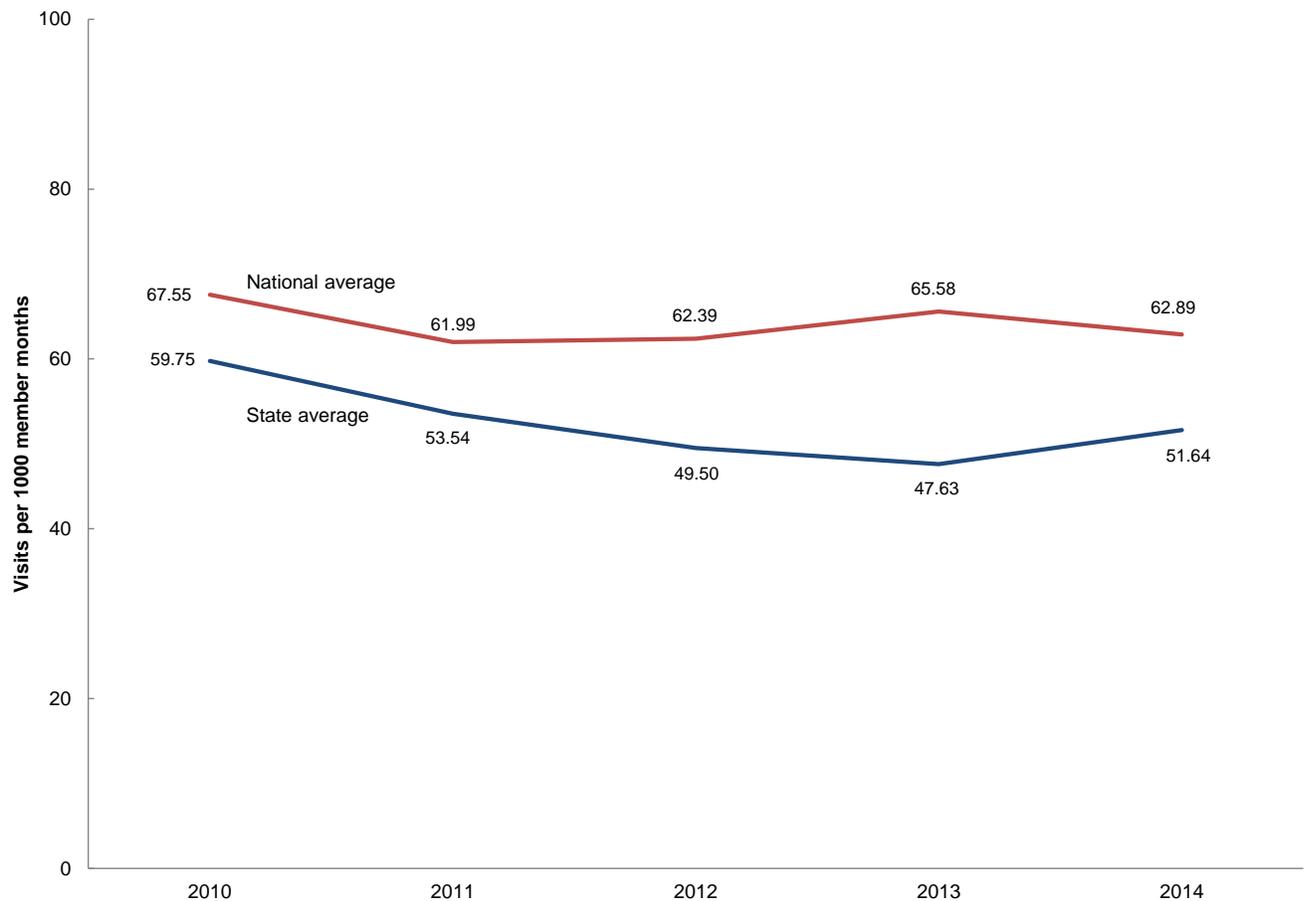
All MCOs reported that the EPSDT supplemental data file supplied by HCA in 2014 had a positive impact on their well-child measures. Acumentra Health recommends that HCA continue to provide EPSDT supplemental data to aid the MCOs in calculating these measures.

# Emergency Room Visits

**Measure definition**

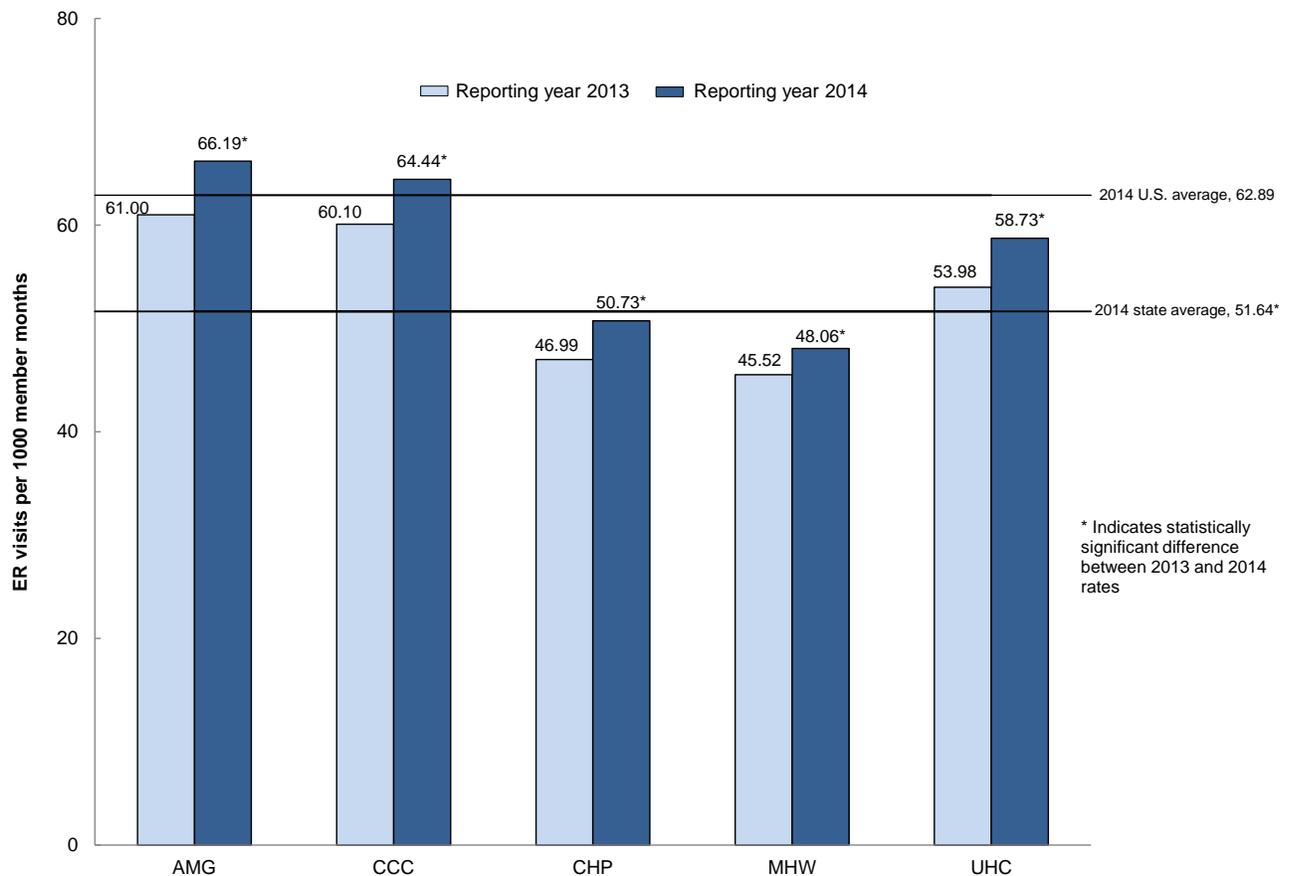
This measure summarizes emergency room utilization by MCOs during the measurement year, expressed in ER visits per 1000 member months. The numerator includes all ER visits by enrollees that do not result in inpatient encounters, regardless of the intensity or duration of the visit.

In 2014, Medicaid managed care enrollees in Washington averaged 51.64 ER visits per 1000 member months (see Figure 29). This visit rate was significantly higher than in 2013, reversing a trend of declining ER utilization. However, the Washington MCO average remained significantly below the U.S. Medicaid average, as has been the case since 2006.



**Figure 29. State and national averages for emergency room utilization, reporting years 2010–2014.**

As shown in Figure 30 on the next page, ER visit rates varied considerably among the Washington MCOs in 2014. CHP and MHW reported visit rates significantly below the statewide average, while visit rates for AMG, CCC, and UHC were significantly above average. All MCOs’ visit rates, however, were significantly higher than in 2013—perhaps because many new enrollees sought care from the ER before they had established relationships with primary care providers in the MCOs’ expanding networks.



**Figure 30. Emergency room visits per 1000 member months by health plan, reporting years 2013–2014.**

## Discussion

HCA has noted that a relatively small number of clients are responsible for the majority of ER visits, many for conditions that would be treated more appropriately in primary care. In 2012, the state legislature directed HCA to work with stakeholders to develop best practices aimed at reducing non-emergency use of the ER and overutilization of emergency services. The initiative established procedures and systems to refer non-emergency patients to PCPs and to educate all enrollees about appropriate use of the ER.<sup>10</sup> HCA continues to collaborate with the Washington State Hospital Association, the Washington Chapter of the American College of Emergency Room Physicians, and the Washington State Medical Association to expand and enhance the seven best practices for emergency departments. These best practices include patient education, appropriate opioid prescribing, and monthly hospital feedback reports.

As part of a 2010 legislative mandate to design a system of hospital quality incentive payments, HCA developed improvement measures to reduce preventable ER visits by Medicaid enrollees. Qualifying hospitals received incentive payments from July 1, 2012, until June 2013. Twenty-three hospitals currently qualify for incentive payments, which began again on July 1, 2014, with additional measures aimed at preventing excessive ER use by high-utilizing patients.

## **New Measures for 2014**

HCA required the MCOs to report additional measures in 2014 that were not reported in previous years, with one exception.

### **Prevention and Screening:**

- Weight Assessment and Counseling for Nutrition and Physical Activity for Children and Adolescents

### **Respiratory Conditions:**

- Appropriate Testing for Children with Pharyngitis
- Use of Appropriate Medications for People with Asthma

### **Access/Availability of Care:**

- Children's and Adolescents' Access to Primary Care Practitioners (last reported in 2007)

### **Utilization:**

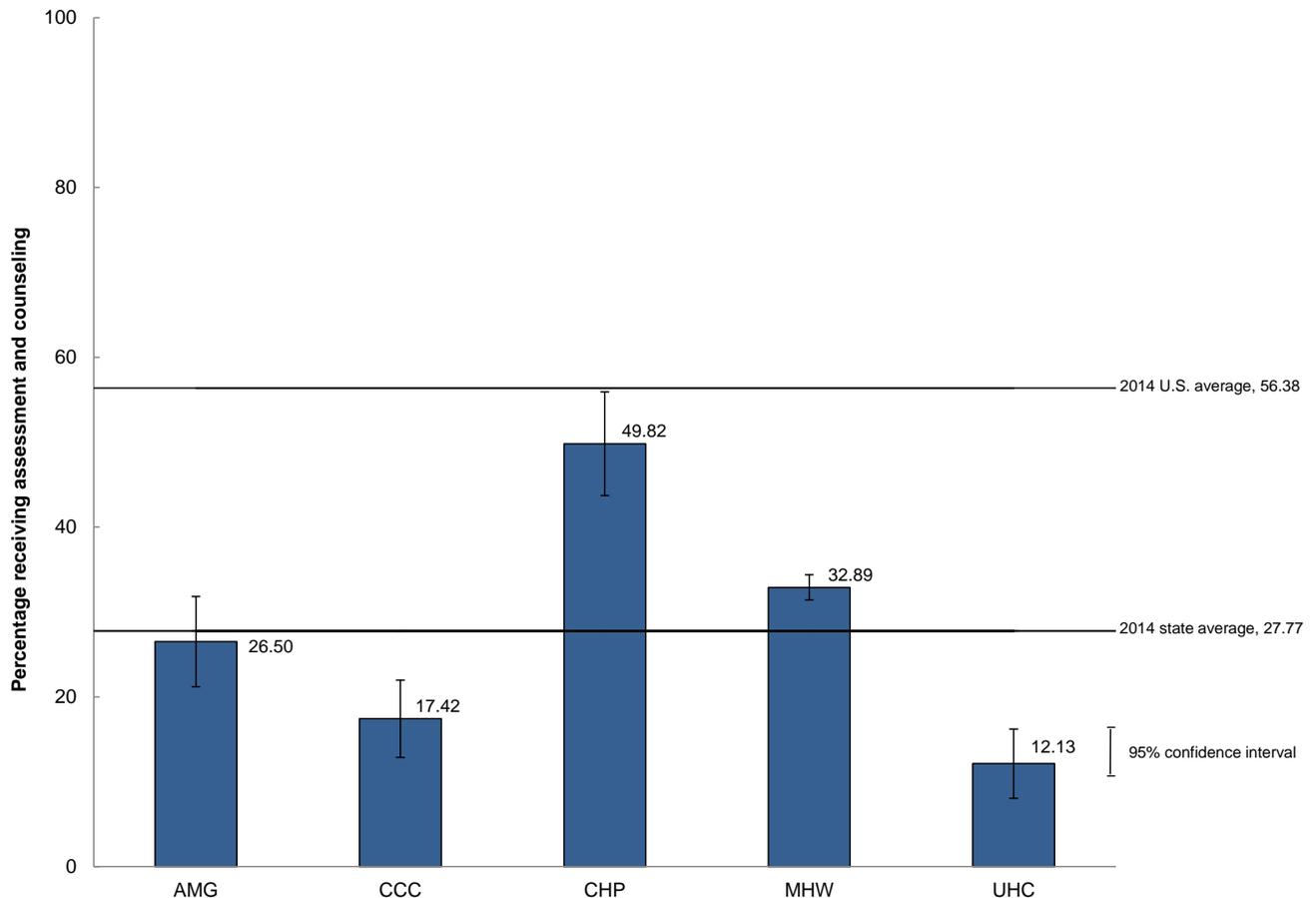
- Mental Health Utilization
- Plan All-Cause Readmissions (Medicare HEDIS measure)

### Weight Assessment and Counseling for Nutrition and Physical Activity for Children and Adolescents

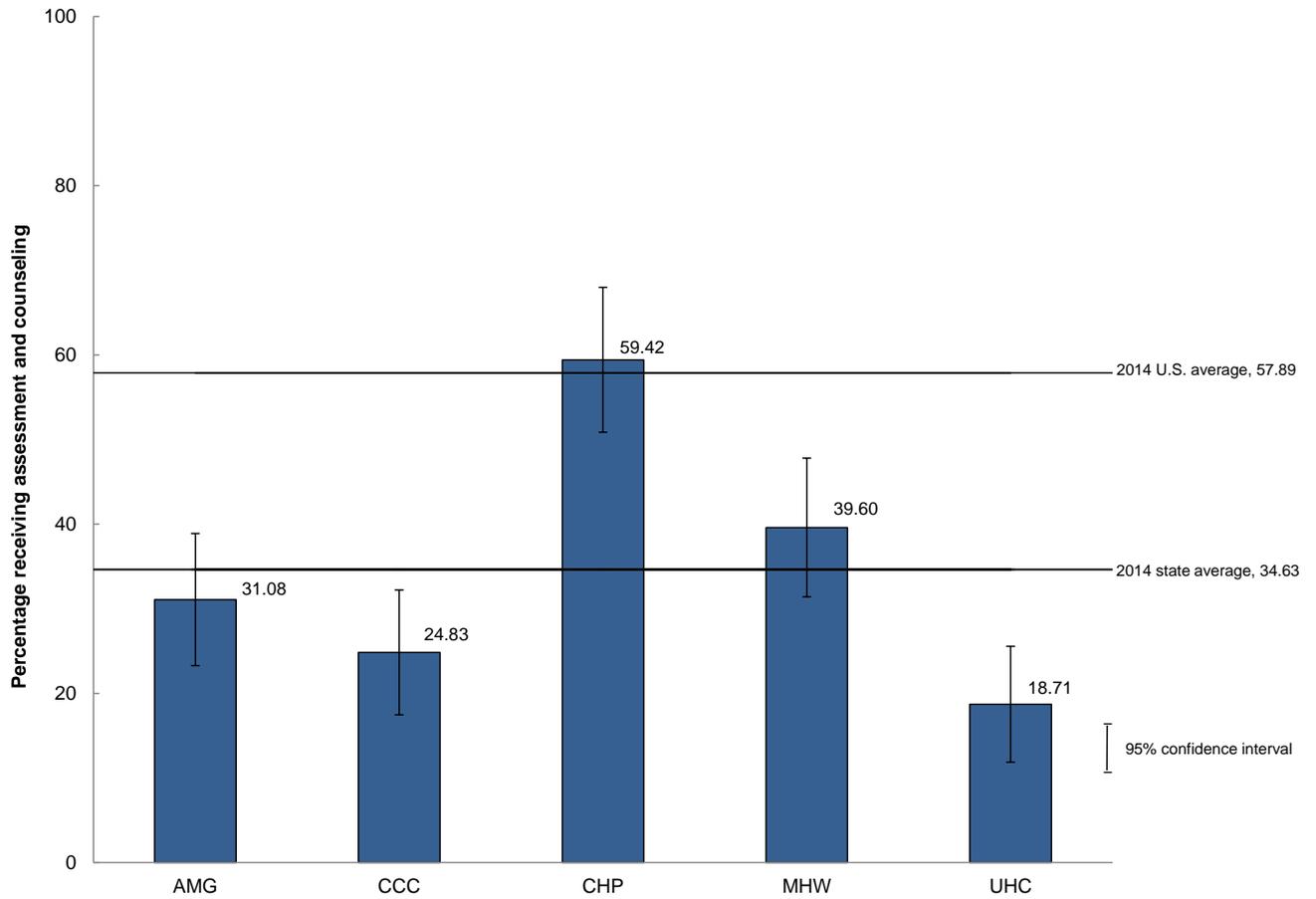
This measure expresses the percentage of enrollees 3–17 years of age who had an outpatient visit with a PCP or OB/GYN and who had evidence of the following during the measurement year:

- body mass index (BMI) percentile documentation
- counseling for nutrition
- counseling for physical activity

Figure 31 shows the 2014 rates of BMI documentation for enrollees ages 3–11 by MCO. Figure 32 on the next page shows the equivalent rates for enrollees ages 12–17. For both indicators, the average rate reported by the MCOs was significantly below the U.S. average. CHP’s BMI documentation rates significantly outperformed the state averages, while the rates for CCC and UHC were significantly below average.

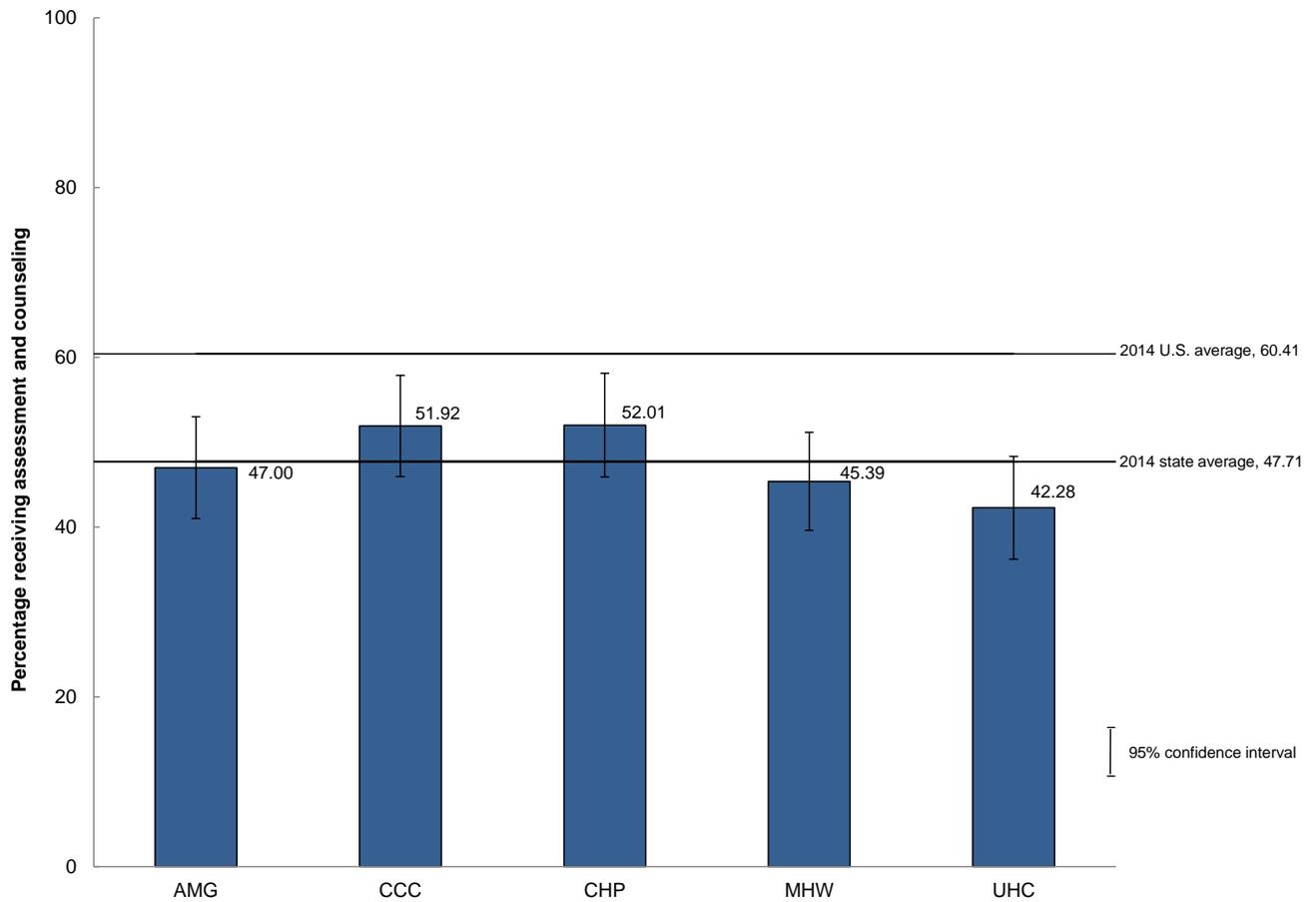


**Figure 31. BMI documentation for enrollees ages 3–11 by health plan, reporting year 2014.**



**Figure 32. BMI documentation for enrollees ages 12–17 by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Figure 33 shows the 2014 rate of nutrition counseling for enrollees ages 3–11 by MCO. Figure 34 on the next page shows the equivalent rates for enrollees ages 12–17. For both indicators, the average rate reported by the MCOs was significantly lower than the U.S. average.



**Figure 33. Nutrition counseling for enrollees ages 3–11 by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

CHP delivered nutrition counseling for 54.35% of enrollees ages 12–17, significantly exceeding the state average for this indicator.

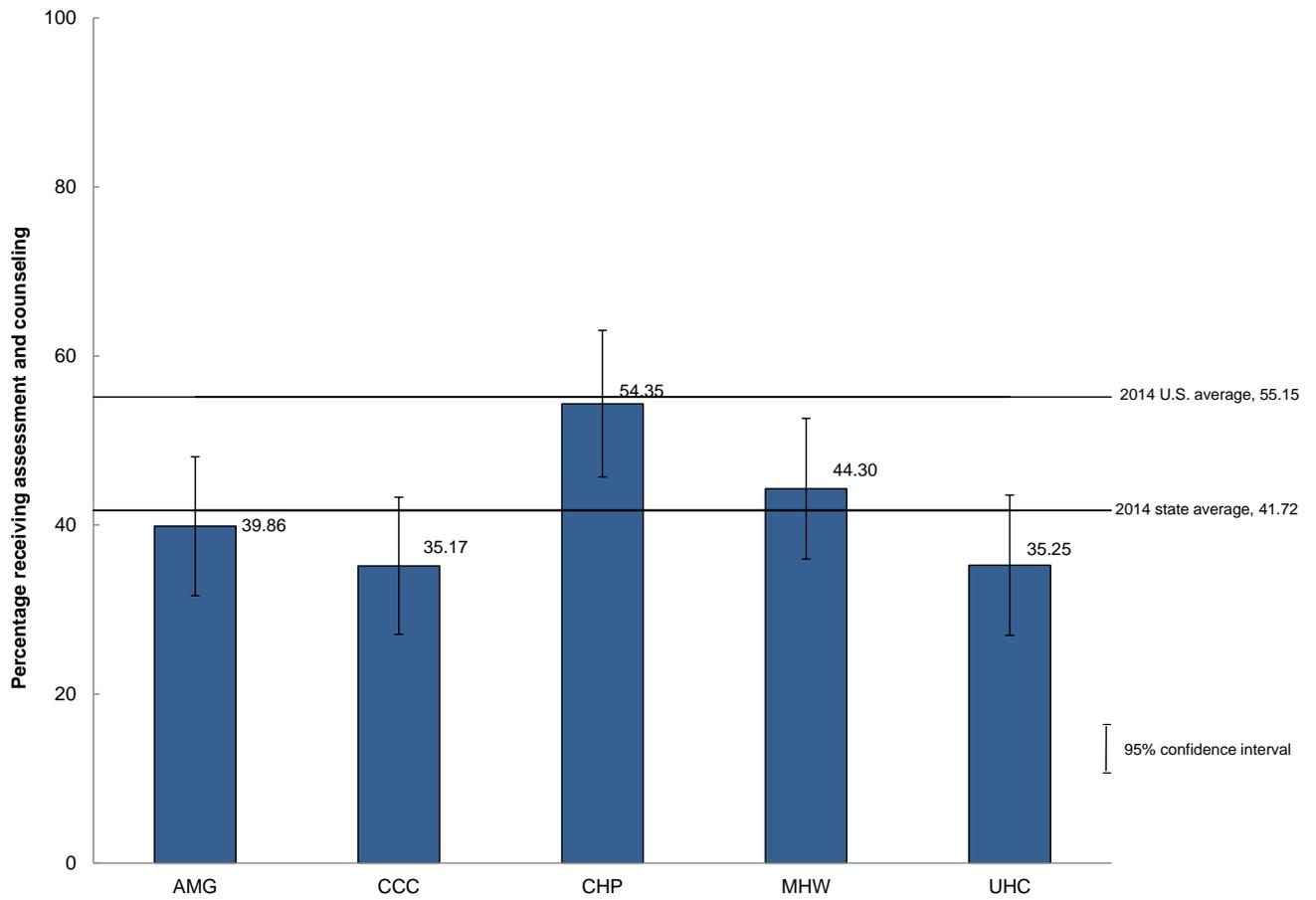
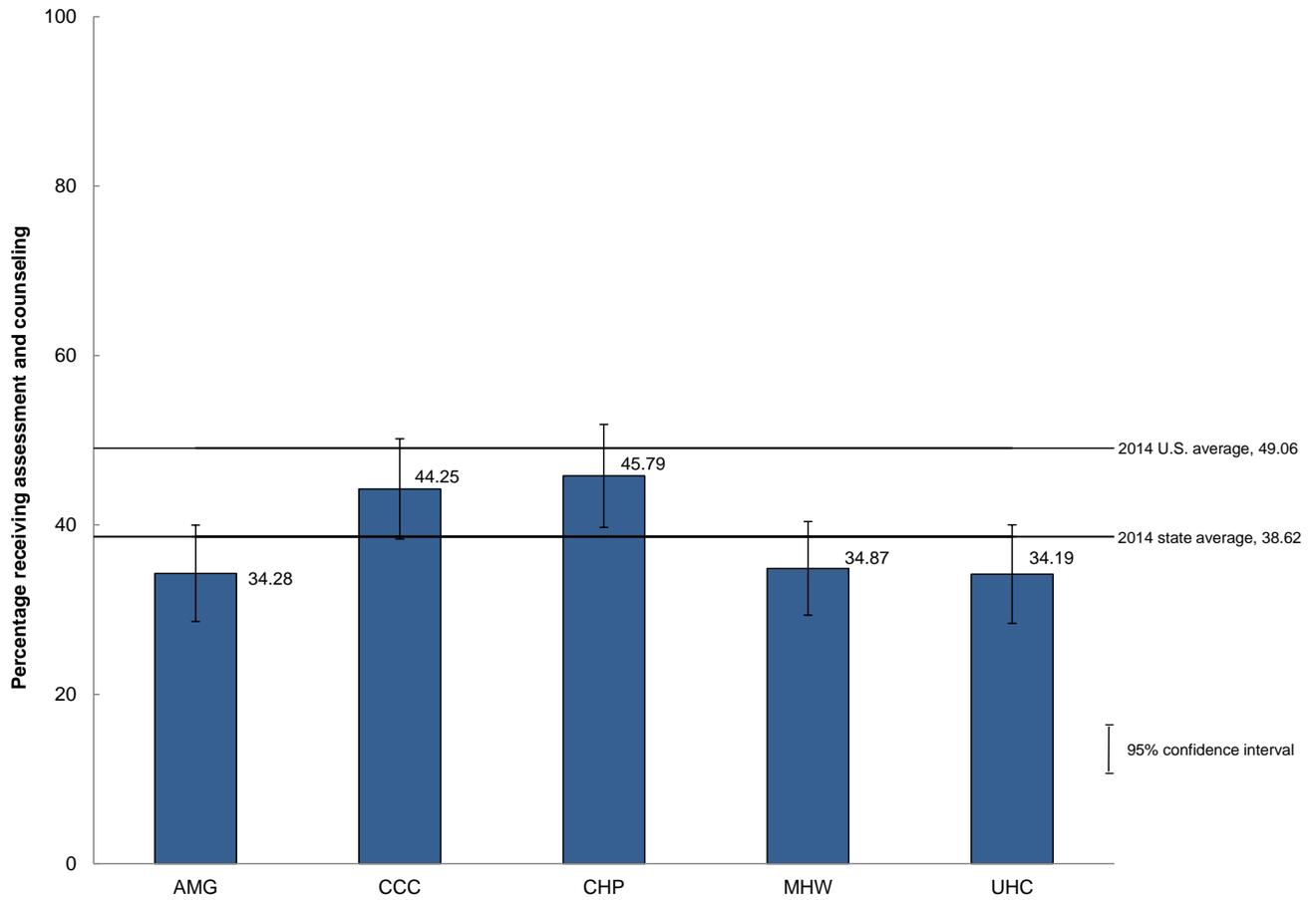


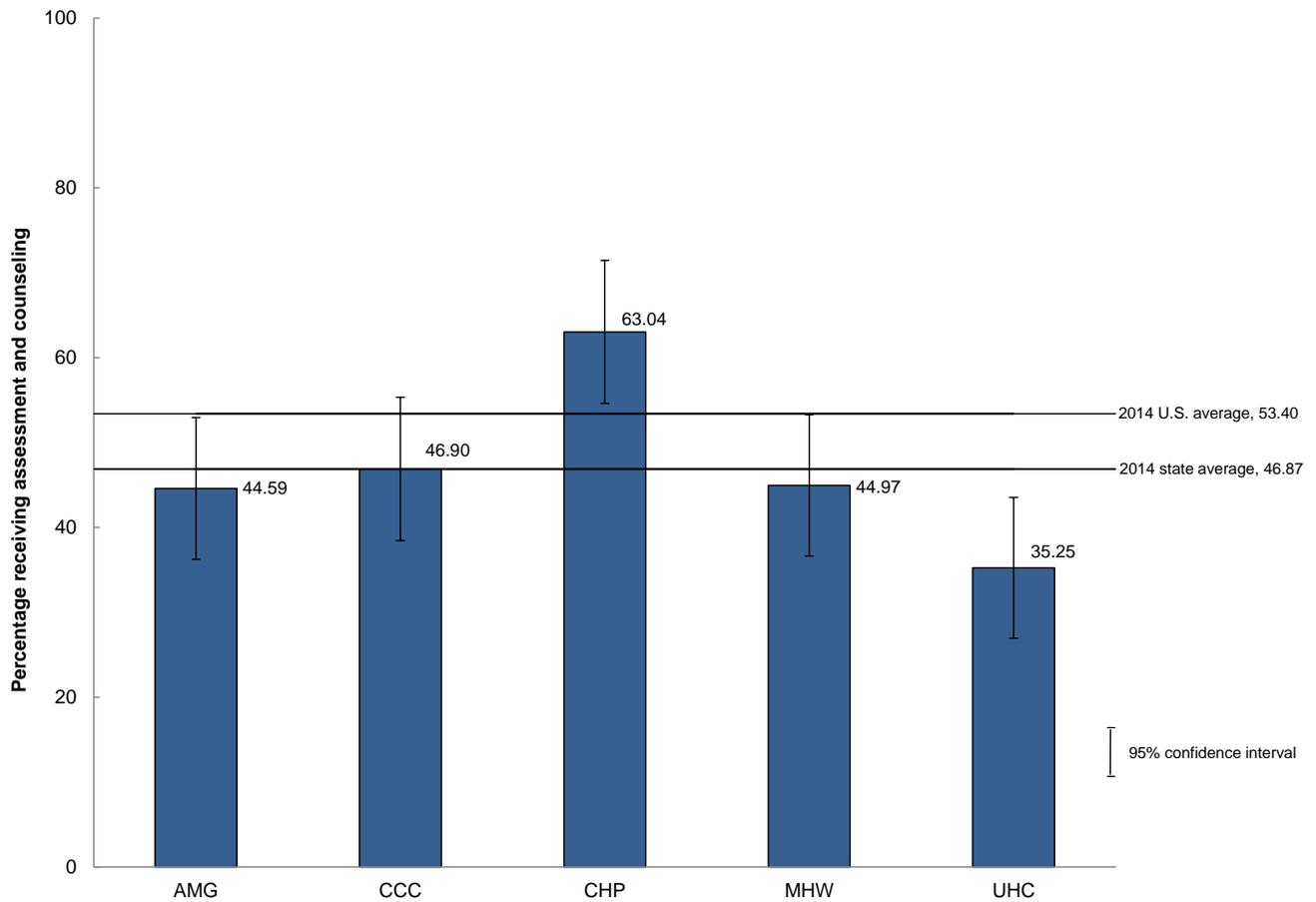
Figure 34. Nutrition counseling for enrollees ages 12–17 by health plan, reporting year 2014.

Figure 35 shows the 2014 rate of physical activity counseling for enrollees ages 3–11 by MCO. Figure 36 on the next page shows the equivalent rates for enrollees ages 12–17. For both indicators, the average rate reported by the MCOs was significantly lower than the U.S. average. CHP significantly outperformed the state average for both indicators.



**Figure 35. Physical activity counseling for enrollees ages 3–11 by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

UHC’s delivery of physical activity counseling for enrollees ages 12–17 was significantly lower than the state average.



**Figure 36. Physical activity counseling for enrollees ages 12–17 by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

### Appropriate Testing for Children with Pharyngitis

This measure expresses 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. A higher rate represents better performance (i.e., appropriate testing).

Figure 37 shows the 2014 rate of pharyngitis testing by MCO. Statewide, 63.74% of enrollees in this age group received testing, significantly below the nationwide rate. MHW significantly outperformed the state average with a rate of 67.38%, while the rates for CCC and CHP were significantly below average.

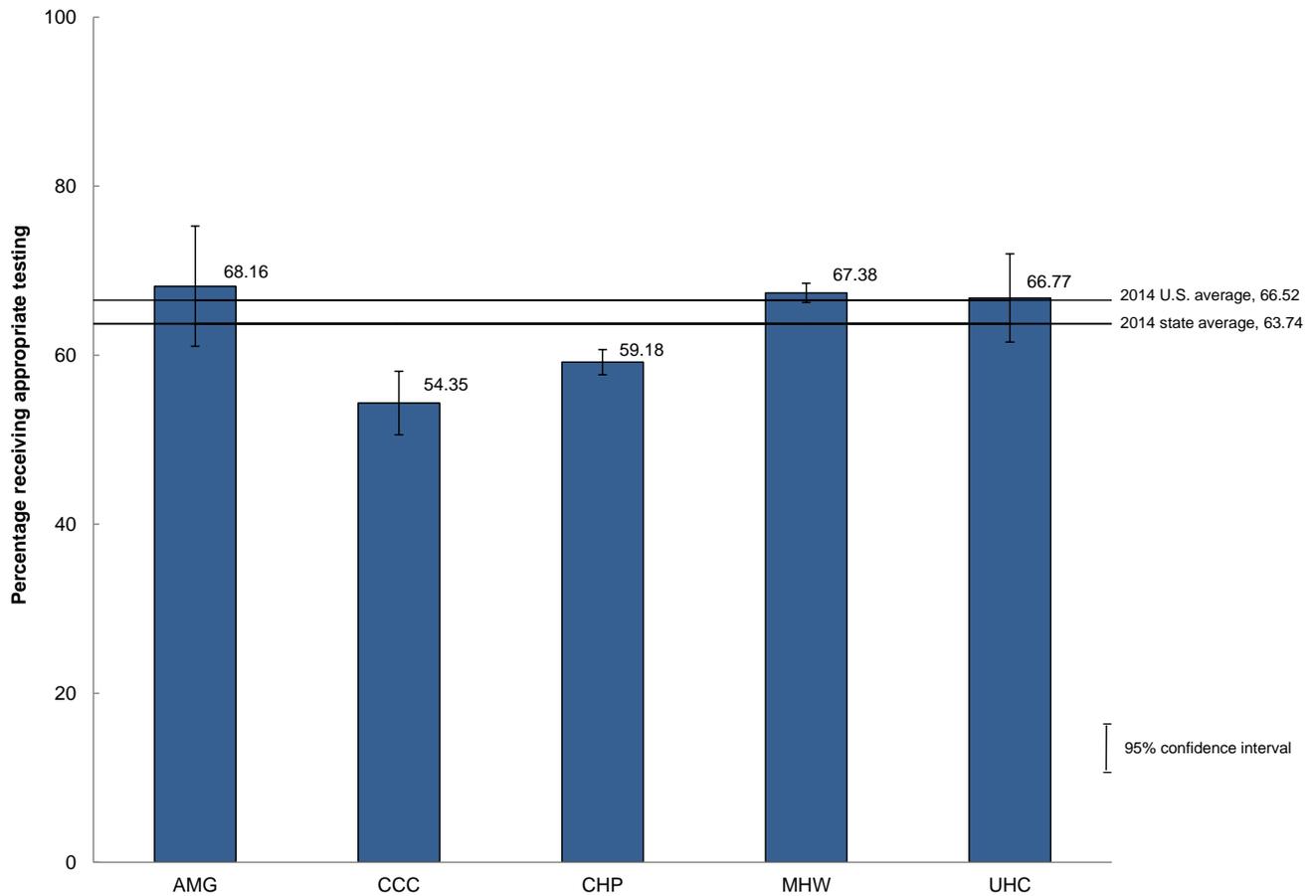


Figure 37. Pharyngitis testing for enrollees age 2–18, by health plan, reporting year 2014.

### Use of Appropriate Medications for People with Asthma

This measure expresses 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 (oral medication, inhaler, or injection).

Asthma-related suffering, costs, and death can be greatly reduced through effective treatment with long-term controller medications. In addition, patient education regarding medication use, symptom management, and avoidance of asthma attack triggers can greatly reduce the impact of the disease. The list of acceptable medications is derived from the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute’s National Asthma Education Prevention Program guidelines.

Table 2 displays appropriate asthma medication rates by MCO for each of four age groups in 2014. Only CHP and MHW had reportable data in this reporting year; therefore, the reported state averages represent only those two MCOs. For each age group, the state average was significantly below the U.S. average.

**Table 2. Enrollees appropriately prescribed asthma medication by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage prescribed by age group									
	5–11		12–18		19–50		51–64		Total	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	0	NA	0	NA	0	NA	0	NA	0	NA
CCC	0	NA	0	NA	0	NA	0	NA	0	NA
CHP	768	89.19	576	83.16	324	75.31	84	77.38	1,752	84.08
MHW	1,441	87.79	1,141	81.95	513	72.71	60	83.33	3,155	83.14
UHC	0	NA	0	NA	0	NA	0	NA	0	NA
State average	–	88.28	–	82.35	–	73.72	–	79.86	–	83.47
U.S. average	–	90.18	–	86.93	–	74.36	–	70.20	–	84.07

NA: Sample size was smaller than the minimum required during the reporting year; eligible population was zero.

### Children's and Adolescents' Access to Primary Care Practitioners

This measure expresses the percentage of members 12 months to 19 years of age who had a visit with a PCP. The health plan reports separate percentages for:

- children 12–24 months and 25 months–6 years who had a visit with a PCP during the measurement year
- children 7–11 years and adolescents 12–19 years who had a visit with a PCP during the measurement year or the year before the measurement year

As shown in Table 3, access rates by MCO ranged between 93% and 98% for children age 12–24 months, and between 77% and 89% for children age 25 months–6 years. For older children served by AMG, CCC, and UHC, sample sizes were not large enough for meaningful analysis. The statewide average access rates were significantly higher than the U.S. average rates for all age groups except 25 months–6 years.

**Table 3. Access to primary care practitioners by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage who had a PCP visit by age group							
	12–24 months		25 months–6 years		7–11 years		12–19 years	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	626	93.45	1,873	77.52	0	NA	0	NA
CCC	2,204	97.19	7,619	86.13	0	NA	0	NA
CHP	8,647	97.14	46,878	86.22	27,547	89.39	31,243	88.49
MHW	15,654	97.78	77,081	89.04	49,347	92.24	51,848	92.12
UHC	1,468	93.94	4,838	82.20	0	NA	0	NA
State average	–	97.25	–	87.53	–	91.22	–	90.75
U.S. average	–	96.14	–	88.25	–	90.02	–	88.52

NA: Sample size was smaller than the minimum required during the reporting year; eligible population was zero.

## Mental Health Utilization

Table 4 reports the frequency of mental health outpatient and ED services for enrollees of each MCO in 2014, broken out by enrollee age. Comparisons with the national NCQA averages are available only for total enrollees, not by age.

**Table 4. Frequency of mental health outpatient and ED services by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Service frequency by age group <sup>a</sup>							
	0–12 years		13–17 years		18–64 years		Total	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	116	1.01	55	1.54	339	2.35	510	1.73
CCC	274	0.78	153	1.57	740	2.99	1,167	1.67
CHP	1,956	1.33	1,156	2.64	2,913	3.93	6,025	2.27
MHW	261	2.91	229	6.15	727	5.19	1,217	4.56
UHC	168	0.75	119	1.82	546	2.61	833	1.67
State average	—	1.23	—	2.54	—	3.55	—	2.21
U.S. average	—	NA	—	NA	—	NA	—	12.27

NA: Not available in 2014 NCQA *Quality Compass*.

<sup>a</sup> Percentages are calculated using member years to standardize counts of members enrolled for fewer than 12 months.

### Plan All-Cause Readmissions

This is a Medicare HEDIS measure that HCA has required the MCOs to report for the Medicaid population in Washington. For members 18 years of age and older, this measure expresses the number of acute inpatient stays during the measurement year that were followed by an acute readmission for any diagnosis within 30 days. NCQA also specifies that plans calculate the predicted probability of an acute readmission in order to account for the prior and current health of the member and other risk factors. Plans average the predicted readmission probabilities to obtain risk-adjusted, or expected, readmission rates. Table 5 reports:

1. the Observed readmission ratio, equal to the percentage of index hospital stays that had a subsequent 30-day readmission
2. the Observed/Expected readmission ratio, equal to the observed readmission rate divided by the average risk-adjusted probability of readmission

A lower observed rate of readmission is considered better performance. The “expected” rate of readmission is the health plan’s predicted readmission rate, given its case mix and how health plans across the nation treat similar cases. The observed/expected ratio shows the adjusted readmission rate relative to the national average. A ratio less than 1 indicates that the health plan has a lower than expected readmission rate based on its patient case mix.

**Table 5. Plan all-cause readmissions by health plan<sup>a</sup>, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Observed <sup>b</sup> and Observed/Expected <sup>c</sup> readmission ratios by age group							
	18–44 years		45–54 years		55–64 years		Total	
	Observed	Observed/Expected	Observed	Observed/Expected	Observed	Observed/Expected	Observed	Observed/Expected
AMG	17.07	1.23	8.77	0.69	11.67	0.88	12.03	0.91
CCC	11.76	0.84	16.38	0.93	8.43	0.61	11.72	0.78
CHP	10.45	0.96	10.92	0.87	10.68	0.73	10.67	0.85
MHW	8.41	0.63	12.02	0.81	10.51	0.71	9.66	0.69
UHC	16.67	0.80	10.29	0.66	11.70	0.65	12.56	0.70
State average	—	0.81	—	0.85	—	0.72	—	0.79
U.S. average	—	NA	—	NA	—	NA	—	NA

<sup>a</sup> Medicare HEDIS measure that HCA requires as a reported measure for the Washington Medicaid population.

<sup>b</sup> Observed proportion of Index Hospital Stays that had a subsequent 30-day readmission.

<sup>c</sup> Ratio of the MCO's observed rate of readmission to its expected rate of readmission (average adjusted probability).

NA: Not available in 2014 NCQA *Quality Compass*.

## Medical Care Services Measures

The Medical Care Services (MCS) program, previously called Disability Lifeline/GA-U, operated in all 39 Washington counties during 2013. HCA contracted with CHP to provide managed medical and mental health services for MCS recipients, including primary care, referral coordination, other medically necessary services, and pharmaceutical drugs.

MCS provided limited medical benefits to incapacitated eligible adults and to those eligible for state-funded alcohol and drug addiction treatment. Incapacitated adults are people between ages 18 and 65 who cannot work for short-term physical or mental reasons. Income and resource limits are more restrictive than for the family Categorically Needy medical program.

As of January 1, 2014, MCS recipients were rolled up into the larger Apple Health population. HCA required CHP to report three HEDIS measures for the MCS population in 2014, reflecting services provided during 2013:

- ambulatory care visits—outpatient and ER
- antidepressant medication management (AMM)
- race/ethnicity diversity of membership

The AMM measure examines

- the percentage of newly diagnosed and treated patients who remained on an antidepressant medication for the treatment of major depression for at least 12 weeks (effective acute phase treatment)
- the percentage of newly diagnosed and treated patients who remained on an antidepressant medication for the treatment of major depression for at least six months (effective continuation phase treatment)

Figures 38 and 39 depict the changes in these measures in the past two reporting years. The ambulatory care measures showed a positive trend, with ER visit rates declining significantly while outpatient visit rates increased significantly. AMM measures for this population also improved slightly in 2014 (not statistically significant).

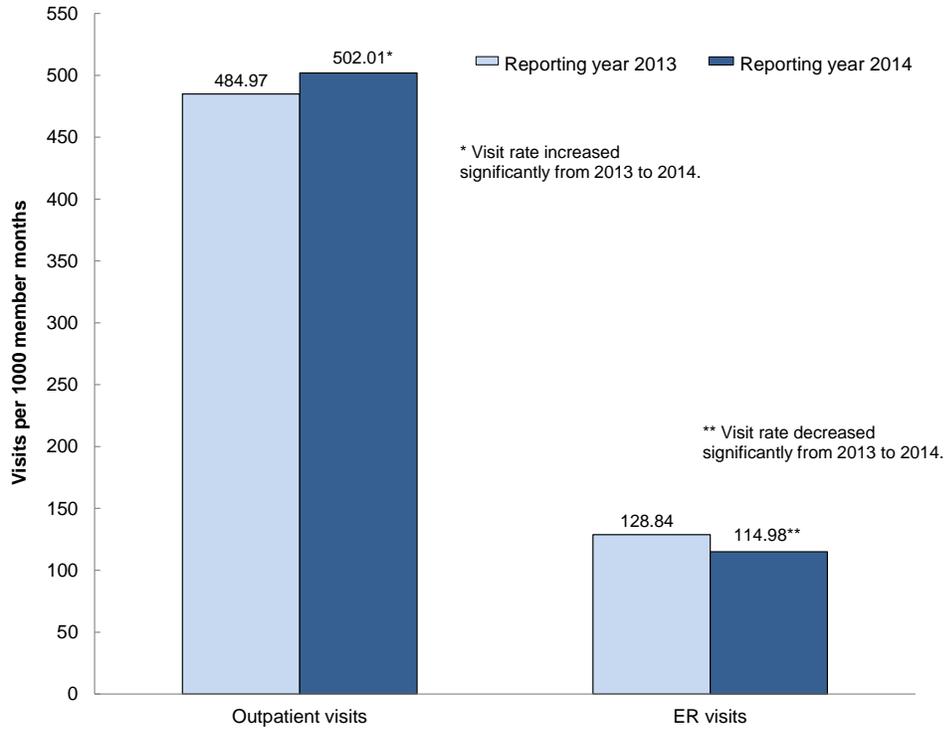
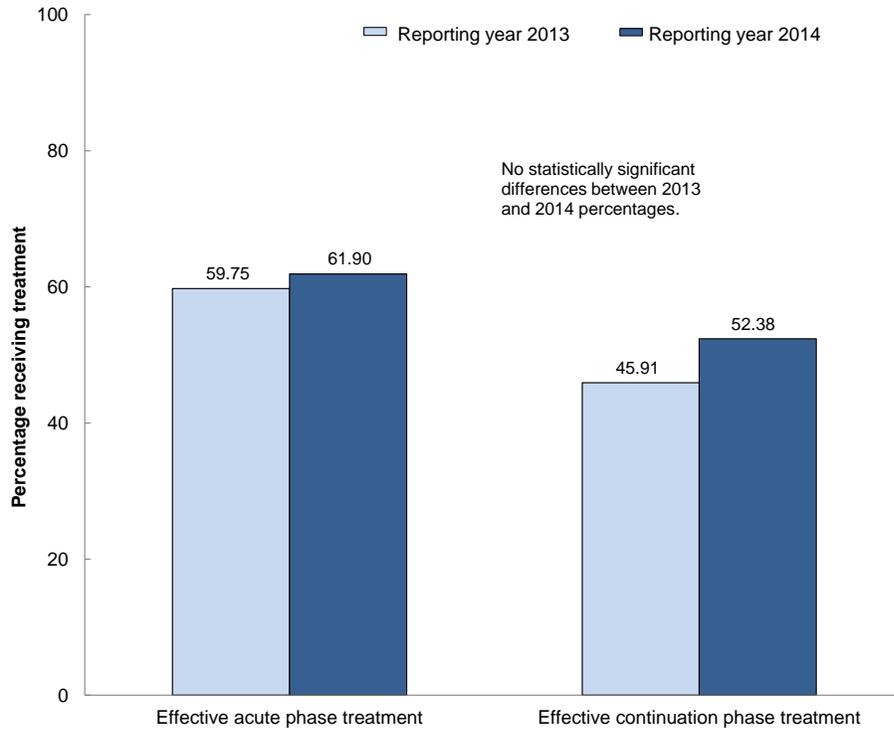


Figure 38. Ambulatory care visits for MCS enrollees, reporting years 2013–2014.



**Figure 39. Antidepressant medication management for MCS enrollees, reporting years 2013–2014.**

Table 6 presents race and ethnicity data reported for MCS enrollees in 2014. As shown, about 69% of the 19,184 enrollees were identified as White, with smaller percentages identified for other racial groups. Race was unknown for nearly 14% of MCS enrollees, and ethnicity was unknown for 93% of enrollees.

**Table 6. Race/ethnicity diversity of MCS enrollees, reporting year 2014.**

Race	Hispanic/Latino		Not Hispanic/Latino		Unknown Ethnicity		Total	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	22	1.58%	0	NR	13,232	74.38%	13,254	69.09%
Black/African American	2	0.14%	0	NR	1,974	11.10%	1,976	10.30%
American-Indian and Alaska Native	0	0.00%	0	NR	183	1.03%	183	0.95%
Asian	0	0.00%	0	NR	285	1.60%	285	1.49%
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	2	0.14%	0	NR	236	1.33%	238	1.24%
Some other race	13	0.93%	0	NR	623	3.50%	636	3.32%
Two or more races	0	0.00%	0	NR	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Unknown	1,356	97.20%	0	NR	1,256	7.06%	2,612	13.62%
Declined	0	0.00%	0	NR	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,395</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>NR</b>	<b>17,789</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>19,184</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

NR = Not reported.

## Washington Medicaid Integration Partnership (WMIP)

HCA ended the WMIP as of June 30, 2014, after more than 9 years of operation. This pilot program sought to integrate medical, mental health, substance abuse, and long-term care services for categorically needy aged, blind, and disabled Medicaid beneficiaries with complex health conditions—the fastest growing and most expensive segment of the Medicaid client base. The program targeted improvements in diabetes care and in mental health and substance abuse services for this population, aimed at reducing ER visits and overall health care costs.

The state contracted with MHW to conduct the WMIP in Snohomish County. The WMIP target population was Medicaid enrollees age 21 or older who were aged, blind, or disabled, including Medicaid-only enrollees and those dually eligible for Medicare and Medicaid. WMIP excluded children under 21, Healthy Options enrollees, and recipients of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families. During 2013, about 3,000 individuals were enrolled.

In 2014, MHW reported nine HEDIS measures for the WMIP population:

- comprehensive diabetes care
- inpatient care utilization—general hospital/acute care
- ambulatory care utilization
- mental health utilization
- follow-up after hospitalization for mental illness
- antidepressant medication management
- use of high-risk medications for the elderly
- identification of alcohol and other drug services
- initiation and engagement of alcohol and other drug dependence treatment

Because the WMIP population differs categorically from the Medicaid managed care population, it has not been feasible to compare the WMIP data meaningfully with the data reported by the MCOs or with national data for health plans serving traditional Medicaid recipients.

This final analysis of WMIP performance measures looks at long-term trends in diabetes care, antidepressant medication management, follow-up after hospitalization for mental illness, and ambulatory care utilization (outpatient and ER visits) spanning the program's existence. Additional charts depict 5-year data for the remaining measures.

### Long-term performance trends

Figure 40 presents the trends in HbA1c testing and control for the WMIP population since 2006. As shown, the percentage of enrollees with diabetes who received HbA1c testing remained flat during this period, fluctuating between 82% and 88%, while the trends in enrollees’ HbA1c control moved in a negative direction (good control declining, poor control increasing). By the end of the program, only about 42% of enrollees had good control of HbA1c.

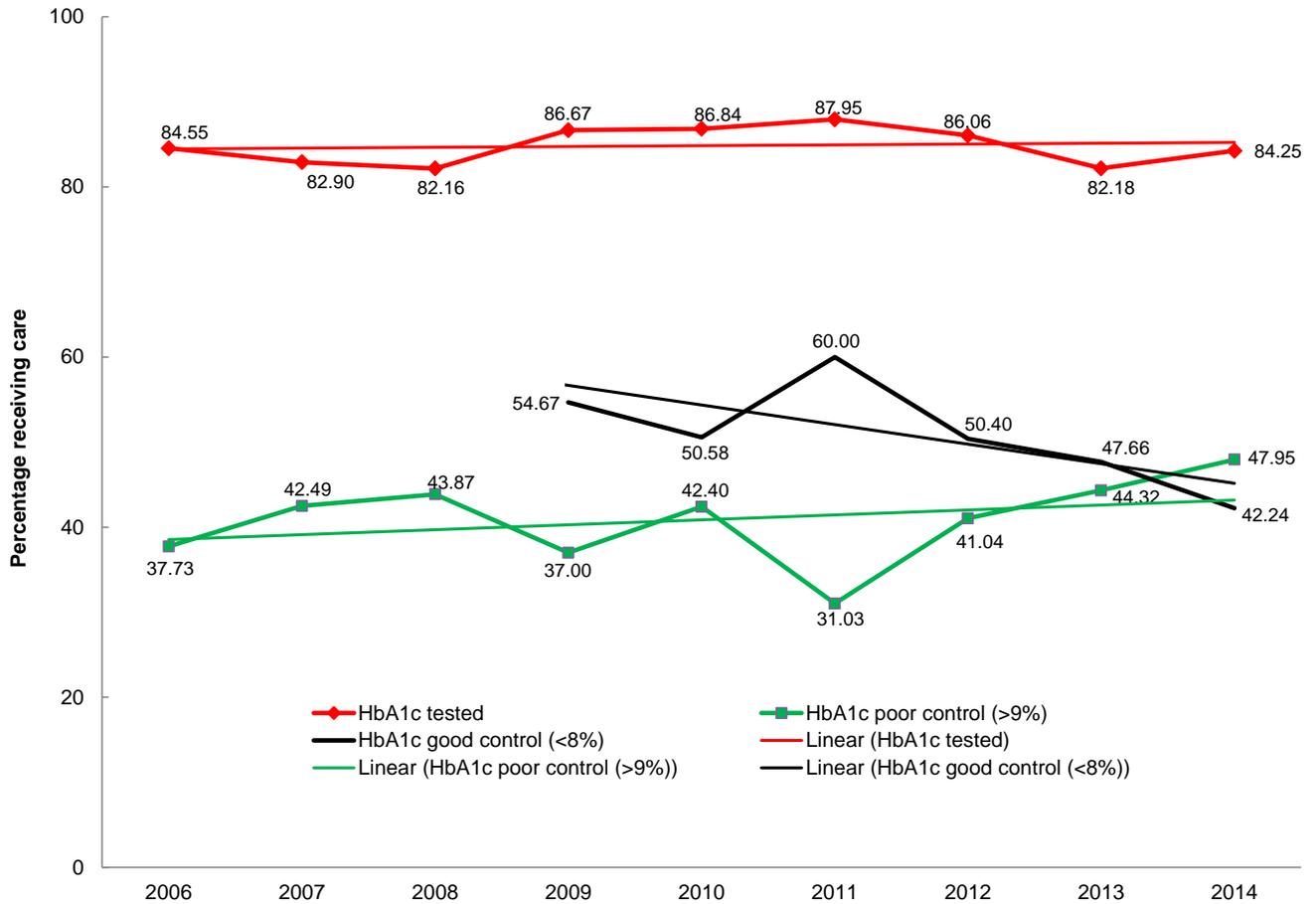


Figure 40. HbA1c testing and control for WMIP enrollees, reporting years 2006–2014.

Figure 41 shows the trends in screening measures (dilated retinal exams and monitoring for diabetic nephropathy) for WMIP enrollees with diabetes since 2006. Nephropathy monitoring improved significantly following the onset of the program, despite some fluctuation in recent years, while the percentage of enrollees receiving eye exams trended downward.

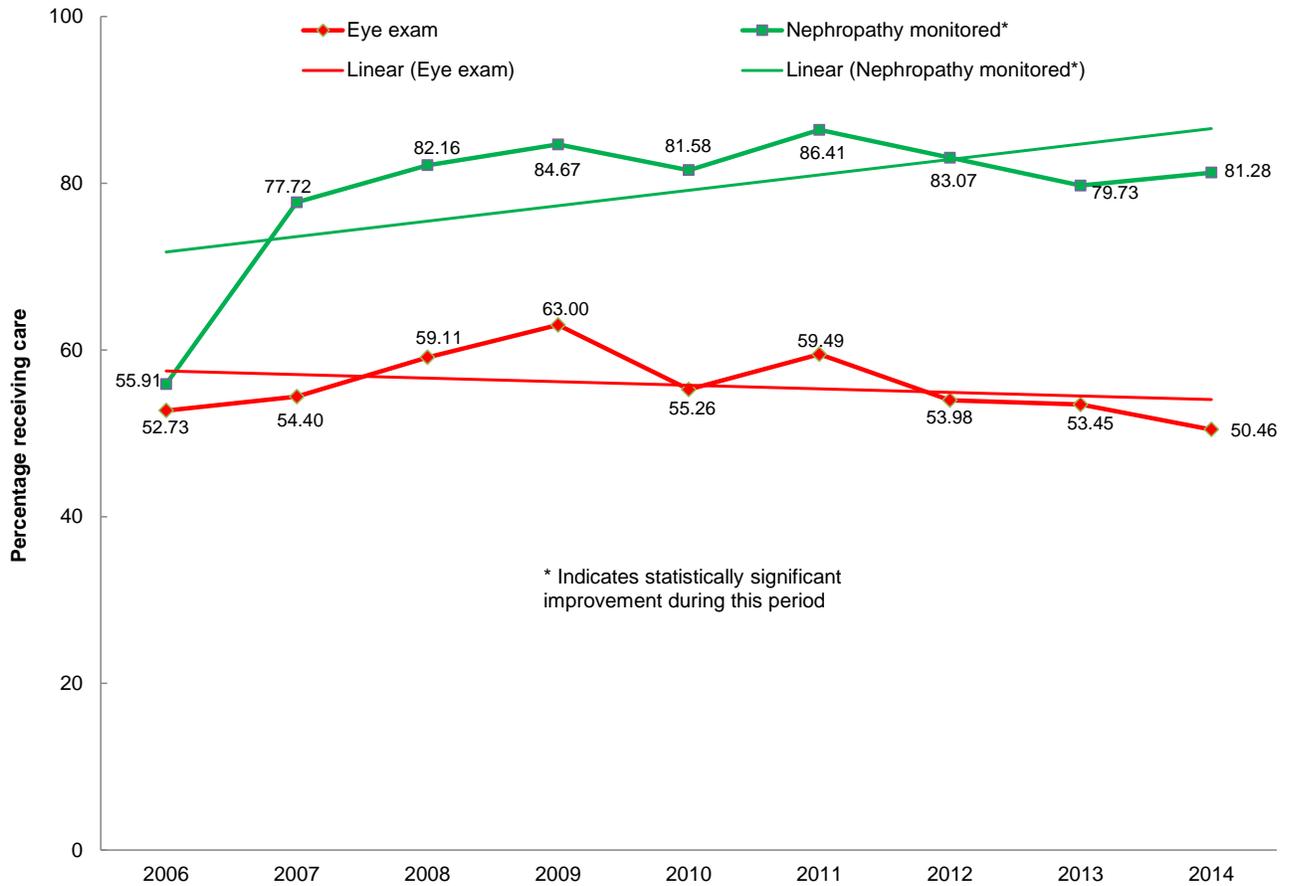


Figure 41. Diabetes screening measures for WMIP enrollees, reporting years 2006–2014.

Figure 42 shows the long-term trends in LDL-C screening, LDL-C control, and blood pressure control for WMIP enrollees. LDL-C screening trended gradually downward throughout the program, and the percentage of enrollees with good control of their LDL-C levels remained essentially flat despite year-to-year fluctuations. Blood pressure control dropped sharply in the program’s final year, when only about 41% of enrollees had good control. None of these long-term changes were statistically significant.

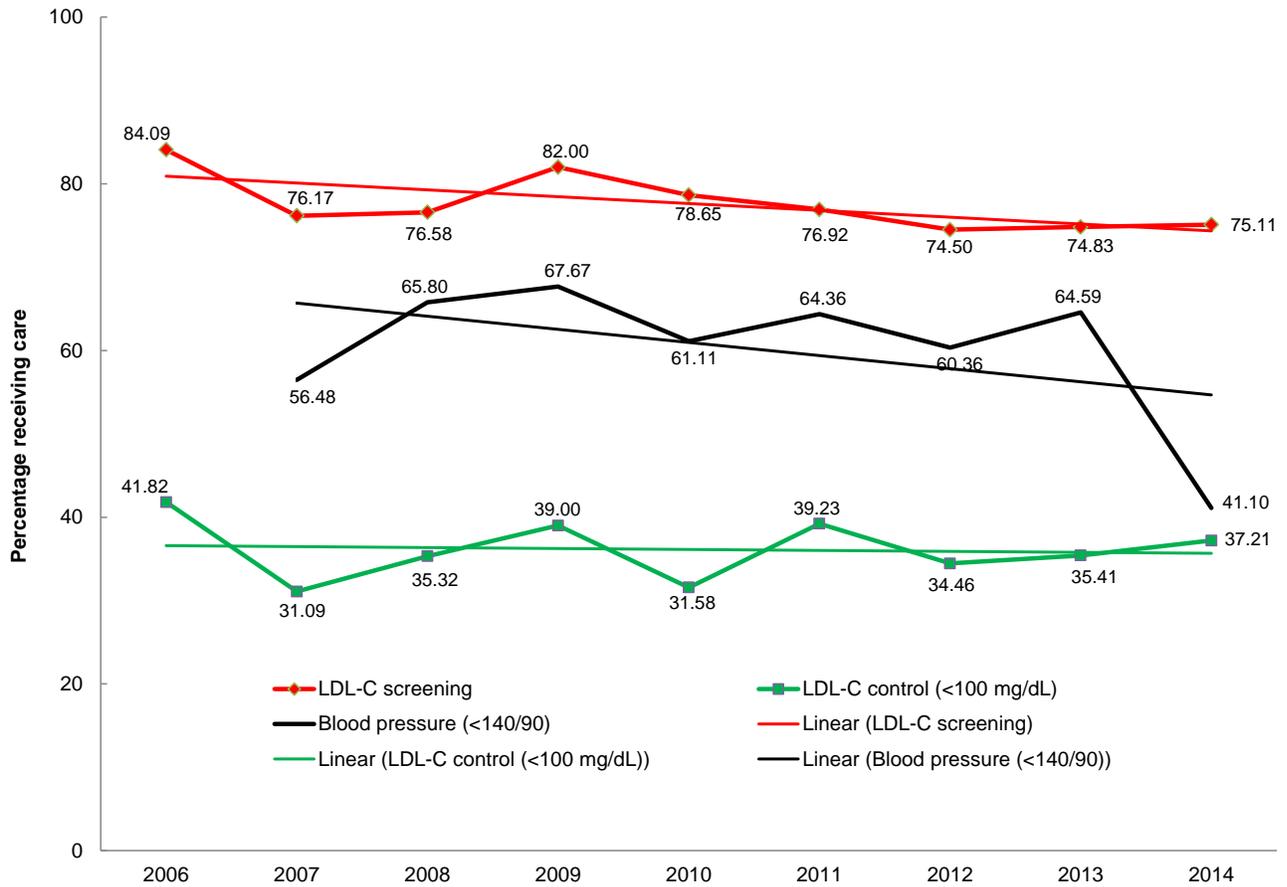


Figure 42. LDL-C screening, LDL-C control, and blood pressure control for WMIP enrollees, reporting years 2006–2014.

Figure 43 shows the trends in antidepressant medication management for WMIP enrollees since 2008. Both acute phase and continuation phase treatment moved in a positive direction during this period, though the improvement was not statistically significant.

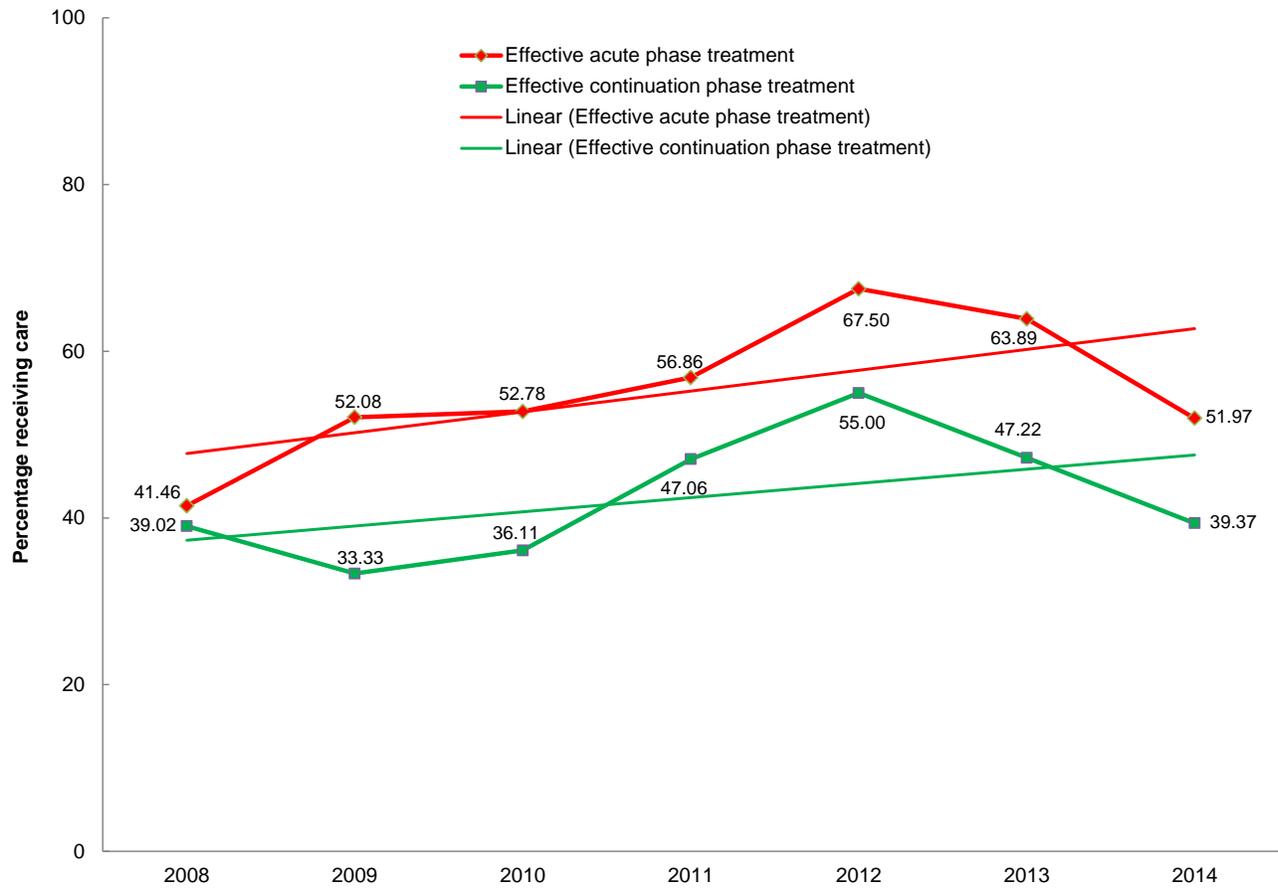
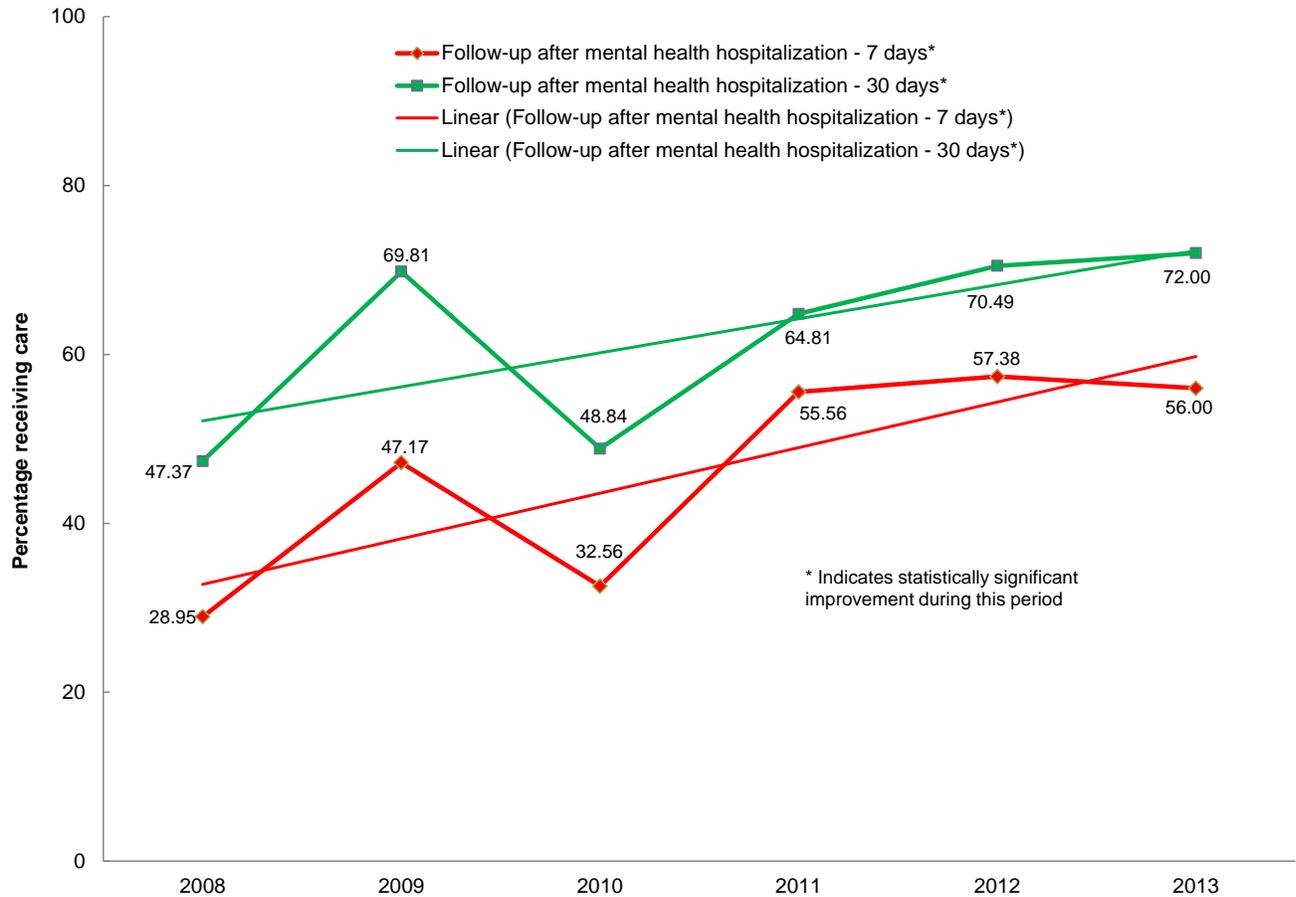


Figure 43. Antidepressant medication management for WMIP enrollees, reporting years 2008–2014.

As shown in Figure 44, the measures of timely follow-up treatment for WMIP enrollees after hospitalization for mental illness improved significantly from 2008 to 2013. (Sample sizes for these measures in 2014 were not large enough to support analysis.) Improvement in these measures has represented a notable success of the WMIP program.



**Figure 44. Follow-up after mental health hospitalization for WMIP enrollees, reporting years 2008–2013.**

Figures 45 and 46 show the long-term trends in ambulatory care utilization for WMIP enrollees. As shown below, outpatient visit rates increased significantly during the program’s existence.

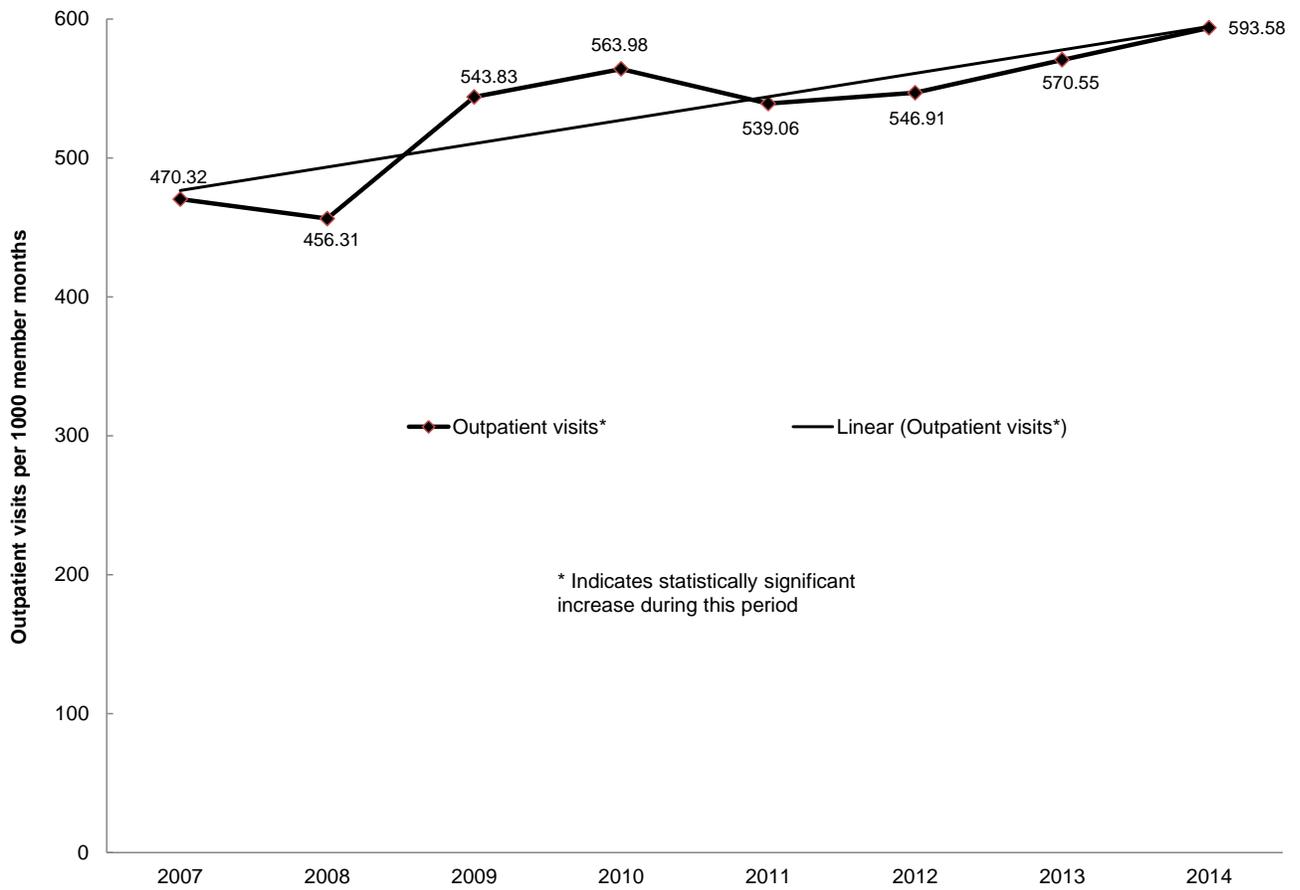


Figure 45. Outpatient visit rates for WMIP enrollees, reporting years 2007–2014.

As shown in Figure 46, ER visit rates for WMIP enrollees declined significantly during 2007–2014. Coupled with the long-term trend in outpatient visit rates, this suggests that the program succeeded in treating enrollees at less intensive levels of care over time.

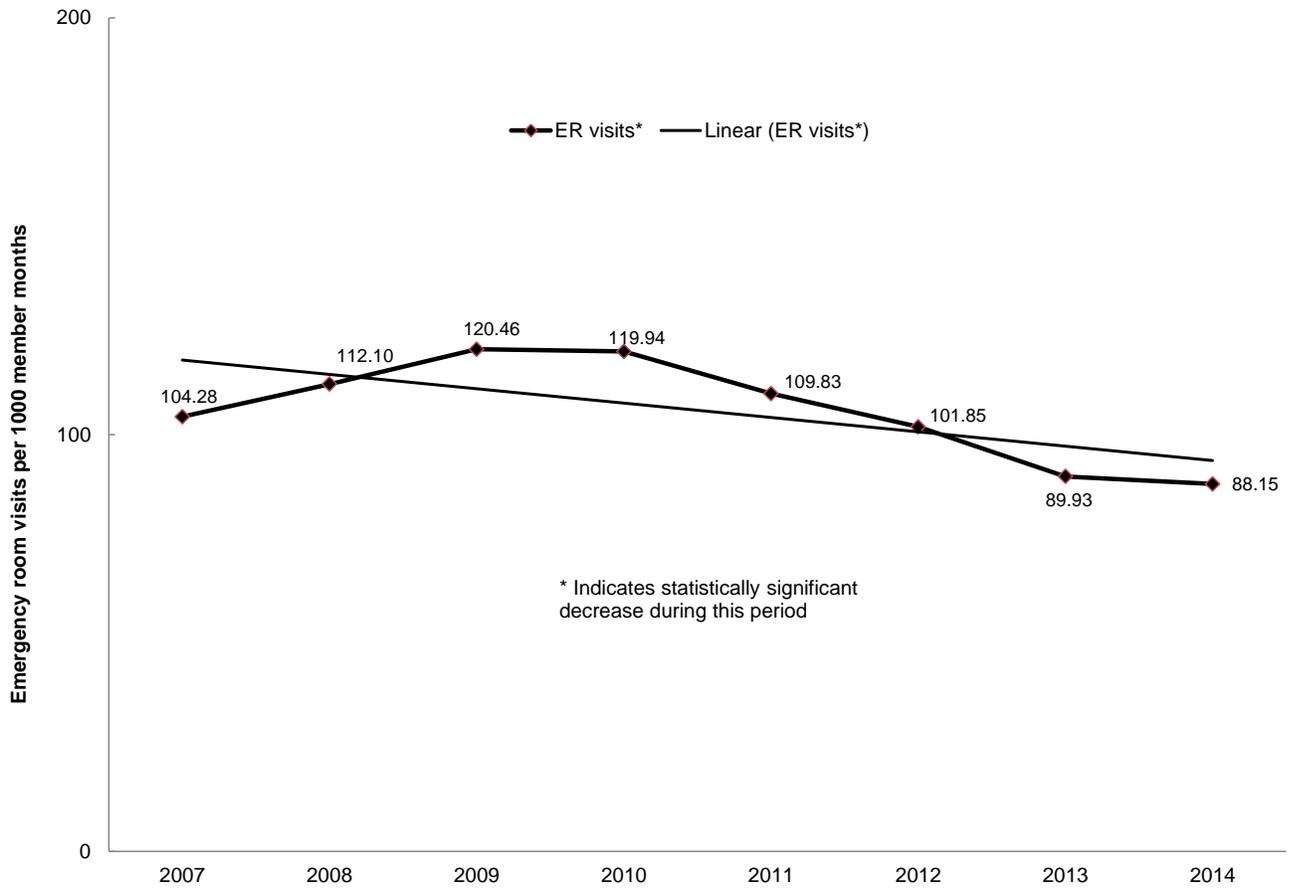


Figure 46. Emergency room visit rates for WMIP enrollees, reporting years 2007–2014.

### Physical health care utilization

Figures 47–49 present the results of WMIP inpatient utilization measures (discharges, days, and average length of stay) since 2010.

Compared with the 2013 rates, discharge rates rose slightly in 2014 for medical care and for total inpatient care, but neither change was statistically significant (Figure 47).

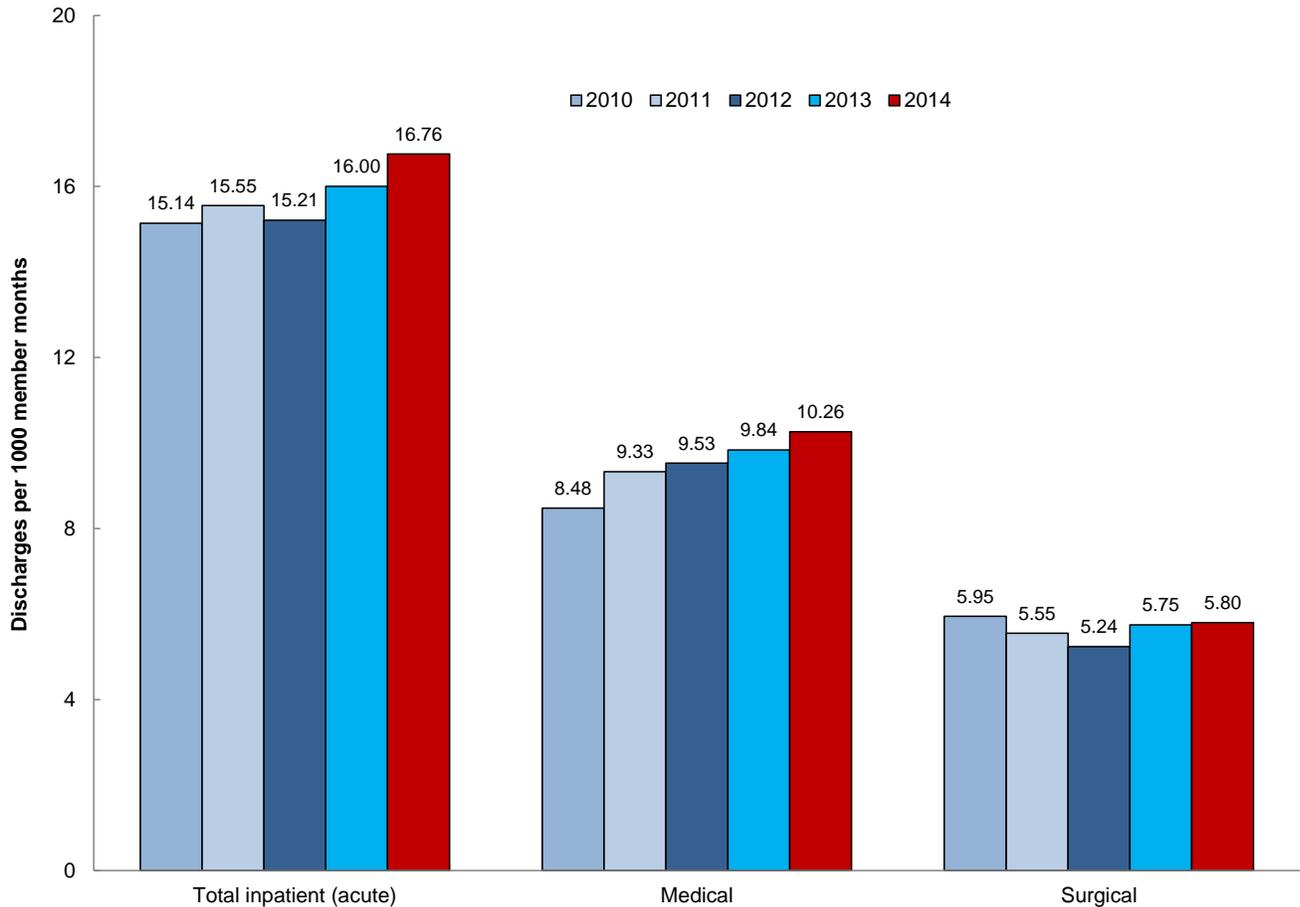


Figure 47. WMIP inpatient utilization discharges, reporting years 2010–2014.

From 2013 to 2014, medical inpatient days for WMIP enrollees rose significantly, while surgical inpatient days fell significantly (Figure 48).

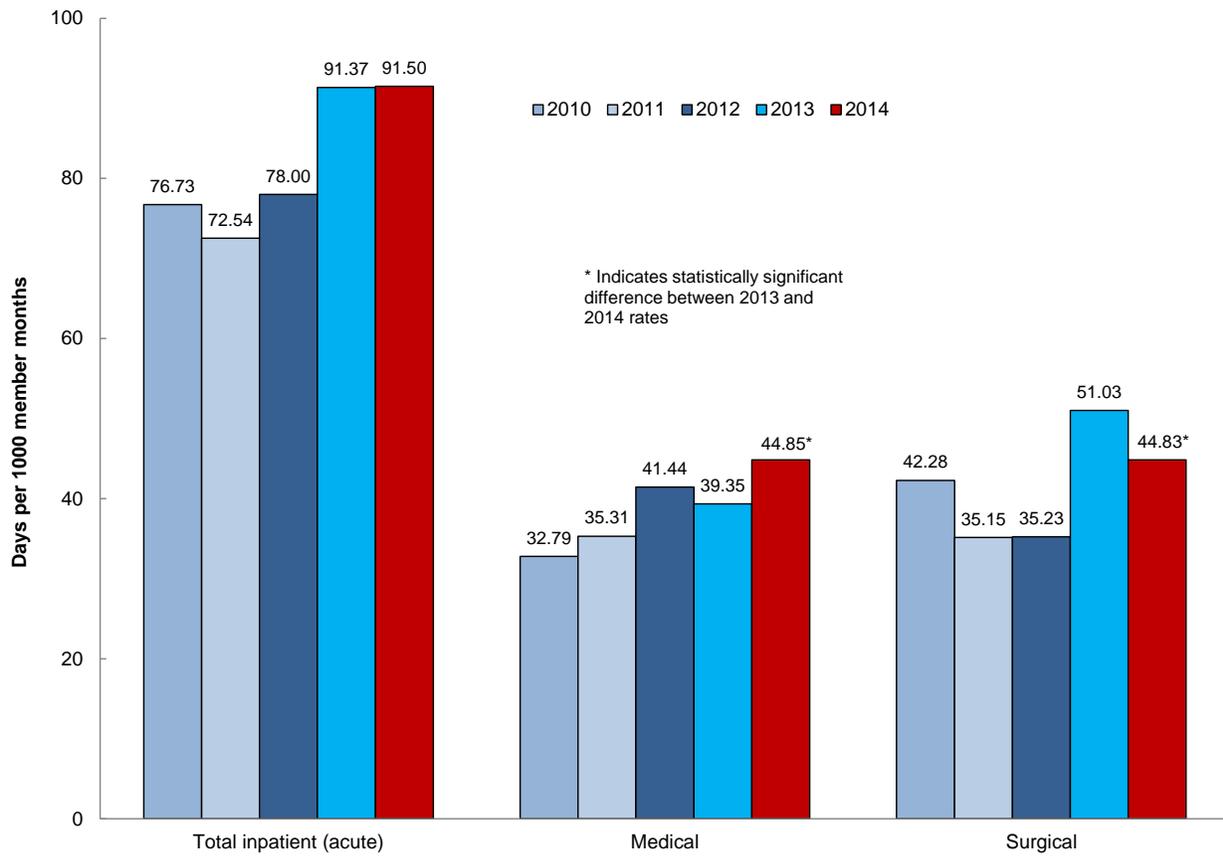


Figure 48. WMIP inpatient utilization days, reporting years 2010–2014.

WMIP enrollees' average length of stay (ALOS) for medical care rose slightly in 2014, while the ALOS for surgical care declined, but neither change was statistically significant (Figure 49).

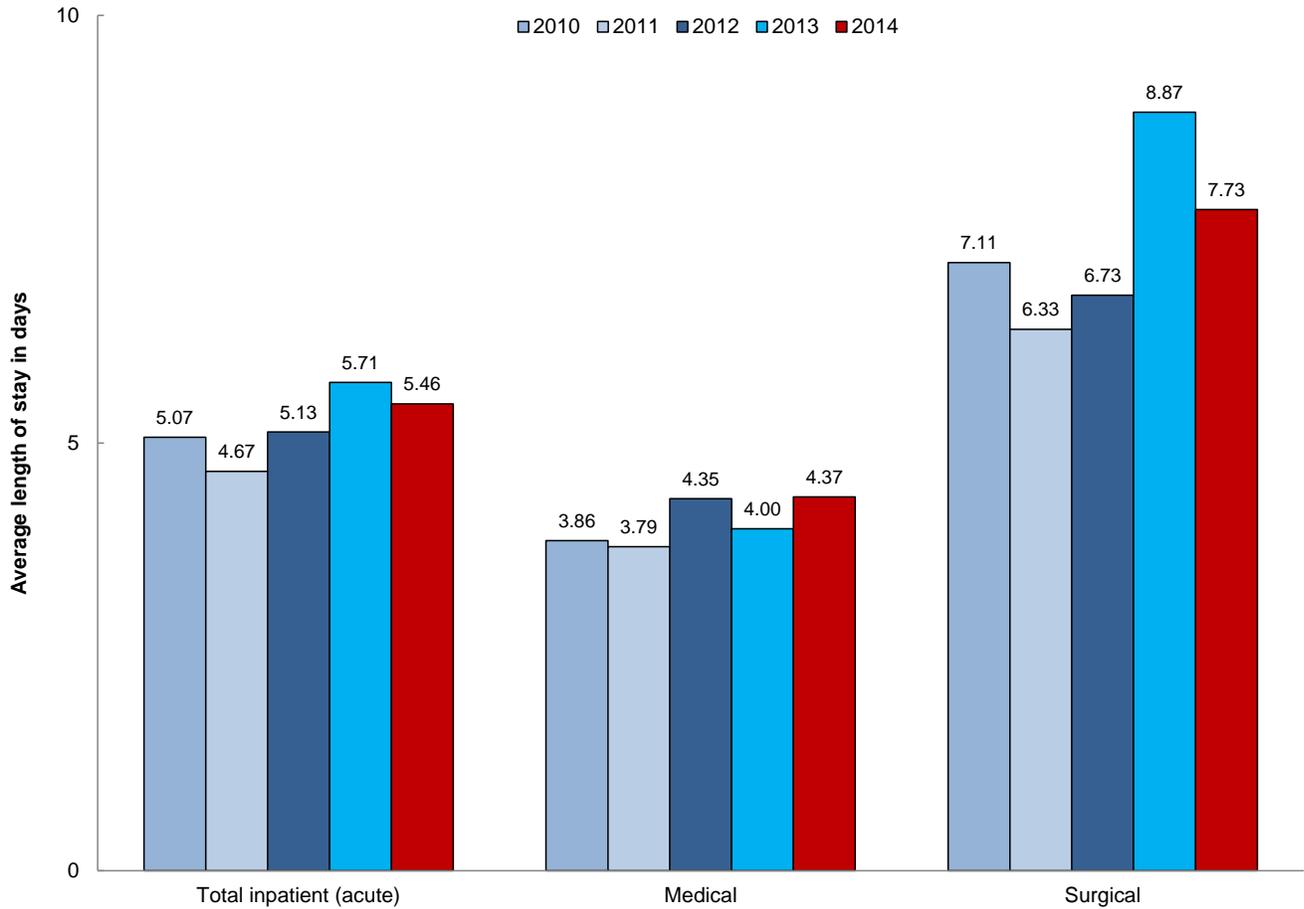


Figure 49. WMIP inpatient utilization average length of stay, reporting years 2010–2014.

### Mental health care utilization

Figure 50 shows mental health care utilization for WMIP enrollees age 18 and older for the past three reporting years. “Any service” includes at least one of the following, and some enrollees received services in multiple categories:

- inpatient
- intensive outpatient (OP) or partial hospitalization
- outpatient or ER

Note: “Any” service is person-based; the other categories are visit-based.

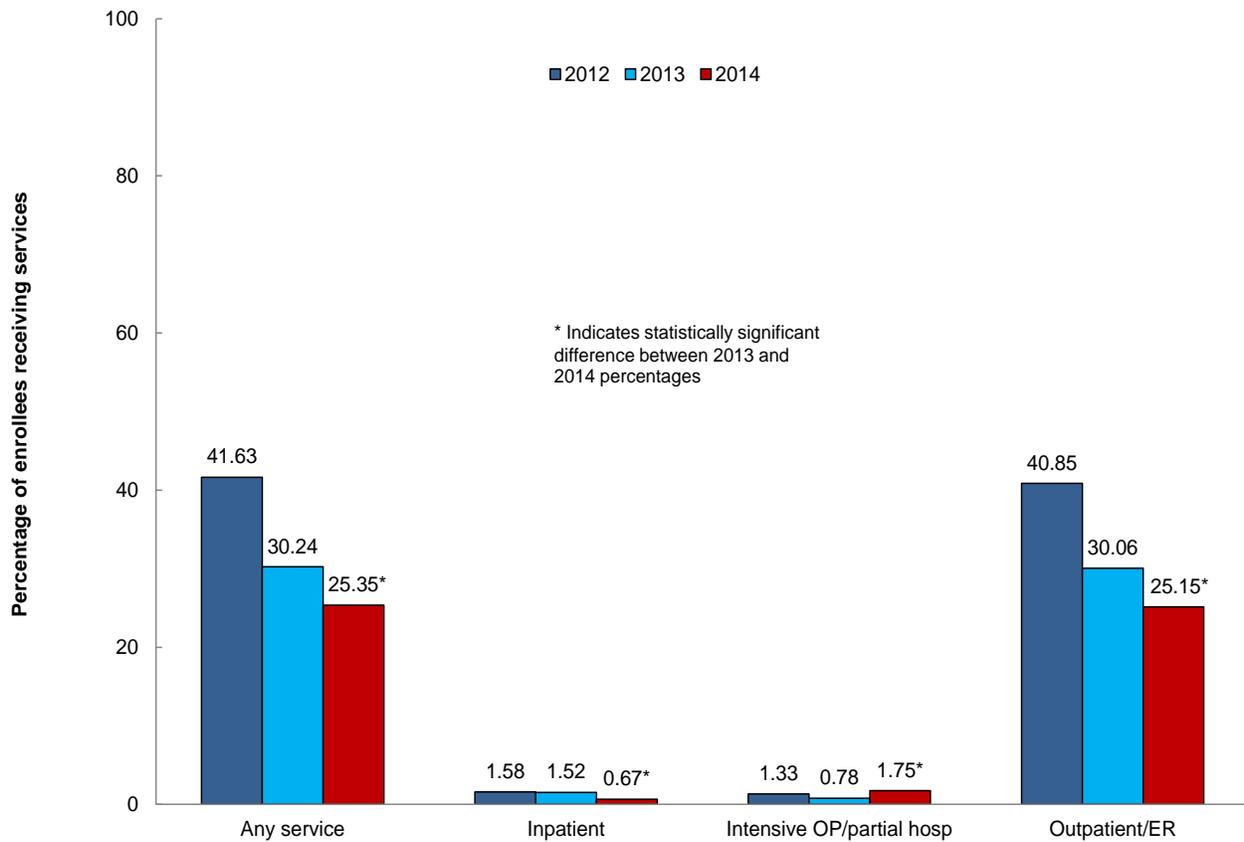


Figure 50. WMIP mental health utilization, reporting years 2012–2014.

### Use of high-risk medications in the elderly

This measure expresses the percentage of elderly enrollees who received at least one high-risk prescription, or at least two different prescriptions. From 2008 through 2012, MHW reported increasingly positive results on this measure, pointing to better management of these medications for WMIP enrollees. In 2013, NCQA revised the methodology for calculating this measure, so that the 2013 and 2014 results are not comparable with data from previous years.

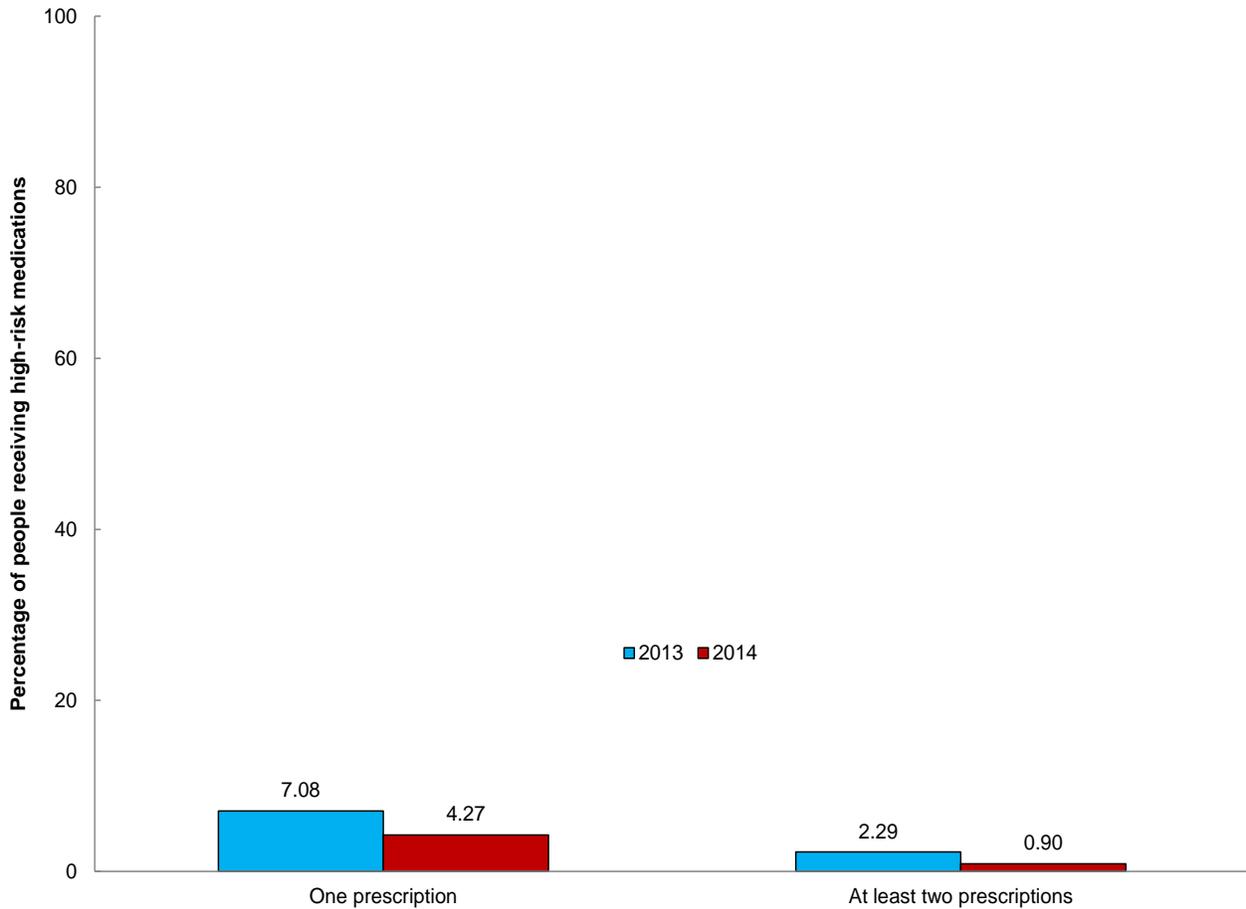


Figure 51. WMIP use of high-risk medications in the elderly, reporting years 2013–2014.

### Dependence treatment

Figure 52 displays three years of data on identification of alcohol and other drug (AOD) services for WMIP enrollees. This utilization measure summarizes the percentage of enrollees with an AOD claim who received various types of chemical dependency services during the measurement year. An AOD claim contains a diagnosis of AOD abuse or dependence and a specific AOD-related service.

“Any service” includes at least one of the following, and some enrollees received services in multiple categories:

- Inpatient
- Intensive outpatient (OP) or partial hospitalization
- Outpatient or ER

Note: “Any” service is person-based; the other categories are visit-based.

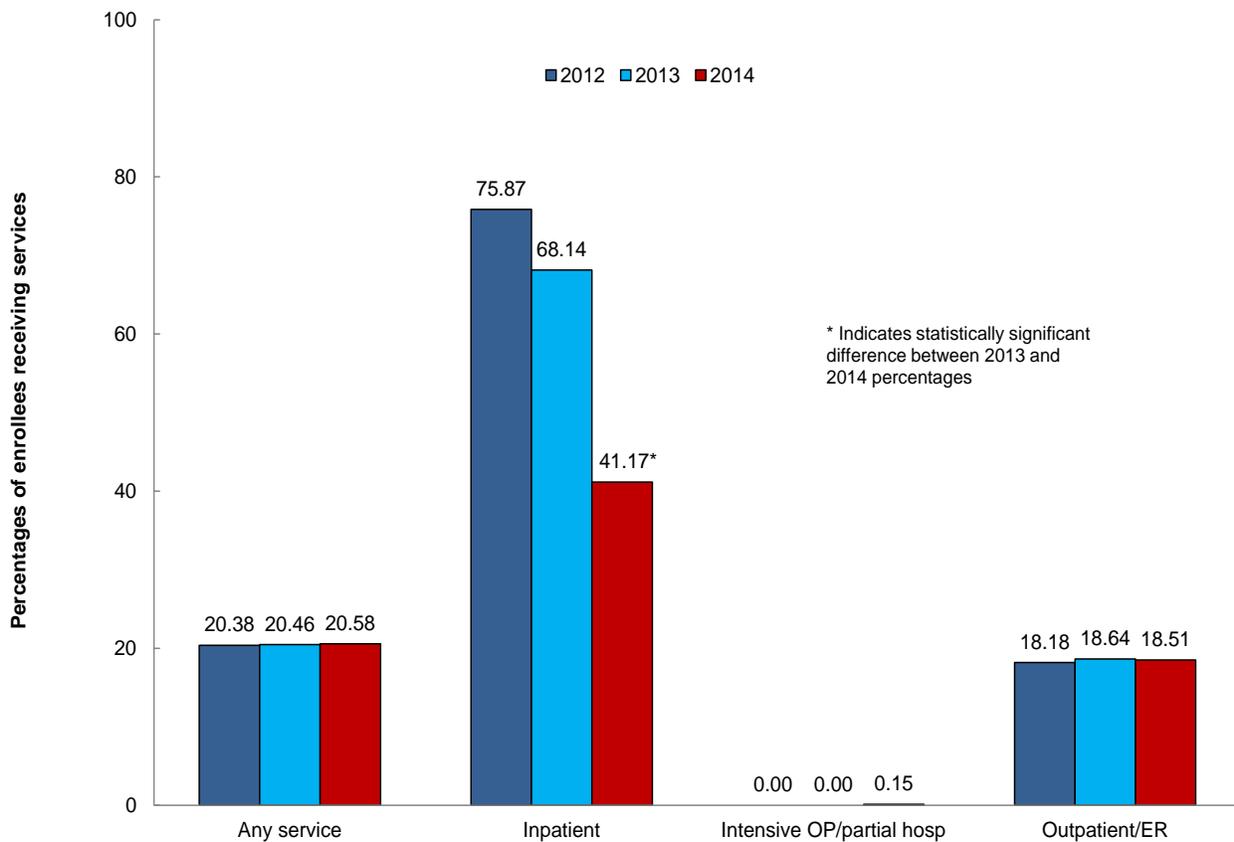


Figure 52. WMIP identification of alcohol and other drug services, reporting years 2012–2014.

## Discussion

The WMIP program has pioneered the integration of primary, acute, behavioral, and long-term care for dual-eligible (Medicare and Medicaid) patients. As such, this program has served as a prototype for the future delivery of integrated care for Medicaid enrollees.

HCA has expanded the Medicaid benefit for WMIP enrollees over time, and has expanded the list of required performance measures accordingly. Although the results for this specific population in a single Washington county are not comparable with state or national Medicaid benchmarks for the same measures, the program's long-term performance trends point to issues that will apply to the expanded Medicaid population.

Considering *diabetes care*, our analysis shows little or no improvement in the required screening measures over time, except that monitoring of diabetic nephropathy improved significantly. Overall, the long-term trends in outcome measures have been discouraging. At the end of this program, only 42% of enrollees had good control of their HbA1c levels; 41% had good control of their blood pressure; and 37% had good control of their LDL-C levels.

More encouragingly, the measures of *timely follow-up treatment* after hospitalization for mental illness improved significantly from 2008 to 2014, representing a notable program success. *Antidepressant medication management* for WMIP enrollees also trended in a positive direction over time, though not significantly so.

Long-term trends in *ambulatory care utilization* for WMIP enrollees showed a significant increase in outpatient visit rates coupled with a significant decrease in ER visit rates, suggesting that the program succeeded in treating enrollees at less intensive levels of care over time.

With the inclusion of the blind and disabled population into managed care and mental health parity, the WMIP program ended June 30, 2014.

## Conclusions

This report presents initial data in terms of analyzing the current MCOs' performance in serving the expanded range of enrollees under Apple Health. The measures reported in 2014 for measurement year 2013 likely reflect considerable "churn" in the state Medicaid program, as existing enrollees switched health plans and many enrollees entered managed care for the first time. Nevertheless, many of the statewide results are similar to those reported in 2012 and previous years.

As a group, the Washington MCOs continued to perform below the national benchmarks for many HEDIS measures. Scattered indicators such as influenza immunizations, HbA1c testing in diabetes care, and emergency room utilization showed more positive comparisons.

Considering measures that HCA required the MCOs to report for the first time in 2014, the MCOs performed below the U.S. averages for adolescent meningococcal immunizations, weight assessment and counseling for nutrition and physical activity for children and adolescents, pharyngitis testing for children, and use of appropriate asthma medications.

In contrast, access to primary care practitioners for children and adolescents was a bright spot for the Washington MCOs. The reported statewide access rates significantly exceeded the U.S. average rates for three of four age groups. In years before 2008 when the Washington MCOs were required to report this measure, access rates were similarly high.

As observed in previous years, service utilization rates for Washington Medicaid enrollees remain well below the U.S. average rates for both inpatient and ambulatory care.

CHP and MHW, the MCOs with most experience in serving Medicaid managed care enrollees in Washington, reported better performance than other MCOs on most HEDIS measures in 2014. This might have been expected, as the newer MCOs may not have fully established their delivery networks during the 2013 measurement year, and as a consequence, enrollee access issues may have contributed to low rates for these MCOs.

Previous years' reports have noted that the Apple Health MCOs would benefit from improving the accuracy and completeness of their encounter data. Health plans can minimize the cost of reporting many HEDIS measures by relying primarily on administrative data as opposed to chart extraction. However, reliance on administrative data can also result in lower HEDIS rates, if the encounter records in the administrative data do not capture all services provided.

## Recommendations

To sustain long-term improvement in the delivery of managed care for Medicaid enrollees, Acumentra Health recommends that HCA

- seek to align performance measures with other state and federal reporting requirements to reduce burden on providers and promote efficient use of health system resources
- consider requiring the MCOs to engage in formal activity to share best practices aimed at reducing the performance gaps among health plans for specific measures
- help MCOs overcome barriers to collecting complete member-level encounter data, including race/ethnicity data, so that the MCOs can use these data to assess resources for improving the quality of care and establish appropriate interventions to address health care disparities. In previous years, the EQRO found gaps in immunization and well-child datasets that limit the ability to perform comprehensive analysis.
- set performance expectations for HEDIS measures, such as requiring MCOs to perform a PIP or focused improvement study for measures that fail to meet specific benchmarks
- designate incentive measures for which MCOs can receive quality incentive payments for top performance
- continue to provide EPSDT supplemental data to assist the MCOs in calculating HEDIS measures
- consider adding a contract requirement for the MCOs to provide HEDIS-specific performance feedback to clinics and providers on a frequent and regular schedule

Acumentra Health recommends that the contracted MCOs

- participate in public health initiatives and partnerships such as the Washington State Collaborative to Improve Care and the DOH's Washington State Immunization Information System (formerly called Child Profile)
- provide dashboard reporting on a routine basis to providers to highlight regional rates, since public reporting may promote more local control and better coordination among providers and other entities providing services
- monitor member-level data to improve the completeness of race and ethnicity information, to aid in establishing appropriate interventions to address health care disparities
- conduct validation studies to improve the quality of encounter data to ensure that enrollees are receiving appropriate interventions
- monitor their HEDIS rates at least quarterly, using administrative data

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## Amerigroup Washington—AMG

### Effectiveness of Care

Childhood immunization status		%	Comprehensive diabetes care		%
Combo 2 <sup>a</sup>		53.89 ▼	HbA1c testing		81.64 ▼
Combo 3 <sup>b</sup>		50.30 ▼	Poor HbA1c control <sup>§</sup>		53.76
<b>Adolescent immunization</b>			Good HbA1c control		37.17
Combo 1 <sup>c</sup>		54.84 ▼	Eye exam		38.72 ▼
<b>Weight assessment/counseling for children/adolescents</b>			LDL-C screening		70.80
BMI total, (ages 3–17 years)		28.07	LDL-C level <100 mg/dL		27.21
Nutrition total, (ages 3–17 years)		44.55	Monitoring for diabetic nephropathy		78.98
Physical activity total, (ages 3–17 years)		37.82	Blood pressure <140/90 mm Hg		55.31
<b>Appropriate testing for children with pharyngitis</b>			Blood pressure <140/80 mm Hg		38.05
Children ages 2–18 diagnosed and treated		68.16	<b>Appropriate medications for people with asthma</b>		
			Total appropriately prescribed, (ages 5–64)		NA

### Access/Availability of Care

Access to primary care practitioners		%			%
Ages 12–24 months		93.45 ▼	Ages 7–11 years		NA
Ages 25 months–6 years		77.52 ▼	Ages 12–19 years		NA

### Utilization

Inpatient—general hospital/acute care		Per 1000 MM <sup>d</sup>			ALOS <sup>e</sup>
Total inpatient discharges		9.17 ▲	Total inpatient		3.94 ▲
Medical discharges		3.21 ▲	Medical		4.02 ▲
Surgical discharges		1.81 ▲	Surgical		7.29 ▲
Maternity discharges		6.04 ▲	Maternity		2.43
Adolescent well-care visits		%	Ambulatory care		Per 1000 MM <sup>d</sup>
One or more visits during the year		34.95	Outpatient visits		331.57 ▼
<b>Well-child visits in 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th years of life</b>			Emergency room visits		66.19 ▲
One or more visits during the year		58.33 ▼	<b>Frequency of mental health outpatient/ED services</b>		
<b>Well-child visits in the first 15 months of life</b>			Ages 0–12 years		1.01 ▼
Six visits or more		45.26 ▼	Ages 13–17 years		1.54 ▼
			Ages 18–64 years		2.35 ▼

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan rate vs. state average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

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<sup>b</sup> Combo 3 includes DTaP, IPV, MMR, HiB, Hep B, VZV, and PCV immunizations.

<sup>c</sup> Adolescent Combo 1 includes Meningococcal conjugate vaccine and Tetanus, Diphtheria, and Pertussis (Tdap) vaccine.

<sup>d</sup> Per 1000 MM indicates the number of procedures, discharges, visits, etc. per 1000 member months.

<sup>e</sup> ALOS = average length of stay in days.

Amerigroup Washington works to improve health care access and quality for more than 114,000 Washingtonians through innovative care management programs and services. Through ongoing outreach and education, we encourage healthy behaviors that can reduce illness and improve quality of life. Amerigroup Washington believes that solutions to the health care challenges facing our members begin when we put our care and compassion to work, one individual at a time.

## Community Health Plan of Washington—CHP

### Effectiveness of Care

Childhood immunization status	%	Comprehensive diabetes care	%
Combo 2 <sup>a</sup>	76.89 ▲	HbA1c testing	91.79 ▲
Combo 3 <sup>b</sup>	73.48 ▲	Poor HbA1c control <sup>§</sup>	33.94 ▼
		Good HbA1c control	58.58 ▲
<b>Adolescent immunization</b>		Eye exam	51.82 ▲
Combo 1 <sup>c</sup>	71.29 ▲	LDL-C screening	75.91
		LDL-C level <100 mg/dL	34.31 ▲
<b>Weight assessment/counseling for children/adolescents</b>		Monitoring for diabetic nephropathy	80.84
BMI total, (ages 3–17 years)	53.04 ▲	Blood pressure <140/90 mm Hg	67.52 ▲
Nutrition total, (ages 3–17 years)	52.80 ▲	Blood pressure <140/80 mm Hg	45.62 ▲
Physical activity total, (ages 3–17 years)	51.58 ▲		
<b>Appropriate testing for children with pharyngitis</b>		<b>Appropriate medications for people with asthma</b>	
Children ages 2–18 diagnosed and treated	59.18 ▼	Total appropriately prescribed, (ages 5–64)	84.08

### Access/Availability of Care

Access to primary care practitioners	%		%
Ages 12–24 months	97.14	Ages 7–11 years	89.39 ▼
Ages 25 months–6 years	86.22 ▼	Ages 12–19 years	88.49 ▼

### Utilization

Inpatient—general hospital/acute care	Per 1000 MM <sup>d</sup>		ALOS <sup>e</sup>
Total inpatient discharges	5.59 ▼	Total inpatient	3.29 ▼
Medical discharges	1.96 ▲	Medical	3.15 ▼
Surgical discharges	1.13	Surgical	5.56 ▼
Maternity discharges	4.48 ▼	Maternity	2.36
<b>Adolescent well-care visits</b>	%	<b>Ambulatory care</b>	Per 1000 MM <sup>d</sup>
One or more visits during the year	42.34	Outpatient visits	319.95 ▼
		Emergency room visits	50.73 ▼
<b>Well-child visits in 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th years of life</b>		<b>Frequency of mental health outpatient/ED services</b>	
One or more visits during the year	66.18	Ages 0–12 years	1.33 ▼
		Ages 13–17 years	2.64
<b>Well-child visits in the first 15 months of life</b>		Ages 18–64 years	3.93 ▲
Six visits or more	60.10		

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<sup>e</sup> ALOS = average length of stay in days.

Founded over 20 years ago by the state's community health centers, CHP is the state's only local, nonprofit health plan. Since 2011, the plan has been accredited by NCQA for Medicaid and Medicare products. CHP now provides managed care for more than 335,000 individuals throughout Washington. The plan's network includes more than 516 primary care clinics, 2,418 primary care providers, 13,827 specialists, and over 100 hospitals. CHP's innovative practices include programs that reward members for taking care of themselves, pay-for-performance models for network providers, and integrating clinical information across the care continuum.

## Coordinated Care Corp.—CCC

### Effectiveness of Care

Childhood immunization status		%	Comprehensive diabetes care		%
Combo 2 <sup>a</sup>		64.35	HbA1c testing		86.09
Combo 3 <sup>b</sup>		59.95	Poor HbA1c control <sup>§</sup>		53.64
			Good HbA1c control		38.85
<b>Adolescent immunization</b>			Eye exam		47.24
Combo 1 <sup>c</sup>		69.21	LDL-C screening		72.19
<b>Weight assessment/counseling for children/adolescents</b>			LDL-C level <100 mg/dL		25.83
BMI total, (ages 3–17 years)		19.91 ▼	Monitoring for diabetic nephropathy		80.57
Nutrition total, (ages 3–17 years)		46.30	Blood pressure <140/90 mm Hg		60.71 ▲
Physical activity total, (ages 3–17 years)		45.14	Blood pressure <140/80 mm Hg		39.74
<b>Appropriate testing for children with pharyngitis</b>			<b>Appropriate medications for people with asthma</b>		
Children ages 2–18 diagnosed and treated		54.35 ▼	Total appropriately prescribed, (ages 5–64)		NA

### Access/Availability of Care

Access to primary care practitioners		%			%
Ages 12–24 months		97.19	Ages 7–11 years		NA
Ages 25 months–6 years		86.13 ▼	Ages 12–19 years		NA

### Utilization

Inpatient—general hospital/acute care		Per 1000 MM <sup>d</sup>	ALOS <sup>e</sup>	
Total inpatient discharges		7.63 ▲	Total inpatient	3.52
Medical discharges		2.67 ▲	Medical	3.38
Surgical discharges		1.44 ▲	Surgical	6.73 ▲
Maternity discharges		6.00 ▲	Maternity	2.31
<b>Adolescent well-care visits</b>			<b>Ambulatory care</b>	
One or more visits during the year		38.19	Outpatient visits	345.94 ▲
<b>Well-child visits in 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th years</b>			Emergency room visits	64.44 ▲
One or more visits during the year		67.36	<b>Frequency of mental health outpatient/ED services</b>	
<b>Well-child visits in the first 15 months of life</b>			Ages 0–12 years	0.78 ▼
Six visits or more		43.06 ▼	Ages 13–17 years	1.57 ▼
			Ages 18–64 years	2.99 ▼

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<sup>e</sup>ALOS = average length of stay in days.

Coordinated Care, a subsidiary of Centene Corporation, serves more than 170,000 members across Washington. The plan is NCQA-accredited for both its Medicaid and Ambetter products. Our mission is to improve the health of our beneficiaries through focused, compassionate, and coordinated care. This is based on the core belief that quality health care is best delivered locally.

## Molina Healthcare of Washington—MHW

### Effectiveness of Care

Childhood immunization status		%	Comprehensive diabetes care		%
Combo 2 <sup>a</sup>		67.77	HbA1c testing		87.61
Combo 3 <sup>b</sup>		64.24	Poor HbA1c control <sup>§</sup>		44.14 ▼
			Good HbA1c control		45.95 ▲
<b>Adolescent immunization</b>			Eye exam		52.70 ▲
Combo 1 <sup>c</sup>		64.58	LDL-C screening		71.17
<b>Weight assessment/counseling for children/adolescents</b>			LDL-C level <100 mg/dL		30.41
BMI total, (ages 3–17 years)		35.10 ▲	Monitoring for diabetic nephropathy		79.95
Nutrition total, (ages 3–17 years)		45.03	Blood pressure <140/90 mm Hg		64.86 ▲
Physical activity total, (ages 3–17 years)		38.19	Blood pressure <140/80 mm Hg		42.79 ▲
<b>Appropriate testing for children with pharyngitis</b>			<b>Appropriate medications for people with asthma</b>		
Children ages 2–18 diagnosed and treated		67.38 ▲	Total appropriately prescribed, (ages 5–64)		83.14

### Access/Availability of Care

Access to primary care practitioners		%			%
Ages 12–24 months		97.78 ▲	Ages 7–11 years		92.24 ▲
Ages 25 months–6 years		89.04 ▲	Ages 12–19 years		92.12 ▲

### Utilization

Inpatient—general hospital/acute care		Per 1000 MM <sup>d</sup>	ALOS <sup>e</sup>		
Total inpatient discharges		5.25 ▼	Total inpatient	3.35 ▼	
Medical discharges		1.54 ▼	Medical	3.27 ▼	
Surgical discharges		0.99 ▼	Surgical	6.41	
Maternity discharges		5.15	Maternity	2.27 ▼	
Adolescent well-care visits		%	Ambulatory care		Per 1000 MM <sup>d</sup>
One or more visits during the year		44.37 ▲	Outpatient visits		345.83 ▲
<b>Well-child visits in 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th years of life</b>			Emergency room visits		48.06 ▼
One or more visits during the year		64.60	<b>Frequency of mental health outpatient/ED services</b>		
<b>Well-child visits in the first 15 months of life</b>			Ages 0–12 years		2.91 ▲
Six visits or more		67.77 ▲	Ages 13–17 years		6.15 ▲
			Ages 18–64 years		5.19 ▲

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan rate vs. state average in 2014 (p<0.05).

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<sup>e</sup> ALOS = average length of stay in days.

Established in 1995, Molina Healthcare of Washington (MHW) provides coverage for Medicaid enrollees in 34 counties across Washington. MHW insures approximately 483,000 lives, 98% of whom are covered by Medicaid. About 64% of Medicaid clients are 18 years of age or younger. MHW is accredited by NCQA for its Medicaid product lines.

## Molina Healthcare of Washington—MHW—WMIP

### Effectiveness of Care

Comprehensive diabetes care	%		%
HbA1c testing	84.25	LDL-C screening	75.11
Poor HbA1c control <sup>§</sup>	47.95	LDL-C level <100 mg/dL	37.21
Good HbA1c control	42.24	Blood pressure <140/90 mm Hg	58.90
Eye exam	50.46	Blood pressure <140/80 mm Hg	41.10
Monitoring for diabetic nephropathy	81.28		

### Utilization

Inpatient—general hospital/acute care	Per 1000 MM <sup>a</sup>		ALOS <sup>b</sup>
Total inpatient discharges	16.76	Total inpatient	5.46
Medical discharges	10.26	Medical	4.37
Surgical discharges	5.80	Surgical	7.73

Ambulatory care	Per 1000 MM <sup>a</sup>	Mental health care follow-up and utilization	%
Outpatient visits	593.58 ↑	30-day follow-up	NA
Emergency room visits	88.15	7-day follow-up	NA
		Any services total	25.35 ↓
		Inpatient total	0.67 ↓
		Intensive outpatient/partial hospitalization total	1.75 ↑
		Outpatient/ER total	25.15 ↓

Medication measures	%
<b>Antidepressant medication management</b>	
Effective acute-phase treatment	51.97
Effective continuation-phase treatment	39.37
<b>Use of high-risk medications in the elderly</b>	
One prescription	4.27
At least two prescriptions	0.90

Dependence treatment measures	%		%
<b>Initiation/engagement of AOD dependence treatment</b>		<b>Identification of alcohol and other drug services</b>	
Total initiation	NA	Any services total	20.58
Total engagement	NA	Inpatient total	41.17 ↓
		Outpatient/ER total	18.51

NA: Sample size was smaller than the minimum required during the reporting year.

↑↓ Indicates statistically significant difference in rates from 2013 to 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

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## UnitedHealthcare Community Plan—UHC

### Effectiveness of Care

Childhood immunization status		%	Comprehensive diabetes care		%
Combo 2 <sup>a</sup>		59.61 ▼	HbA1c testing		82.73
Combo 3 <sup>b</sup>		57.66	Poor HbA1c control <sup>§</sup>		87.83 ▲
<b>Adolescent immunization</b>			Good HbA1c control		11.19 ▼
Combo 1 <sup>c</sup>		61.31	Eye exam		37.96 ▼
<b>Weight assessment/counseling for children/adolescents</b>			LDL-C screening		68.61
BMI total, (ages 3–17 years)		14.36 ▼	LDL-C level <100 mg/dL		9.98 ▼
Nutrition total, (ages 3–17 years)		39.90 ▼	Monitoring for diabetic nephropathy		75.67
Physical activity total, (ages 3–17 years)		34.55 ▼	Blood pressure <140/90 mm Hg		11.19 ▼
<b>Appropriate testing for children with pharyngitis</b>			Blood pressure <140/80 mm Hg		6.57 ▼
Children ages 2–18 diagnosed and treated		66.77	<b>Appropriate medications for people with asthma</b>		
			Total appropriately prescribed, (ages 5–64)		NA

### Access/Availability of Care

Access to primary care practitioners		%			%
Ages 12–24 months		93.94 ▼	Ages 7–11 years		NA
Ages 25 months–6 years		82.20 ▼	Ages 12–19 years		NA

### Utilization

Inpatient—general hospital/acute care		Per 1000 MM <sup>d</sup>	ALOS <sup>e</sup>	
Total inpatient discharges		7.30 ▲	Total inpatient	4.03 ▲
Medical discharges		2.49 ▲	Medical	4.12 ▲
Surgical discharges		1.48 ▲	Surgical	7.32 ▲
Maternity discharges		5.24	Maternity	2.51 ▲
<b>Adolescent well-care visits</b>		%	<b>Ambulatory care</b>	
One or more visits during the year		35.52	Outpatient visits	347.88 ▲
<b>Well-child visits in 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th years of life</b>			Emergency room visits	58.73 ▲
One or more visits during the year		62.77	<b>Frequency of mental health outpatient/ED services</b>	
<b>Well-child visits in the first 15 months of life</b>			Ages 0–12 years	0.75 ▼
Six visits or more		58.64	Ages 13–17 years	1.82 ▼
			Ages 18–64 years	2.61 ▼

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<sup>e</sup> ALOS = average length of stay in days.

UHC is the largest Medicaid managed care plan in the United States, with more than 25 years of experience helping low-income adults and children and people with disabilities get access to personalized health care benefits and services. In Washington, UHC provides Medicaid coverage through Apple Health for more than 170,000 enrollees in 32 counties. UHC is also a lead entity for the Washington State Health Home Initiative and for the state's Medicare-Medicaid Eligible (MME) Demonstration Project in King and Snohomish counties.

## Comparison of Washington Medicaid and NCQA National Medicaid Averages

	State	NCQA		State	NCQA
<b>Effectiveness of Care</b>					
<b>Childhood immunization status</b>	%	%	<b>Comprehensive diabetes care</b>	%	%
Combo 2 <sup>a</sup>	65.96 ▼	74.02	HbA1c testing	86.27 ▲	83.81
Combo 3 <sup>b</sup>	62.59 ▼	70.85	Poor HbA1c control <sup>§</sup>	53.25 ▲	45.57
			Good HbA1c control	39.64 ▼	45.52
<b>Adolescent immunization</b>			Eye exam	46.06 ▼	53.53
Combo 1 <sup>c</sup>	65.44 ▼	70.17	LDL-C screening	71.97 ▼	75.97
			LDL-C level <100 mg/dL	26.17 ▼	33.91
<b>Weight assessment/counseling</b>			Monitoring for diabetic nephropathy	79.33	79.02
BMI total, (ages 3–17 years)	30.07 ▼	56.92	Blood pressure <140/90 mm Hg	53.25 ▼	60.49
Nutrition total, (ages 3–17 years)	45.70 ▼	58.70	Blood pressure <140/80 mm Hg	35.49 ▼	39.24
Physical activity total, (ages 3–17 years)	41.39 ▼	50.50			
			<b>Appropriate asthma medications</b>		
<b>Appropriate testing for pharyngitis</b>			Total, (ages 5–64)	83.47	84.07
Children ages 2–18 diagnosed/treated	63.74 ▼	66.52			
<b>Access/Availability of Care</b>					
<b>Access to primary care practitioners</b>	%	%		%	%
Ages 12–24 months	97.25 ▲	96.14	Ages 7–11 years	91.22 ▲	90.02
Ages 25 months–6 years	87.53 ▼	88.25	Ages 12–19 years	90.75 ▲	88.52
<b>Utilization</b>					
<b>Inpatient—general hospital/acute care</b>	Per 1000 MM <sup>d</sup>		ALOS <sup>e</sup>		
Total inpatient discharges	5.83 ▼	8.88	Total inpatient	3.43 ▼	3.81
Medical discharges	1.89 ▼	4.51	Medical	3.36 ▼	3.67
Surgical discharges	1.14 ▼	1.60	Surgical	6.29 ▼	6.41
Maternity discharges	5.05 ▲	4.80	Maternity	2.33 ▼	2.61
<b>Adolescent well-care visits</b>	%	%	<b>Ambulatory care</b>	Per 1000 MM <sup>d</sup>	
One or more visits during the year	39.13 ▼	50.03	Outpatient visits	337.04 ▼	364.38
			Emergency room visits	51.64 ▼	62.89
<b>Well-child visits in 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th years</b>			<b>Frequency of mental health outpatient/ED services</b>		
One or more visits during the year	63.84 ▼	71.49	Ages 0–12 years	1.23	NA
			Ages 13–17 years	2.54	NA
<b>Well-child visits in the first 15 months of life</b>			Ages 18–64 years	3.55	NA
Six visits or more	56.25 ▼	61.55			

▲ ▼ State average is significantly higher or lower than NCQA *Quality Compass* average ( $p < 0.05$ ).

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<sup>e</sup>ALOS = average length of stay in days.

NA: not available from the NCQA *Quality Compass* for Medicaid in the reporting year.

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**Table B-1. DTaP immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		167	61.68	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	72.92	
CHP	411	82.24	411	83.70	411	80.54	NR		411	79.81	▲
MHW	432	81.25	432	75.23	432	77.08	NR		453	74.17	
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	66.18	▼
State average		80.74		74.76		74.95				72.25	*↓
NCQA average										79.03	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										87.90	

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**Table B-2. IPV immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		167	77.84	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	83.33	
CHP	411	92.21	411	93.67	411	92.21	NR		411	91.24	▲
MHW	432	91.67	432	90.51	432	88.89	NR		453	89.18	▲
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	80.05	▼
State average		90.68		89.45		88.39				85.27	*↓
NCQA average										90.04	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										95.38	

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**Table B-3. MMR immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		167	79.64	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	86.57	
CHP	411	91.97	411	92.70	411	91.48	NR		411	90.51	▲
MHW	432	90.97	432	88.43	432	87.73	NR		453	88.96	
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	81.51	▼
State average		90.39		88.49		87.38				86.29	*↓
NCQA average										90.54	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										94.89	

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<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-4. HiB immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		167	82.63
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	85.65
CHP	411	95.62	411	91.48	411	92.21	NR		411	91.73 ▲
MHW	432	95.60	432	87.96	432	89.81	NR		453	89.18
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	80.29 ▼
State average	94.37		87.48		89.02				86.39	*↓
NCQA average									90.66	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									95.60	

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**Table B-5. HepB immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		167	83.23
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	81.25
CHP	411	93.67	411	94.65	411	91.73	NR		411	90.75 ▲
MHW	432	91.90	432	89.81	432	88.19	NR		453	87.20
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	76.40 ▼
State average	92.24		89.79		85.79				83.88	*↓
NCQA average									88.57	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									94.91	

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**Table B-6. VZV immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		167	77.84	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	86.11	
CHP	411	90.27	411	92.21	411	90.02	NR		411	89.05	
MHW	432	89.58	432	86.11	432	86.81	NR		453	87.64	
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	82.48	
State average	89.21		86.51		85.98				85.59		*↓
NCQA average									90.19		
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									94.68		

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**Table B-7. PCV immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		167	62.87	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	72.92	
CHP	411	82.24	411	81.75	411	82.24	NR		411	79.32	▲
MHW	432	82.41	432	79.40	432	78.01	NR		453	75.28	
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	71.29	
State average		79.46		77.12		77.50				73.64	*↓
NCQA average										79.22	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										88.19	

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**Table B-8. Hepatitis A immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized <sup>a</sup>										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		167	67.07	
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	82.41	▲
CHP	411	42.09	411	39.42	411	36.50	NR		411	83.45	↑ ▲
MHW	432	34.03	432	26.39	432	32.87	NR		453	75.28	↑
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	71.78	▼
State average	39.96		26.30		28.37				77.21		*↑
NCQA average									81.89		
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>b</sup>									91.73		

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<sup>a</sup>Hepatitis A – 2014 measure required one dose for compliance; 2012 measure required two doses.

<sup>b</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-9. Rotavirus immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		167	53.89	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	66.20	
CHP	411	31.14	411	60.58	411	71.78	NR		411	70.80	▲
MHW	432	29.63	432	55.79	432	61.34	NR		453	68.43	↑
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	60.34	
State average	26.03		53.28		63.87				65.37		*↑
NCQA average									67.73		
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									79.90		

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<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-10. Influenza immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		167	38.92	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	55.79	
CHP	411	45.01	411	47.45	411	45.50	NR		411	58.88	↑
MHW	432	44.21	432	51.39	432	44.91	NR		453	53.42	↑
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	53.28	
State average	40.51		42.34		43.21				53.84		*↑
NCQA average									50.00		
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									65.97		

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<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-11. Combo 2 immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		167	53.89	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	64.35	
CHP	411	78.10	411	78.35	411	77.37	NR		411	76.89	▲
MHW	432	77.31	432	70.60	432	72.22	NR		453	67.77	
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	59.61	▼
State average		76.72		69.27		69.70				65.96	*↓
NCQA average										74.02	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										83.33	

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<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-12. Combo 3 immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		167	50.30	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	59.95	
CHP	411	74.70	411	73.72	411	72.75	NR		411	73.48	▲
MHW	432	73.61	432	68.29	432	68.98	NR		453	64.24	
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	57.66	
State average	71.60		65.94		66.71				62.59		*↓
NCQA average									70.85		
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									80.86		

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<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-13. Combo 4 immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		167	48.50	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	57.87	
CHP	411	38.44	411	36.50	411	33.82	NR		411	71.53	↑ ▲
MHW	432	31.71	432	24.07	432	30.32	NR		453	59.60	↑
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	50.61	▼
State average	33.36		23.55		26.01				58.86		*↑
NCQA average									64.87		
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									77.04		

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<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-14. Combo 5 immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		167	40.72	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	48.84	
CHP	411	27.01	411	51.34	411	61.56	NR		411	62.77	▲
MHW	432	26.39	432	46.76	432	52.78	NR		453	54.53	
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	45.74	▼
State average	22.76		43.26		53.18				51.87		*↓
NCQA average									56.38		
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									70.61		

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▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 (p < 0.05).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 (p < 0.05).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-15. Combo 6 immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		167	28.74	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	42.82	
CHP	411	39.17	411	39.42	411	40.88	NR		411	52.55	↑ ▲
MHW	432	40.51	432	43.75	432	39.58	NR		453	42.60	
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	40.15	
State average		35.68		34.20		37.09				43.06	
NCQA average										42.21	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										59.37	

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2013.

↑↓ Indicates statistically significant difference in percentages from 2012 to 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ); measures are not directly comparable due to changes in the Medicaid program.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-16. Combo 7 immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		167	39.52	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	47.69	
CHP	411	14.84	411	26.52	411	29.68	NR		411	61.80	↑ ▲
MHW	432	12.73	432	17.36	432	24.54	NR		453	51.66	↑
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	42.34	▼
State average		11.45		16.28		21.72				49.84	*↑
NCQA average										53.41	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										67.36	

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2013.

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▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-17. Combo 8 immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		167	28.14	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	42.13	
CHP	411	20.68	411	22.14	411	21.17	NR		411	51.34	↑ ▲
MHW	432	19.44	432	15.51	432	19.68	NR		453	41.72	↑
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	36.74	
State average		19.21		13.82		16.38				41.62	↑
NCQA average										40.34	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										57.02	

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2013.

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▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-18. Combo 9 immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		167	25.15	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	36.57	
CHP	411	14.60	411	30.17	411	36.98	NR		411	46.23	↑ ▲
MHW	432	16.44	432	33.10	432	32.18	NR		453	36.87	
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	34.31	
State average		12.97		25.19		31.02				37.25	
NCQA average										35.90	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										51.34	

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2013.

↑↓ Indicates statistically significant difference in percentages from 2012 to 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ); measures are not directly comparable due to changes in the Medicaid program.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-19. Combo 10 immunizations by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR	NR	167	24.55	
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR	NR	432	36.11	
CHP	411	7.79	411	17.03	411	19.71	NR	NR	411	45.50	↑ ▲
MHW	432	8.10	432	11.57	432	16.44	NR	NR	453	36.20	↑
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR	NR	411	32.36	
State average	7.05		10.40		14.16				36.34		↑
NCQA average									34.67		
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									49.67		

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NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2013.

↑↓ Indicates statistically significant difference in percentages from 2012 to 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ); measures are not directly comparable due to changes in the Medicaid program.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-20. HbA1c tests by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage tested										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		452	81.64	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		453	86.09	
CHP	411	83.45	411	87.10	411	82.97	NR		548	91.79	↑ ▲
MHW	429	82.05	430	83.49	447	83.45	NR		444	87.61	
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	82.73	
State average	83.67		83.61		82.84				86.27		*↑
NCQA average									83.81		
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									91.73		

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▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-21. Enrollees with poor control of HbA1c levels by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage with HbA1c level at >9.0 percent <sup>a</sup>									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		452	53.76
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		453	53.64
CHP	411	47.93	411	50.61	411	46.47	NR		548	33.94 ↓ ▼
MHW	429	46.39	430	41.16	447	45.86	NR		444	44.14 ▼
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	87.83 ▲
State average	45.77		47.92		47.62				53.25 *↑	
NCQA average									45.57	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>b</sup>									30.28	

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2013.

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▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> Lower percentages indicate better performance for this measure.

<sup>b</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-22. Enrollees with good control of HbA1c levels by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage with HbA1c level at <8.0 percent									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		452	37.17
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		453	38.85
CHP	411	41.12	411	39.66	411	41.36	NR		548	58.58 ↑ ▲
MHW	429	44.76	430	47.44	447	44.07	NR		444	45.95 ▲
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	11.19 ▼
State average	44.33		42.51		43.02				39.64 *	
NCQA average									45.52	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									59.37	

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<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-23. Dilated retinal exams by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage examined										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		452	38.72	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		453	47.24	
CHP	411	54.01	411	57.18	411	50.12	NR		548	51.82	▲
MHW	429	60.37	430	60.93	447	51.68	NR		444	52.70	▲
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	37.96	▼
State average	58.21		58.67		49.33				46.06		*↓
NCQA average									53.53		
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									68.04		

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<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-24. Lipid profile (LDL-C screening) performed by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage profiled									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		452	70.80
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		453	72.19
CHP	411	68.37	411	66.67	411	63.99	NR		548	75.91 ↑
MHW	429	66.67	430	67.21	447	68.01	NR		444	71.17
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	68.61
State average	68.78		65.41		65.23				71.97	*↑
NCQA average									75.97	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									83.71	

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<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-25. Lipids controlled (<100 mg/dL) by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage with LDL level <100 mg/dL									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		452	27.21
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		453	25.83
CHP	411	21.90	411	24.09	411	22.14	NR		548	34.31 ↑ ▲
MHW	429	25.41	430	26.74	447	27.29	NR		444	30.41
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	9.98 ▼
State average	23.86		22.59		24.44				26.17	*↑
NCQA average									33.91	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									45.59	

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<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-26. Nephropathy monitored annually by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage monitored for nephropathy									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		452	78.98
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		453	80.57
CHP	411	70.32	411	71.78	411	70.80	NR		548	80.84 ↑
MHW	429	73.66	430	73.49	447	71.81	NR		444	79.95 ↑
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	75.67
State average	72.42		72.08		72.66				79.33 ↑	
NCQA average									79.02	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									86.86	

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NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2013.

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<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-27. Blood pressure controlled (<140/80 mm Hg), by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage with blood pressure <140/80 mm Hg <sup>a</sup>										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	NR		—	—	—	—	NR		452	38.05	
CCC	NR		—	—	—	—	NR		453	39.74	
CHP	NR		411	36.98	411	42.58	NR		548	45.62	▲
MHW	NR		430	44.19	447	44.74	NR		444	42.79	▲
UHC	NR		—	—	—	—	NR		411	6.57	▼
State average			41.02		43.54				35.49		*↓
NCQA average									39.24		
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									53.20		

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NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure.

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▲▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

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<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-28. Blood pressure controlled (<140/90 mm Hg), by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage with blood pressure <140/90 mm Hg										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		452	55.31	
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		453	60.71	▲
CHP	411	67.64	411	64.72	411	69.34	NR		548	67.52	▲
MHW	429	69.93	430	70.93	447	70.25	NR		444	64.86	▲
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	11.19	▼
State average	69.97		67.92		68.50				53.25		*↓
NCQA average									60.49		
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									75.18		

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2013.

↑↓ Indicates statistically significant difference in percentages from 2012 to 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ); measures are not directly comparable due to changes in the Medicaid program.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

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<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-29. Six or more well-child visits in the first 15 months of life by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage with six or more visits										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		190	45.26	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	43.06	▼
CHP	411	47.93	411	51.09	411	54.26	NR		411	60.10	
MHW	432	59.95	431	61.25	432	59.03	NR		453	67.77	↑ ▲
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	58.64	
State average	52.57		53.73		58.09				56.25		*
NCQA average									61.55		
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									76.92		

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NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2013.

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▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-30. Five well-child visits in the first 15 months of life by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage with five visits									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		190	19.47
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	28.24 ▲
CHP	411	21.41	411	21.65	411	22.14	NR		411	19.95
MHW	432	18.06	431	20.42	432	20.37	NR		453	16.34 ▼
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	19.95
State average	21.36		18.94		18.55				20.93 *	
NCQA average									16.01	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									22.22	

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-31. Four well-child visits in the first 15 months of life by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage with four visits										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		190	14.21	
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	15.05	
CHP	411	16.79	411	14.11	411	12.17	NR		411	10.71	
MHW	432	12.50	431	9.98	432	11.34	NR		453	9.27	
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	10.71	
State average		13.23		13.45		11.51				11.70	*
NCQA average										9.75	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										15.00	

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2013.

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-32. Three well-child visits in the first 15 months of life by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage with three visits										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		190	5.26	
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	6.48	
CHP	411	6.33	411	5.11	411	6.08	NR		411	4.38	
MHW	432	5.09	431	2.78	432	5.32	NR		453	3.09	
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	2.92	
State average		7.61		6.07		6.02				4.32	↓
NCQA average										5.30	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										8.99	

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2013.

↑↓ Indicates statistically significant difference in percentages from 2012 to 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ); measures are not directly comparable due to changes in the Medicaid program.

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-33. Two well-child visits in the first 15 months of life by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage with two visits									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		190	5.26
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	3.24
CHP	411	3.41	411	4.14	411	2.43	NR		411	2.43
MHW	432	2.78	431	3.71	432	2.08	NR		453	2.65
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	1.95
State average	2.95		4.19		3.42				2.85	
NCQA average									2.94	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									5.20	

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2013.

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-34. One well-child visit in the first 15 months of life by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage with one visit									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		190	2.63
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	2.31
CHP	411	3.16	411	1.70	411	1.70	NR		411	1.46
MHW	432	1.16	431	0.93	432	1.39	NR		453	0.00 ↓ ▼
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	1.46
State average	1.67		2.22		1.64				1.42	
NCQA average									1.80	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									3.42	

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2013.

↑↓ Indicates statistically significant difference in percentages from 2012 to 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ); measures are not directly comparable due to changes in the Medicaid program.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-35. Zero well-child visits in the first 15 months of life by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage with zero visits										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		190	7.89	▲
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	1.62	
CHP	411	0.97	411	2.19	411	1.22	NR		411	0.97	
MHW	432	0.46	431	0.93	432	0.46	NR		453	0.88	▼
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	4.38	▲
State average	0.62		1.40		0.77				2.53		↑
NCQA average									2.65		
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									4.12		

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2013.

↑↓ Indicates statistically significant difference in percentages from 2012 to 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ); measures are not directly comparable due to changes in the Medicaid program.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-36. Well-child visits in the 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th years of life by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage with visits										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	58.33	▼
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	67.36	
CHP	411	66.42	411	64.23	411	63.75	NR		411	66.18	
MHW	432	67.36	432	68.75	432	65.51	NR		435	64.60	
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	62.77	
State average	62.15		61.50		62.38				63.84		*
NCQA average									71.49		
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									82.69		

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-37. Adolescents, 12–21 years, one or more well-care visits by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage with visits									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	34.95
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		432	38.19
CHP	411	32.60	411	39.42	411	39.90	NR		411	42.34
MHW	432	38.19	432	43.98	432	45.83	NR		453	44.37 ▲
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	NR		411	35.52
State average	36.62		36.51		39.25				39.13 *	
NCQA average									50.03	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									65.56	

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-38. Adolescent meningococcal immunizations by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		186	55.38	▼
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		432	73.38	▲
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		411	72.51	▲
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		432	66.44	
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		411	62.53	
State average										67.41	*
NCQA average										71.94	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										88.27	

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure during this year.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-39. Adolescent Tdap immunizations by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		186	78.49
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		432	88.66 ▲
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		411	88.32 ▲
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		432	86.81
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		411	74.21 ▼
State average										83.97
NCQA average										83.58
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										92.94

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure during this year.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-40. Adolescent Combo 1 immunizations by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage immunized										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		186	54.84	▼
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		432	69.21	
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		411	71.29	▲
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		432	64.58	
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		411	61.31	
State average										65.44	*
NCQA average										70.17	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										86.46	

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure during this year.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-41. Weight assessment and counseling for nutrition and physical activity for children and adolescents, BMI total, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage counseled										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		431	28.07	
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		432	19.91	▼
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		200	53.04	▲
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		453	35.10	▲
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		411	14.36	▼
State average										30.07	*
NCQA average										56.92	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										82.46	

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-42. Weight assessment and counseling for nutrition and physical activity for children and adolescents, BMI, age 3–11 years, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage counseled										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		283	26.50	
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		287	17.42	▼
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		273	49.82	▲
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		304	32.89	
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		272	12.13	▼
State average										27.77	*
NCQA average										56.38	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										83.39	

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-43. Weight assessment and counseling for nutrition and physical activity for children and adolescents, BMI, age 12–17 years, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage counseled										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG		NR		NR		NR		NR	148	31.08	
CCC		NR		NR		NR		NR	145	24.83	▼
CHP		NR		NR		NR		NR	138	59.42	▲
MHW		NR		NR		NR		NR	149	39.60	
UHC		NR		NR		NR		NR	139	18.71	▼
State average										34.63	*
NCQA average										57.89	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										82.73	

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-44. Weight assessment and counseling for nutrition and physical activity for children and adolescents, nutrition total, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage counseled										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		431	44.55	
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		432	46.30	
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		411	52.80	▲
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		453	45.03	
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		411	39.90	▼
State average										45.70	*
NCQA average										58.70	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										77.47	

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-45. Weight assessment and counseling for nutrition and physical activity for children and adolescents, nutrition, age 3–11 years, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage counseled										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		283	47.00	
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		287	51.92	
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		273	52.01	
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		304	45.39	
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		272	42.28	
State average										47.71	*
NCQA average										60.41	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										79.42	

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-46. Weight assessment and counseling for nutrition and physical activity for children and adolescents, nutrition, age 12–17 years, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage counseled									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		148	39.86
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		145	35.17
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		138	54.35 ▲
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		149	44.30
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		139	35.25
State average										41.72 *
NCQA average										55.15
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										74.68

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-47. Weight assessment and counseling for nutrition and physical activity for children and adolescents, physical activity total, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage counseled										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		431	37.82	
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		432	45.14	
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		411	51.58	▲
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		453	38.19	
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		411	34.55	▼
State average										41.39	*
NCQA average										50.50	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										69.76	

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-48. Weight assessment and counseling for nutrition and physical activity for children and adolescents, physical activity age 3–11 years, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage counseled									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		283	34.28
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		287	44.25
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		273	45.79 ▲
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		304	34.87
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		272	34.19
State average										38.62 *
NCQA average										49.06
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										67.65

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-49. Weight assessment and counseling for nutrition and physical activity for children and adolescents, physical activity age 12–17 years, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage counseled									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		148	44.59
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		145	46.90
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		138	63.04 ▲
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		149	44.97
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		139	35.25 ▼
State average										46.87 *
NCQA average										53.40
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										72.79

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-50. Access to primary care practitioners, 12–24 months, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage who had a visit with a PCP										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG		NR		NR		NR		NR	626	93.45	
CCC		NR		NR		NR		NR	2,204	97.19	
CHP		NR		NR		NR		NR	8,647	97.14	
MHW		NR		NR		NR		NR	15,654	97.78	▲
UHC		NR		NR		NR		NR	1,468	93.94	▼
State average										97.25	*
NCQA average										96.14	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										98.53	

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-51. Access to primary care practitioners, 25 months to 6 years, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage who had a visit with a PCP										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		1,873	77.52	
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		7,619	86.13	▼
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		46,878	86.22	▼
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		77,081	89.04	▲
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		4,838	82.20	▼
State average										87.53	*
NCQA average										88.25	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										93.58	

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-52. Access to primary care practitioners, 7–11 years, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage who had a visit with a PCP										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		NA	NA	
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		NA	NA	
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		27,547	89.39	▼
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		49,347	92.24	▲
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		NA	NA	
State average									91.22	*	
NCQA average									90.02		
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									95.19		

NA: Sample size was smaller than the minimum required during the reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-53. Access to primary care practitioners, 12–19 years, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage who had a visit with a PCP										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		NA	NA	
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		NA	NA	
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		31,243	88.49	▼
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		51,848	92.12	▲
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		NA	NA	
State average										90.75	*
NCQA average										88.52	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										94.42	

NA: Sample size was smaller than the minimum required during the reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-54. Children 2–18 diagnosed and treated for pharyngitis, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage tested <sup>a</sup>										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		179	68.16	
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		701	54.35	▼
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		4,258	59.18	▼
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		6,664	67.38	▲
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		331	66.77	
State average										63.74	*
NCQA average										66.52	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>b</sup>										83.66	

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> Higher rates represent better performance (i.e., appropriate testing).

<sup>b</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-55. Total appropriately prescribed asthma medication, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage prescribed									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		0	NA
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		0	NA
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		1,752	84.08
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		3,155	83.14
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		0	NA
State average									83.47	
NCQA average									84.07	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									91.47	

NA: Sample size was smaller than the minimum required during the reporting year and the eligible population was zero.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2013.

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-56. Age 5–11 years, prescribed asthma medication, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage prescribed									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		0	NA
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		0	NA
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		768	89.19
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		1,441	87.79
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		0	NA
State average									88.28	*
NCQA average									90.18	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									95.16	

NA: Sample size was smaller than the minimum required during the reporting year and the eligible population was zero.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-57. Age 12–18 years, prescribed asthma medication, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage prescribed									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		0	NA
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		0	NA
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		576	83.16
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		1,141	81.95
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		0	NA
State average									82.35	*
NCQA average									86.93	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									92.99	

NA: Sample size was smaller than the minimum required during the reporting year and the eligible population was zero.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-58. Age 19–50 years, prescribed asthma medication, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage prescribed									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		0	NA
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		0	NA
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		324	75.31
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		513	72.71
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		0	NA
State average									73.72	
NCQA average									74.36	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>									84.49	

NA: Sample size was smaller than the minimum required during the reporting year and the eligible population was zero.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-59. Age 51–64 years, prescribed asthma medication, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage prescribed										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		0	NA	
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		0	NA	
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		84	77.38	
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		60	83.33	
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		0	NA	
State average										79.86	*
NCQA average										70.20	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>a</sup>										80.00	

NA: Sample size was smaller than the minimum required during the reporting year and the eligible population was zero.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010-2013.

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 (p < 0.05).

<sup>a</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-60. Frequency of mental health outpatient and ED services, total, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage of members receiving services <sup>a</sup>										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		510	1.73	▼
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		1,167	1.67	▼
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		6,025	2.27	
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		1,217	4.56	▲
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		833	1.67	▼
State average										2.21	*
NCQA average										12.27	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>b</sup>										21.77	

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup>Percentages are calculated using member years to standardize counts of members enrolled for fewer than 12 months.

<sup>b</sup>90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-61. Frequency of mental health outpatient and ED services, 0–12 years, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage of members receiving services <sup>a</sup>										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		116	1.01	▼
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		274	0.78	▼
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		1,956	1.33	▼
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		261	2.91	▲
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		168	0.75	▼
State average										1.23	
NCQA average										NA	
NCQA 90th percentile										NA	

NA: not available from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup>Percentages are calculated using member years to standardize counts of members enrolled for fewer than 12 months.

**Table B-62. Frequency of mental health outpatient and ED services, 13–17 years, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage of members receiving services <sup>a</sup>										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		55	1.54	▼
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		153	1.57	▼
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		1,156	2.64	
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		229	6.15	▲
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		119	1.82	▼
State average										2.54	
NCQA average										NA	
NCQA 90th percentile										NA	

NA: not available from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup>Percentages are calculated using member years to standardize counts of members enrolled for fewer than 12 months.

**Table B-63. Frequency of mental health outpatient and ED services, 18–64 years, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Number and percentage of members receiving services <sup>a</sup>										
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		339	2.35	▼
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		740	2.99	▼
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		2,913	3.93	▲
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		727	5.19	▲
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		546	2.61	▼
State average										3.55	
NCQA average										NA	
NCQA 90th percentile										NA	

NA: not available from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state percentage in 2014 (p < 0.05).

<sup>a</sup>Percentages are calculated using member years to standardize counts of members enrolled for fewer than 12 months.

**Table B-64. General hospital/acute care total inpatient discharges by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number of discharges and discharges/1000 member months <sup>a</sup>										
	2010		2011		2012		2013 <sup>b</sup>		2014 <sup>c</sup>		
	Discharges	Discharges/MM	Discharges	Discharges/MM	Discharges	Discharges/MM	Discharges	Discharges/MM	Discharges	Discharges/MM	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	813	6.97	3,247	9.17	↑ ▲
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,836	6.82	6,399	7.63	↑ ▲
CHP	12,604	5.72	22,701	8.97	28,375	10.59	9,523	5.52	17,787	5.59	▼
MHW	21,754	6.20	22,697	5.76	21,637	5.46	12,882	5.37	25,249	5.25	↓ ▼
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,256	6.47	4,378	7.30	↑ ▲
State average		6.05		6.85		7.12		5.59		5.83	*↑
NCQA average										8.88	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>d</sup>										10.92	

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

↑↓ Indicates statistically significant difference in rates from 2013 to 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan rate vs. state average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> Discharges/MM is discharges per 1000 member months.

<sup>b</sup> 2013 data set contained 6 months worth of data.

<sup>c</sup> 2014 data set contained 12 months worth of data.

<sup>d</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-65. General hospital/acute care total inpatient days by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number of days and days/1000 member months, and average length of stay <sup>a,b</sup>																
	2010			2011			2012			2013 <sup>c</sup>			2014 <sup>d</sup>				
	Days	Days/MM	ALOS	Days	Days/MM	ALOS	Days	Days/MM	ALOS	Days	Days/MM	ALOS	Days	Days/MM	ALOS		
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,022	25.89	3.72	12,806	36.17	3.94	▲	
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5,955	22.12	3.24	22,511	26.85	3.52	↑	
CHP	34,993	15.88	2.78	48,932	19.33	2.16	61,233	22.85	2.16	30,694	17.80	3.22	58,450	18.38	3.29	▼	
MHW	61,420	17.50	2.82	63,587	16.14	2.80	60,465	15.27	2.79	39,528	16.47	3.07	84,546	17.56	3.35	↑ ▼	
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,204	21.66	3.35	17,658	29.43	4.03	↑ ▲	
State average		16.74	2.77		17.09	2.50		17.43	2.45		17.73	3.17		20.03	*	3.43	*↑
NCQA average														34.10		3.81	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>e</sup>														48.15		4.57	

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

↑↓ Indicates statistically significant difference in ALOS from 2013 to 2014 (p < 0.05).

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state ALOS in 2014 (p < 0.05).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 (p < 0.05).

<sup>a</sup> Days/MM is the number of days per 1000 member months.

<sup>b</sup> ALOS is the average length of stay.

<sup>c</sup> 2013 data set contained 6 months worth of data.

<sup>d</sup> 2014 data set contained 12 months worth of data.

<sup>e</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-66. General hospital/acute care medical discharges by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number of discharges and discharges/1000 member months <sup>a</sup>										
	2010		2011		2012		2013 <sup>b</sup>		2014 <sup>c</sup>		
	Discharges	Discharges/MM	Discharges	Discharges/MM	Discharges	Discharges/MM	Discharges	Discharges/MM	Discharges	Discharges/MM	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	325	2.78	1135	3.21	↑ ▲
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	675	2.51	2236	2.67	▲
CHP	2,915	1.32	2,917	1.15	3,363	1.25	2,785	1.62	6,245	1.96	↑ ▲
MHW	5,207	1.48	5,554	1.41	5,211	1.32	3,284	1.37	7,392	1.54	↑ ▼
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	458	2.36	1492	2.49	▲
State average		1.48		1.37		1.37		1.60		1.89	*↑
NCQA average										4.51	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>d</sup>										6.16	

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

↑↓ Indicates statistically significant difference in rates from 2013 to 2014 (p < 0.05).

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan rate vs. state average in 2014 (p < 0.05).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 (p < 0.05).

<sup>a</sup> Discharges/MM is the number of discharges per 1000 member months.

<sup>b</sup> 2013 data set contained 6 months worth of data.

<sup>c</sup> 2014 data set contained 12 months worth of data.

<sup>d</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-67. General hospital/acute care medical days by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number of days and days/1000 member months, and average length of stay <sup>a,b</sup>															
	2010			2011			2012			2013 <sup>c</sup>			2014 <sup>d</sup>			
	Days	Days/MM	ALOS	Days	Days/MM	ALOS	Days	Days/MM	ALOS	Days	Days/MM	ALOS	Days	Days/MM	ALOS	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,192	10.21	3.67	4,558	12.87	4.02	▲
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,142	7.95	3.17	7,560	9.02	3.38	
CHP	7,478	3.39	2.57	7,685	3.04	2.63	8,979	3.35	2.67	9,875	5.73	3.55	19,699	6.19	3.15	↓ ▼
MHW	13,793	3.93	2.65	15,080	3.83	2.72	15,054	3.80	2.89	10,460	4.36	3.19	24,149	5.02	3.27	▼
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,512	7.79	3.30	6,142	10.24	4.12	↑ ▲
State average		3.87	2.61		3.66	2.68		3.75	2.75		5.35	3.35		6.35 *	3.36 *	
NCQA average														16.01	3.67	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>e</sup>														23.17	4.41	

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

↑↓ Indicates statistically significant difference in ALOS from 2013 to 2014 (p < 0.05).

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state ALOS in 2014 (p < 0.05).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 (p < 0.05).

<sup>a</sup> Days/MM is the number of days per 1000 member months.

<sup>b</sup> ALOS is the average length of stay.

<sup>c</sup> 2013 data set contained 6 months worth of data.

<sup>d</sup> 2014 data set contained 12 months worth of data.

<sup>e</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-68. General hospital/acute care surgical discharges by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number of discharges and discharges/1000 member months <sup>a</sup>										
	2010		2011		2012		2013 <sup>b</sup>		2014 <sup>c</sup>		
	Discharges	Discharges/MM	Discharges	Discharges/MM	Discharges	Discharges/MM	Discharges	Discharges/MM	Discharges	Discharges/MM	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	177	1.52	640	1.81	↑ ▲
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	363	1.35	1,208	1.44	▲
CHP	1,718	0.78	6,679	2.64	9,016	3.36	1,653	0.96	3,604	1.13	↑
MHW	2,806	0.80	3,084	0.78	2,970	0.75	2,129	0.89	4,787	0.99	↑ ▼
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	261	1.34	890	1.48	▲
State average		0.79		1.39		1.61		0.97		1.14	*↑
NCQA average										1.60	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>d</sup>										2.47	

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

↑↓ Indicates statistically significant difference in rates from 2013 to 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan rate vs. state average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> Discharges/MM is the number of discharges per 1000 member months.

<sup>b</sup> 2013 data set contained 6 months worth of data.

<sup>c</sup> 2014 data set contained 12 months worth of data.

<sup>d</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-69. General hospital/acute care surgical days by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number of days and days/1000 member months, and average length of stay <sup>a,b</sup>														
	2010			2011			2012			2013 <sup>c</sup>			2014 <sup>d</sup>		
	Days	Days/MM	ALOS	Days	Days/MM	ALOS	Days	Days/MM	ALOS	Days	Days/MM	ALOS	Days	Days/MM	ALOS
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	992	8.50	5.60	4,667	13.18	7.29 ↑ ▲
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,886	7.00	5.20	8,130	9.70	6.73 ↑ ▲
CHP	8,551	3.88	4.98	13,194	5.21	1.98	19,774	7.38	2.19	8,601	4.99	5.20	20,045	6.30	5.56 ↑ ▼
MHW	14,354	4.09	5.12	14,010	3.56	4.54	13,866	3.50	4.67	12,128	5.05	5.70	30,678	6.37	6.41 ↑
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,364	7.03	5.23	6,515	10.86	7.32 ↑ ▲
State average		3.82	4.81		3.99	2.86		4.55	2.83		5.31	5.45		7.16 *	6.29 *↑
NCQA average														10.98	6.41
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>e</sup>														18.02	8.58

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

↑↓ Indicates statistically significant difference in ALOS from 2013 to 2014 (p < 0.05).

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state ALOS in 2014 (p < 0.05).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 (p < 0.05).

<sup>a</sup> Days/MM is the number of days/1000 member months.

<sup>b</sup> ALOS is the average length of stay.

<sup>c</sup>2013 data set contained 6 months worth of data.

<sup>d</sup>2014 data set contained 12 months worth of data.

<sup>e</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-70. General hospital/acute care maternity discharges by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number of discharges and discharges/1000 member months <sup>a</sup>										
	2010		2011		2012		2013 <sup>b</sup>		2014 <sup>c</sup>		
	Discharges	Discharges/MM	Discharges	Discharges/MM	Discharges	Discharges/MM	Discharges	Discharges/MM	Discharges	Discharges/MM	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	311	3.99	1,472	6.04	↑ ▲
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	798	4.85	2,955	6.00	↑ ▲
CHP	7,967	7.70	13,097	10.84	15,943	12.33	5,084	5.50	7,935	4.48	↓ ▼
MHW	13,741	8.50	14,059	7.63	13,456	7.16	7,469	6.00	13,070	5.15	↓
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	537	4.42	1,996	5.24	↑
State average		8.00		8.54		8.58		3.02		5.05	*↑
NCQA average										4.80	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>d</sup>										8.29	

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

↑↓ Indicates statistically significant difference in rates from 2013 to 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan rate vs. state average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> Discharges/MM is the number of discharges per 1000 member months.

<sup>b</sup> 2013 data set contained 6 months worth of data.

<sup>c</sup> 2014 data set contained 12 months worth of data.

<sup>d</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-71. General hospital/acute care maternity days by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number of days and days/1000 member months, and average length of stay <sup>a,b</sup>														
	2010			2011			2012			2013 <sup>c</sup>			2014 <sup>d</sup>		
	Days	Days/MM	ALOS	Days	Days/MM	ALOS	Days	Days/MM	ALOS	Days	Days/MM	ALOS	Days	Days/MM	ALOS
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	838	10.75	2.69	3,581	14.70	2.43
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,927	11.71	2.41	6,821	13.85	2.31
CHP	18,958	18.33	2.38	28,040	23.21	2.14	32,284	24.98	2.02	12,217	13.21	2.40	18,701	10.55	2.36
MHW	33,273	20.58	2.42	34,497	18.71	2.45	31,545	16.80	2.34	16,940	13.61	2.27	29,719	11.71	2.27 ▼
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,328	10.94	2.47	5,001	13.14	2.51 ▲
State average		19.22	2.40		19.73	2.31		18.85	2.20		7.07	2.34		11.76 *	2.33 *
NCQA average														12.22	2.61
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>e</sup>														20.36	2.93

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan vs. state ALOS in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> Days/MM is the number of days/1000 member months.

<sup>b</sup> ALOS is the average length of stay.

<sup>c</sup> 2013 data set contained 6 months worth of data.

<sup>d</sup> 2014 data set contained 12 months worth of data.

<sup>e</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-72. Ambulatory care, outpatient visits provided by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number of outpatient visits and outpatient visits/1000 member months <sup>a</sup>										
	2010		2011		2012		2013 <sup>b</sup>		2014 <sup>c</sup>		
	Visits	Visits/MM	Visits	Visits/MM	Visits	Visits/MM	Visits	Visits/MM	Visits	Visits/MM	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	29,004	248.50	117,404	331.57	
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	76,243	283.15	290,045	345.94	↑ ▲
CHP	644,813	292.65	670,534	264.93	734,776	274.20	581,348	337.16	1,017,513	319.95	↓ ▼
MHW	1,223,373	348.49	1,355,139	344.04	1,343,689	339.38	833,307	347.27	1,664,681	345.83	↓ ▲
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	49,118	253.06	208,710	347.88	↑ ▲
State average		325.37		313.72		314.32		333.55		337.04	*↑
NCQA average										364.38	
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>d</sup>										461.19	

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

↑↓ Indicates statistically significant difference in rates from 2013 to 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

▲▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan rate vs. state average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> Visits/MM is visits per 1000 member months.

<sup>b</sup> 2013 data set contained 6 months worth of data.

<sup>c</sup> 2014 data set contained 12 months worth of data.

<sup>d</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-73. Ambulatory care, emergency department visits by health plan, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Health plan	Number of ED visits and ED visits/1000 member months <sup>a</sup>										
	2010		2011		2012		2013 <sup>b</sup>		2014 <sup>c</sup>		
	Visits	Visits/MM	Visits	Visits/MM	Visits	Visits/MM	Visits	Visits/MM	Visits	Visits/MM	
AMG	—	—	—	—	—	—	7,120	61.00	23,436	66.19	
CCC	—	—	—	—	—	—	16,182	60.10	54,024	64.44	↑ ▲
CHP	145,359	65.97	146,859	58.03	142,079	53.02	81,030	46.99	161,324	50.73	↑ ▼
MHW	201,923	57.52	205,904	52.28	193,499	48.87	109,224	45.52	231,318	48.06	↑ ▼
UHC	—	—	—	—	—	—	10,478	53.98	35,232	58.73	↑ ▲
State average	59.75		53.54		49.50		47.63		51.64		*↑
NCQA average									62.89		
NCQA 90th percentile <sup>d</sup>									81.24		

— MCO was not under contract with HCA in this reporting year.

↑↓ Indicates statistically significant difference in rates from 2013 to 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

▲ ▼ Indicates statistically significant difference in plan rate vs. state average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\* Indicates statistically significant difference in state vs. NCQA average in 2014 ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> Visits/MM is visits per 1000 member months.

<sup>b</sup> 2013 data set contained 6 months worth of data.

<sup>c</sup> 2014 data set contained 12 months worth of data.

<sup>d</sup> 90th percentile statistics are from the NCQA Quality Compass for Medicaid in the reporting year.

**Table B-74. Plan all-cause readmissions<sup>a</sup> total, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Observed Readmission <sup>b</sup> and Observed/Expected Readmission Ratio <sup>c</sup>									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		12.03	0.91
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		11.72	0.78
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		10.67	0.85
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		9.66	0.69
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		12.56	0.70
State average										0.79

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

<sup>a</sup>This is a Medicare HEDIS measure which HCA has elected as a required reported measure for the Medicaid population in WA.

<sup>b</sup>The observed proportion of Index Hospital Stays that had a subsequent 30-day readmission. A lower observed rate of readmission is considered better performance.

<sup>c</sup>The ratio of the MCO's observed rate of readmission to its expected rate of readmission (average adjusted probability).

**Table B-75. Plan all-cause readmissions<sup>a</sup> age 18–44 years, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Observed Readmission <sup>b</sup> and Observed/Expected Readmission Ratio <sup>c</sup>									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		17.07	1.23
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		11.76	0.84
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		10.45	0.96
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		8.41	0.63
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		16.67	0.80
State average										0.81

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

<sup>a</sup>This is a Medicare HEDIS measure which HCA has elected as a required reported measure for the Medicaid population in WA.

<sup>b</sup>The observed proportion of Index Hospital Stays that had a subsequent 30-day readmission. A lower observed rate of readmission is considered better performance.

<sup>c</sup>The ratio of the MCO's observed rate of readmission to its expected rate of readmission (average adjusted probability).

**Table B-76. Plan all-cause readmissions<sup>a</sup> age 45–54 years, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Observed Readmission <sup>b</sup> and Observed/Expected Readmission Ratio <sup>c</sup>									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio
AMG	NR		NR		NR		NR		8.77	0.69
CCC	NR		NR		NR		NR		16.38	0.93
CHP	NR		NR		NR		NR		10.92	0.87
MHW	NR		NR		NR		NR		12.02	0.81
UHC	NR		NR		NR		NR		10.29	0.66
State average									0.85	

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

<sup>a</sup>This is a Medicare HEDIS measure which HCA has elected as a required reported measure for the Medicaid population in WA.

<sup>b</sup>The observed proportion of Index Hospital Stays that had a subsequent 30-day readmission. A lower observed rate of readmission is considered better performance.

<sup>c</sup>The ratio of the MCO's observed rate of readmission to its expected rate of readmission (average adjusted probability).

**Table B-77. Plan all-cause readmissions<sup>a</sup> age 55–64 years, by health plan, reporting year 2014.**

Health plan	Observed Readmission <sup>b</sup> and Observed/Expected Readmission Ratio <sup>c</sup>									
	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio	Observed Readmission	Observed/Expected Ratio
AMG		NR		NR		NR		NR	11.67	0.88
CCC		NR		NR		NR		NR	8.43	0.61
CHP		NR		NR		NR		NR	10.68	0.73
MHW		NR		NR		NR		NR	10.51	0.71
UHC		NR		NR		NR		NR	11.70	0.65
State average										0.72

NR: HCA did not require public reporting of this measure in 2010–2013.

<sup>a</sup>This is a Medicare HEDIS measure which HCA has elected as a required reported measure for the Medicaid population in WA.

<sup>b</sup>The observed proportion of Index Hospital Stays that had a subsequent 30-day readmission. A lower observed rate of readmission is considered better performance.

<sup>c</sup>The ratio of the MCO's observed rate of readmission to its expected rate of readmission (average adjusted probability).

**Table B-78. WMIP comprehensive diabetes care measures, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Measure	2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
HbA1c tests	342	86.84	390	87.95	502	86.06	449	82.18	438	84.25
Enrollees with HbA1c levels poor control (>9.0%)	342	42.40	390	31.03	502	41.04	449	44.32	438	47.95
Enrollees with HbA1c levels good control (<8.0%) <sup>a</sup>	342	50.58	390	60.00	502	50.40	449	47.66	438	42.24
Enrollees with HbA1c levels good control (<7.0%)	191	35.60	225	46.22	286	37.41	+	+	+	+
Dilated retinal exams	342	55.26	390	59.49	502	53.98	449	53.45	438	50.46
Lipid profile (LDL-C) performed	342	78.65	390	76.92	502	74.50	449	74.83	438	75.11
Lipids controlled (<100mg/dL)	342	31.58	390	39.23	502	34.46	449	35.41	438	37.21
Nephropathy monitored annually	342	81.58	390	86.41	502	83.07	449	79.73	438	81.28
Blood pressure control (<130/80 mm Hg)	342	32.46	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Blood pressure control (<140/80 mm Hg)		—	390	43.59	502	38.84	449	41.43	438	41.10
Blood pressure control (<140/90 mm Hg)	342	61.11	390	64.36	502	60.36	449	64.59	438	58.90

<sup>a</sup> HCA required reporting for this indicator for the first time in 2010.

— Definition and methodology changed in 2007, 2010; therefore, data from previous years are not comparable.

+ Measure not conducted in this reporting year.

**Table B-79. WMIP inpatient utilization measures, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Measure	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>General hospital/acute care</b>					
Total inpatient discharges and days					
Discharges/1000MM <sup>a</sup>	15.14	15.55	15.21	16.00	16.76
Days/1000MM <sup>a</sup>	76.73	72.54	78.00	91.37	91.50
Average length of stay (days)	5.07	4.67	5.13	5.71	5.46
Medical discharges and days					
Discharges/1000MM <sup>a</sup>	8.48	9.33	9.53	9.84	10.26
Days/1000MM <sup>a</sup>	32.79	35.31	41.44	39.35	44.85 ↑
Average length of stay (days)	3.86	3.79	4.35	4.00	4.37
Surgical discharges and days					
Discharges/1000MM <sup>a</sup>	5.95	5.55	5.24	5.75	5.80
Days/1000MM <sup>a</sup>	42.28	35.15	35.23	51.03	44.83 ↓
Average length of stay (days)	7.11	6.33	6.73	8.87	7.73
<b>Nonacute care</b>					
Inpatient discharges and days					
Discharges/1000MM <sup>a</sup>	0.76	+	+	+	+
Days/1000MM <sup>a</sup>	14.78	+	+	+	+
Average length of stay (days)	19.36	+	+	+	+

<sup>a</sup> 1000 MM = 1000 member months.

↓↑ Indicates statistically significant difference in rates from previous year (p < 0.05).

+ Measure not conducted in this reporting year.

**Table B-80. WMIP ambulatory care measures, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Measure	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Outpatient visits/1000MM <sup>a</sup>	563.98	539.06	546.91	570.55	593.58 ↑
Emergency room visits/1000MM <sup>a</sup>	119.94	109.83	101.85	89.93	88.15
Surgery or procedures performed/1000MM <sup>a</sup>	24.09	+	35.23	+	+
Observation room stays/1000MM <sup>a</sup>	0.46	+	+	+	+

<sup>a</sup> 1000 MM = 1000 member months.

↓↑ Indicates statistically significant difference in rates from previous year ( $p < 0.05$ ).

+ Measure not conducted in this reporting year.

**Table B-81. WMIP mental health care follow-up and utilization measures, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Measure	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Follow-up after hospitalization for mental illness</b>					
30-day follow-up	48.84	64.81	70.49	72.00	NA
7-day follow-up	32.56	55.56	57.38	56.00	NA
<b>Mental health utilization: total<sup>a,b</sup></b>					
Any services total	+	+	41.63	30.24	25.35 ↓
Inpatient total	+	+	1.58	1.52	0.67 ↓
Intensive outpatient/partial hospitalization total	+	+	1.33	0.78	1.75 ↑
Outpatient/ER total	+	+	40.85	30.06	25.15 ↓

NA: Sample size was smaller than the minimum required during the reporting year.

↓↑ Indicates statistically significant difference in percentages from previous year ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> HCA required reporting for this indicator for the first time in 2012.

<sup>b</sup> Aggregate includes ages 18–64 and 65+.

+ Measure not conducted in this reporting year.

**Table B-82. WMIP medication measures, reporting years 2010–2014.**

<b>Measure</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>
<b>Antidepressant medication management</b>					
Effective acute-phase treatment	52.78	56.86	67.50	63.89	51.97
Effective continuation-phase treatment	36.11	47.06	55.00	47.22	39.37
<b>Use of high-risk medications in the elderly</b>					
One prescription	12.81	11.94	10.94	7.08	4.27
At least two prescriptions	2.23	2.11	1.72	2.29	0.90

**Table B-83. WMIP identification and initiation of dependence treatment, reporting years 2010–2014.**

Measure	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
<b>Initiation and engagement of AOD dependence treatment<sup>a</sup></b>					
Total initiation	+	+	26.32	NA	NA
Total engagement	+	+	2.63	NA	NA
<b>Identification of alcohol and other drug services<sup>a,b</sup></b>					
Any services total	+	+	20.38	20.46	20.58
Inpatient total	+	+	75.87	68.14	41.17 ↓
Intensive outpatient/partial hospitalization total	+	+	0.00	0.0	0.15
Outpatient/ER total	+	+	18.18	18.64	18.51

NA: Sample size was smaller than the minimum required during the reporting year.

↓↑ Indicates statistically significant difference in percentages from previous year ( $p < 0.05$ ).

<sup>a</sup> HCA required reporting for this indicator for the first time in 2012.

<sup>b</sup> Aggregate includes ages 18–24, 25–34, 35–64, and 65+.

+ Measure not conducted in this reporting year.