

Pediatric Measures Selection Workgroup: Recommended Measures as of December 5, 2016

The following measures relate to the pediatric population only (ages 17 and younger).

Measure	Measure Steward	NQF-Endorsed	Type of Data Needed	Data Source(s) in WA	Product Line	On Common Measure Set in 2016	Brief Measure Description	Likely Units of Analysis for Public Reporting				
								State	County/ACH	Health Plan	Medical Group/Clinic*	Hospital
Childhood Immunization Status by Age 2 - Combination 10	NCQA HEDIS	Yes #0038	Registry (WA IIS)	DOH	NA	Yes	The percentage of children 2 years of age who had four diphtheria, tetanus and acellular pertusis (DTaP); three polio (IPV); one measles, mumps and rubella (MMR); three haemophilus influenza type B (HiB); three hepatitis B (HepB); one chicken pox (VZV); four pneumococcal conjugate (PCV); one hepatitis A (HepA); two or three rotavirus (RV); and two influenza (flu) vaccines by their second birthday.	X	X			
Immunizations for Adolescents by Age 13	NCQA HEDIS	Yes #1407	Registry (WA IIS)	DOH	NA	Yes	The percentage of adolescents 13 years of age who had one dose of meningococcal conjugate vaccine, one tetanus, diphtheria toxoids and acellular pertussis (Tdap) vaccine, and three doses of the human papillomavirus (HPV) vaccine. by their 13th birthday. Washington state will report two rates: (1) HPV Vaccine, and (2) Combination 2, compliance for all three vaccines.	X	X			
Oral Health: Primary Caries Prevention Intervention as Part of Well/III Child visit as Offered by Primary Care Medical Providers	WA State HCA	No	Claims	HCA	Medicaid only	Yes	Total number of patients (Age 0- 6), who received a Fluoride Varnish application (FV) during a routine preventive health visit (with primary care medical provider or clinic).	X	X			
Child and Adolescent's Access to Primary Care Practitioners (4 rates reported)	NCQA HEDIS	No	Claims	Alliance, NCQA	Commercial Medicaid	Yes	The percentage of members 12 months - 19 years of age who had a visit with a PCP during the measurement year. Four separate rates are reported by age grouping: 12-24 months; 25 months - 6 years; 7-11 years; and 12-19 years.	X	X	X		
Appropriate Testing for Children with Pharyngitis	NCQA HEDIS	Yes #0002	Claims	Alliance, NCQA	Commercial Medicaid	Yes	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 before dispensing an antibiotic).	X	X	X	X	
Weight Assessment and Counseling for Nutrition and Physical Activity for Children and Adolescents	NCQA HEDIS	Yes #0024	Claims and Medical Record	NCQA	Commercial and Medicaid	Yes	The percentage of members 3-17 years of age who had an outpatient visit with a PCP or OB/GYN and who had evidence of the following during the measurement year: (1) BMI percentile documentation; (2) counseling for nutrition; and (3) counseling for physical activity.	X		X		
Well Child Visits in the Third, Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Years of Life	NCQA HEDIS	Yes # 1516	Claims	Alliance, NCQA	Commercial Medicaid	Yes	The percentage of members 3-6 years of age who had one or more well-child visits with a PCP during the measurement year. Washington state reports one combined rate.	X	X	X	X	
Well Child Visits in the First Fifteen Months of Life (W15)	NCQA HEDIS	No	Claims	Alliance, NCQA	Commercial Medicaid	No	The percentage of members who turned 15 months old during the measurement year and who had the following number of well-child visits with a PCP during their first 15 months of life: No well child visits, one well child visit, two well child visits, three well child visits, four well child visits, five well child visits, six or more well child visits. Washington state will report one rate of children with six or more visits).	X	X	X	X	
Follow-up Care for Children Prescribed ADHD medication (ADD) - Continuation and Maintenance	NCQA HEDIS	Yes #0108	Claims	Alliance, NCQA	Commercial Medicaid	No	The percentage of children ages 6-12 with an ambulatory prescription dispensed for ADHD medication, who remained on the medication for at least 300 days and who, in addition to a visit within the first 30 days, had at least two follow-up visits with a practitioner within 270 days (9 months) following the first 30 day initiation phase.	X	X	X	X	
Audiological Evaluation no later than 3 months of age	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	Yes #1360	Medical Record Data Required	DOH	NA	No	This measure assesses the percentage of newborns who did not pass hearing screening and have an audiological evaluation no later than 3 months of age.	X	X			

\*Includes results for all clinics and medical groups of four or more providers who meet a threshold of # of patients for public reporting.

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Immunization for Influenza	AMA-PCI	Yes #0041	Registry	DOH	NA	Yes	The percentage of patients aged 6 months and older seen for a visit and who received an influenza immunization OR who reported previous receipt of an influenza immunization	X	X			
Medication Management for People with Asthma	NCQA HEDIS	Yes #1799	Claims	Alliance, NCQA	Commercial Medicaid	Yes	The percentage of members 5-85 years of age who were identified as having persistent asthma and were dispensed appropriate medications that they remained on for at least <b>75%</b> of their treatment period.	X	X	X	X	
Chlamydia Screening in Women	NCQA HEDIS	Yes #0033	Claims	Alliance, NCQA	Commercial Medicaid	Yes	The percentage of young women ages 16-24 years of age who were identified as sexually active and who had at least one test for chlamydia during the measurement year.	X	X	X	X	
Mental Health Service Penetration	WA State DSHS	No	Claims	Health Plans, DSHS	Commercial Medicaid	Yes	The percentage of members with a mental health service need who received mental health services in the measurement year. Separate reporting for age groups: 6-17 years and 18-64 years.	X	X			
Substance Use Disorder Service Penetration	WA State DSHS	No	Claims	DSHS	Medicaid only	Yes	The percentage of members with a substance use disorder treatment need who received a substance use disorder treatment in the measurement year. Separate reporting for age groups: 6-17 years and 18-64 years.	X	X			
Follow-up After Hospitalization for Mental Illness @ 7 days and 30 days	NCQA HEDIS	Yes #0576	Claims	NCQA	Commercial Medicaid	Yes	The percentage of discharges for members 6 years and older who were hospitalized for treatment of selected mental illness diagnoses and who had an outpatient visit, an intensive outpatient encounter or partial hospitalization with a mental health practitioner.			X		