

**Washington State Common Measure Set on Health Care Quality and Cost**  
**Recommendations for 2016 (Does not include recommendations re: Behavioral Health Measures)**

MEASURE	MEASURE STEWARD	PUBLIC REPORTING – RESULTS AVAILABLE BY:				
		State	County/ACH	Health Plan	Medical Group	Hospital
<b>Access to Primary Care and Prevention – Children/Adolescents</b>						
Child and Adolescent Access to Primary Care Providers	NCQA	✓	✓	✓		
Well-Child Visits - Ages 3–6 years	NCQA	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Weight Assessment and Counseling for Nutrition and Physical Activity for Children/Adolescents	NCQA	✓		✓		
Oral Health: Primary Caries Prevention Offered by Primary Care	HCA	✓	✓			
Immunizations: Childhood Status	NCQA	✓	✓			
Immunizations: Adolescent Status	NCQA	✓	✓			
Immunizations: HPV Vaccine for Adolescents (Male and Female)	NCQA	✓	✓			
<b>Access to Primary Care and Prevention – Adults</b>						
Adult Access to Primary Care Providers	NCQA	✓	✓	✓		
Weight Assessment (BMI) for Adults	NCQA	✓		✓		
Adult Tobacco Use	CDC	✓	✓			
Medical Assistance with Smoking and Tobacco Use Cessation	NCQA	✓		✓		
Unintended Pregnancies	CDC	✓				
Immunizations: Influenza	AMA-PCPI	✓	✓			
Immunization: Pneumonia Vaccination - Ages 65+	CDC	✓	✓			
Health Screening: Colon Cancer	NCQA	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Health Screening: Breast Cancer	NCQA	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Health Screening: Cervical Cancer	NCQA	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Health Screening: Chlamydia	NCQA	✓	✓	✓	✓	
<b>Behavioral Health</b>						
Adult Mental Health Status	CDC	✓	✓			
Follow-up After Hospitalization for Mental Illness @ 7 days and 30 days	NCQA	✓		✓		
30-day Psychiatric Inpatient Readmissions	DSHS	✓				
Depression: Medication Management @ 12 weeks and 6 months	NCQA	✓	✓	✓	✓	

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<i>Effective Management of Chronic Illness in the Outpatient Setting</i>						
<del>Asthma: Use of Appropriate Medication</del>	<del>NCQA</del>	<del>✓</del>	<del>✓</del>	<del>✓</del>	<del>✓</del>	
<b>ADD:</b> Medication Management for People with Asthma (MMA)	NCQA	✓	✓	✓	✓	
COPD: Use of Spirometry Testing in Diagnosis	NCQA	✓	✓	✓		
Hospitalization for Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disorder (COPD) or Asthma	AHRQ	✓	✓			
<b>CONSIDER ADDING:</b> Pharmacotherapy Management of COPD Exacerbation	NCQA	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Diabetes: Blood Sugar (HbA1c) Testing	NCQA	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Diabetes: Blood Sugar (HbA1c) Poor Control (>9.0%)	NCQA	✓		✓		
Diabetes: Eye Exam	NCQA	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Diabetes: Kidney Disease Screening	NCQA	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Diabetes: Blood Pressure Control (<140/90 mm Hg)	NCQA	✓		✓		
Cardiovascular Disease: Blood Pressure Control	NCQA	✓		✓		
<del>Cardiovascular Disease: Use of Statin Medications</del>	<del>ACC/AHA</del>	<del>✓</del>	<del>✓</del>	<del>✓</del>	<del>✓</del>	
<b>ADD:</b> Statin Therapy for Patients with Cardiovascular Disease (SPC)	NCQA	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Medication Safety: Adherence to Prescribed Medications (3 types)	PQA	✓	✓		✓	
Medication Safety: Monitoring Patients on Hypertension Medications	NCQA	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Generic Medication Prescribing (5 types)	Alliance	✓	✓		✓	
Patient Experience with Primary Care: Provider Communication	AHRQ	✓			✓	
<i>Ensuring Appropriate Care: Avoiding Overuse</i>						
Appropriate Testing for Children with Pharyngitis (before use of antibiotics)	NCQA	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Avoidance of Antibiotic Treatment in Adults with Acute Bronchitis	NCQA	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Avoidance of X-ray, MRI and CT Scan for Low Back Pain	NCQA	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Potentially Avoidable ER Use	<del>Medi-Cal</del>	✓	✓		✓	✓
<b>ADD:</b> Emergency Department Visits per 1,000	GHC NCQA	✓		✓		

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<i>Effective Hospital-Based Care</i>						
30-day All-Cause Hospital Readmissions	NCQA	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
<del>Patients in the ER (5+ visits) with a Care Guideline</del>	<del>WSHA</del>	<del>✓</del>	<del></del>	<del></del>	<del></del>	<del>✓</del>
Cesarean Deliveries	TJC	✓				✓
Hospital 30-Day Death (Mortality) Rates for Heart Attack	CMS					✓
Catheter-associated Urinary Tract Infections	CDC	✓				✓
Stroke Care: Timely Thrombolytic Therapy	TJC	✓				✓
Patient Falls with Injury	DOH/ANA	✓				✓
Patient Safety for 11 Indicators (Composite)	AHRQ					✓
Patient Experience	CMS	✓				✓
<i>Cost of Care</i>						
Annual Per-Capita State-purchased Health Care Spending Growth Relative to State GDP	HCA	✓				
Medicaid per Enrollee Spending	HCA	✓				
Public Employee per Enrollee Spending	HCA	✓				