Washington State Common Measure Set (2015 - 2024)

Measure Name	Measure Steward	NQF Endorsed	Category	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Notes
Adult Access to Preventive/Ambulatory Care (AAP)	NCQA		Primary Care & Prevention - Adults	х	Х	х	х	х	х	х				
Adult BMI Assessment (ABA)	NCQA		Primary Care & Prevention - Adults	х	Х	х	х	х	х					NCQA Retired in 2021
Adult Immunization Status (AIS-E) (Uses Electronic Data System (ECDS) reporting)													Х	
Adult Mental Health Status: Percentage of Adults Reporting 14 or More Days of Poor Mental Health	DOH (BRFSS Survey)		Behavioral Health	Х	Х	Х	Х							
Adult Tobacco Use (Percentage of Adults who Smoke Cigarettes)	CDC/DOH (BRFSS Survey)		Primary Care & Prevention - Adults	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Ambulatory Care - Emergency Department (ED) Visits per 1,000 (AMB) (Medicaid only)	NCQA		Ensuring Appropriate Care		Х	х	Х	Х	х	х	Х	Х		NCQA retired in 2024
Annual Monitoring for Patients on Persistent Medications (MPM) (ACE/ARM component)	NCQA	NQF 2371	Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х						NCQA Retired in 2020
Annual State-Purchased Health Care Spending Growth Relative to the State GDP	НСА		WA Health Care Spending	х	х	х	х	х	х	х	Х	Х	х	
Antibiotic Utilization for Respiratory Conditions (AXR)	NCQA	_	Ensuring Appropriate Care				_	_			х	Х	х	NCQA replaced Antibiotic Utilization (ABX) with AXR in 2022
Antidepressant Medication Management (AMM) 1. Effective Acute Phase Treatment; 2. Effective Continuous Phase Treatment	NCQA	NQF 0105	Behavioral Health	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	х	Х	х	х	х	
Appropriate Testing for Pharyngitis (CWP)	NCQA	NQF 0002	Ensuring Appropriate Care	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Arrest Rate for Medicaid Beneficiaries with an Identified Behavioral Health Need	DSHS-RDA		Social Recovery									Х	Х	
Asthma Medication Ratio (AMR)	NCQA	NQF 1800	Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient					Х	х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Audiological Evaluation No Later Than 3 Months of Age	CDC		Primary Care & Prevention - Children/ Adolescents			Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Avoidance of Antibiotic Treatment for Acute Bronchitis/Bronchiolitis (AAB)	NCQA	NQF 0058 (2019 version)	Ensuring Appropriate Care	Х	х	х	х	х	Х	х				Removed from 2022 WSCMS and replaced with new AXR
Blood Pressure Control for Patients With Diabetes (BPD) (NCQA updated from Comprehensive Diabetes Care: Blood Pressure Control for MY2022)	NCQA	NQF 0061	Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient	х	х	х	х	х	Х	х	Х	х	х	NCQA updated name in 2022
Breast Cancer Screening (BCS-E) (Uses Electronic Data System (ECDS) reporting)	NCQA	NQF 2372	Primary Care & Prevention - Adults	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	NCQA transitioned to EDCS reporting only in 2023
Catheter-associated Urinary Tract Infection (CAUTI) Outcome Measure	CDC	NQF 0138	Effective Hospital-Based Care	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Cervical Cancer Screening (CCS)	NCQA	NQF 0032	Primary Care & Prevention - Adults	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Cesarean Birth (PC-02)	The Joint Commission	NQF 0471	Effective Hospital-Based Care	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Child and Adolescent Access to Primary Care providers	NCQA		Primary Care & Prevention - Children/ Adolescents	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х					NCQA retired in 2021
Child and Adolescent Well-Care Visit (WCV) Rates for reporting: 3 - 11, 12 - 17, and 18 - 21 years	NCQA	1516 (2019 version)	Primary Care & Prevention - Children/ Adolescents					х	Х	х	х	х	х	NCQA Combined with Adolescent Well Care visits in 2021
Childhood Immunization Status (CIS) (Combo 10)	NCQA	NQF 0038	Immunizations	Х	х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Chlamydia Screening in Women Ages 16 to 24 (CHL)	AHRQ	NQF 0033	Primary Care & Prevention - Adults	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) or Asthma in Older Adults Admission Rate (PQI 05)	NCQA	NQF 0275	Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient	х	Х	Х	Х							
Colorectal Cancer Screening (COL-E) (Uses Electronic Data System (ECDS) reporting)	NCQA	NQF 0034	Primary Care & Prevention - Adults	х	х	х	х	х	х	х	х	х	х	NCQA transitioned to EDCS reporting only in 2024
Comprehensive Diabetes Care: Hemoglobin A1c Testing	NCQA	NQF 0057	Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient	Х	Х	Х	х	х	Х	х				NCQA retired in 2022
Comprehensive Diabetes Care: Medical Attention for Nephropathy	NCQA	NQF 0062	Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient	Х	Х	Х	х	х	Х					NCQA Retired in 2021- Replaced with KED
Contraceptive Care – Most & Moderately Effective Methods	US Office of Population Affairs	NQF 2903	Primary Care & Prevention - Adults							х	х	Х	х	
Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP)	NCQA	NQF 0018	Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient	Х	Х	х	х	х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Depression Remission or Response for Adolescents and Adults (DRR-E) (Uses Electronic Data System (ECDS) reporting)	NCQA		Behavioral Health							х	х	Х	Х	
Depression Screening and Follow-Up for Adolescents and Adults (DSF-E) (Uses Electronic Data System (ECDS) reporting)	NCQA		Behavioral Health								х	х	х	
Eye Exam for Patients With Diabetes (EED) (NCQA updated name from Comprehensive Diabetes Care: Eye Exam for MY2022)	NCQA	NQF 0055	Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	х	Х	х	х	х	NCQA updated name in 2022

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Follow-Up After ED Visit for Substance Use (FUA) (NCQA revised the name from Follow-up After Emergency Department Visit for Alcohol and Other Drug Dependence (FUA) for MY2022)	NCQA	NQF 3488	Behavioral Health				х	х	х	х	х	х	х	NCQA updated name in 2022
Follow-up After Emergency Department Visit for Mental Health Illness (FUM)	NCQA	NQF 3489	Behavioral Health				Х	Х	Х	Х	х	х	х	
Follow-up After Hospitalization for Mental Illness (FUH)	NCQA	NQF 0576	Behavioral Health	х	х	х	х	х	х	х	х	х	Х	
Follow-up Care for Children Prescribed ADHD Medication (ADD) (Initiation & Continuation) (Uses Electronic Data System (ECDS) reporting)	NCQA	NQF 0108	Behavioral Health			Х	х	Х	Х	х	х	х	х	NCQA transitioned to EDCS reporting only in 2024
Glycemic Status Assessment for Patients with Diabetes (GSD) (NCQA revised the name from Hemoglobin A1c Control for Patients With Diabetes (HBD) for MY2024)	NCQA	NQF 0059	Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient	x	х	х	х	х	x	x	х	х	х	NCQA updated name in 2024
HIV Viral Load Suppression (HVL-AD)	HRSA												Х	
Homelessness (Broad and Narrow) (HOME-B and HOME-N)	DSHS-RDA		Social Recovery									Х	х	
HPV Vaccine for Adolescents (Male and Female)	NCQA		Immunizations	Х	Х									Combined with Immunizations for Adolescents (IMA) in 2017
Immunizations for Adolescents (IMA)	NCQA	NQF 1407	Immunizations	Х	Х	х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Influenza Immunization for 6 months and older	AMA-PCPI	NQF 0041	Immunizations	х	Х	х	х	х	Х	х	Х	Х	Х	
Kidney Health Evaluation for Patients With Diabetes (KED)	NCQA		Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient							х	Х	Х	Х	NCQA replaced Medical Attention for Nephropathy with KED in 2021
Medicaid per Capita Spending	HCA		WA Health Care Spending	х	Х	х	х	х	Х	х	х	Х	х	
Medical Assistance with Smoking and Tobacco Use Cessation	NCQA	NQF 0027	Primary Care & Prevention - Adults	х	Х	х	Х							
Medication Adherence: Proportion of Days Covered: (3 Rates by Therapeutic Category (Statin Adherence)	Pharmacy Quality Alliance	NQF 0541	Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient	х	х	х	х	х	Х	х				
Medication Management for People with Asthma (MMA) Report 75% adherence only	NCQA	NQF 1799	Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient		Х	х	х							NCQA Retired/Replaced with Asthma Medication Ratio (AMR) in 2019
Medications: Generic Prescribing Rate (Antacid, Antidepressants, Statins, ACE and ARBS, ADHD)	WHA		Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient	Х	Х	х	х	х	Х	х				
Member Experience: HP-CAHPS Health Plan Survey Composite - Health Plan Information & Customer Service	AHRQ/NCQA	NQF 0006	Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient								х	х	х	
Mental Health Service Rate - Broad	DSHS-RDA		Behavioral Health		Х	х	х	Х	Х	х	Х	Х	х	
Mort-30-AMI: Heart Attack Mortality	CMS	NQF 0230	Ensuring Appropriate Care	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
New Opioid Patient Days Supply of First Opioid Prescription	Bree Collaborative		Behavioral Health - Opioid Prescribing					Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
New Opioid Patients Transitioning to Chronic Opioids	Bree Collaborative		Behavioral Health - Opioid Prescribing					Х	х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Obesity in Adults (Self reported BMI)	DOH (BRFSS Survey)		Primary Care & Prevention - Adults				х	Х	Х	х	Х	Х	Х	
Obesity in Youth (Self reported BMI)	DOH (Healthy Youth Survey)		Primary Care & Prevention - Children/ Adolescents				Х	Х	Х	Х	х	Х	х	
Patient Experience with Hospital Care: Discharge Information and Communication About Medicines (H-	CMS	NQF 0166	Effective Hospital-Based Care	Х	х	Х	Х	Х	х	Х	х	х	х	
CAHPS) (Hospital) Patient Experience with Primary Care: How Well Providers Communicate with Patients (CG-CAHPS) (Clinician Groups)	AHRQ	NQF 0005	Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient	Х	Х	х	Х	Х	х	Х	х	Х	Х	
Patient Experience with Primary Care: How Well Providers Use Information to Coordinate Patient Care (CG-CAHPS) (Clinician Groups)	AHRQ	NQF 0005	Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	×	Х	х	
Patient Safety and Adverse Events Composite for Selected Indicators (Composite Measure)	CMS (AHRQ)	NQF 0531	Effective Hospital-Based Care	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Patients Prescribed High-dose Chronic Opioid Therapy (reported per 1,000)	Bree Collaborative		Behavioral Health -					Х	Х	Х	х	х	х	
Percent of Patients with 5 or More Visits to the Emergency Room	NA		Opioid Prescribing Effective Hospital-Based Care	Х										
without a Care Guideline Plan All-Cause Readmission Rate (30 day) (PCR)	NCQA		Effective Hospital-Based Care	X	Х	х	Х	Х	Х	х	Х	Х	Х	
Pneumococcal Vaccination Status for Older Adults (PNU)	CDC/ NCQA		Immunizations	х	Х	х	х	х	Х	х	х	Х		NCQA Combined with Adult Immunization Status in 2024
Potentially Avoidable Use of the Emergency Room	WHA		Ensuring Appropriate Care	х	х	х	х	х	х	х	х	х	х	
Prenatal Care in the First Trimester Pregnancy	DOH/Results WA		Primary Care & Prevention - Adults				х	Х	Х					Replaced with Prenatal/ Postpartum Care (PPC) in 2021
and Postpartum Care (PPC): 1. Timeliness of Prenatal Care; 2. Postpartum Care	NCQA		Primary Care & Prevention - Adults							х	Х	Х	Х	

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Primary Caries Prevention Intervention as Offered by Medical Provider: Topical Fluoride Application delivered by Non-Dental Health Professional	HCA		Primary Care & Prevention - Children/ Adolescents	Х	х	Х	х	Х	х	Х	х	х	х	
Psychiatric Hospitalization Readmission Rate	DSHS-RDA		Behavioral Health	Х	Х	Х	х	Х	х	Х	х	х	Х	
Public Employee spending per Enrollee	HCA		WA Health Care Spending	Х	Х	х	х	х	х	Х	х	х	Х	
Use of Statins for Cardiovascular Disease	ACC/AHA		Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient	Х										Replaced in 2016 with Statin Therapy (SPC)
Statin Therapy for Patients with Cardiovascular Disease (SPC) 2 Rates: Prescribed and Adherence 80%	NCQA		Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient		Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	х	х	х	
Stroke Care (STK 04): Thrombolytic Therapy	The Joint Commission	NQF 0437	Effective Hospital-Based Care	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Substance Use DisorderTreatment Rate (Medicaid only)	DSHS-RDA		Behavioral Health		Х	х	х	х	х	х	х	х	Х	
Timely Receipt of Mental Health Treatment for Medicaid Beneficiaries Released from a Correctional Facility	DSHS-RDA		Social Recovery									Х	Х	
Timely Receipt of Substance Use Disorder Treatment for Medicaid Beneficiaries Released from a Correctional Facility	DSHS-RDA		Social Recovery									Х	Х	
Unintended pregnancies	DOH/ Results WA		Primary Care & Prevention - Adults	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Use of Appropriate Medications for People With Asthma (ASM)	NCQA	NQF 0036	Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient	х										NCQA Retired in 2016
Use of Imaging Studies for Low Back Pain (LBP)	NCQA	Removed	Ensuring Appropriate Care	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	х	х	х	
Use of Opioids at High Dosage (HDO)	NCQA		Behavioral Health - Opioid Prescribing							Х	х	х	х	
Use of Spirometry Testing in the Assessment and Diagnosis of COPD (SPR)	NCQA	NQF 0577	Management of Chronic Illness-Outpatient	х	Х	х	х	х	х	х	х	х		NCQA Retired in 2024
Weight Assessment and Counseling for Nutrition and Physical Activity for Children/Adolescents (WCC¹)	NCQA	NQF 0024	Primary Care & Prevention - Children/ Adolescents	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	х	Х				
Well-Child Visits in the 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th Years of Life	NCQA	NQF 1516	Primary Care & Prevention - Children/ Adolescents	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	х					Replaced with Child & Adolesccent Well Care Visit (WCV)
Well-Child Visits in the First 30 Months of Life (W30) Rates: (1.) Well-Child Visits in the First 15 Months (2.) Well-Child Visits for Age 15 Months–30 Months	NCQA	1392 (2019 Version)	Primary Care & Prevention - Children/ Adolescents			х	х	х	х	х	х	х	Х	
Youth Substance Use (Tobacco & Vaping)	DOH/Health Youth Survey		Primary Care & Prevention - Children/ Adolescents				х	х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	