



Assessments within 60 Days for Children in DHS Custody

Measure Basic Information

Name and date of specifications used: OHA developed these specifications based on requirements for physical, mental, and dental health assessments for children who enter foster care.

URL of Specifications: N/A

Measure Type:

HEDIS PQI Survey Other Specify: OHA-developed

Measure Utility:

CCO Incentive Core Performance CMS Adult Set CHIP Set State Performance

Other Specify:

Data Source: MMIS/DSSURS and ORKIDS

Measurement Period: January 1, 2017 – December 31, 2017.

Note there is a cut-off date of October 31st so the 60-day continuous enrollment and health assessment period can occur be the end of the year.

2013 Benchmark: 90%; from Metrics & Scoring Committee consensus.

2014 Benchmark: 90%; from Metrics & Scoring Committee consensus.

2015 Benchmark: 90%; from Metrics & Scoring Committee consensus.

2016 Benchmark: 90%; from Metrics & Scoring Committee consensus.

2017 Benchmark: 90%; from Metrics & Scoring Committee consensus.

Incentive Measure changes in specifications from 2016 to 2017:

- Modified the ‘Data elements required numerator’ section to define required assessments based on member age, which was previously included in the ‘required exclusions for numerator’ section.
- Clarified the scenarios where new patient E&M codes in conjunction with a mental health or child abuse/neglect diagnosis code might qualify for both physical and mental health assessments: the diagnosis codes do not need to be the primary diagnosis, and there is no provider specialty requirement.
- Clarified which files are used for “notification” process in 2017.

Denied claims: Included Not included

Member type: CCO A CCO B CCO G

Measure Details

Data elements required denominator: Identified children/adolescents 0 – 17 years of age as of the first date of DHS/OHA notification and remained in custody for at least 60 days. Only children/adolescents that DHS/OHA notified CCOs about will be included in the denominator.

Note: while OHA previously intended to transition “notification” to the dates on which CCOs receive 834 enrollment files for children, these files have proven difficult for use in constructing and validating the denominator. For the 2017 measurement year, OHA will be using the weekly files as the official notification for the measure. OHA will continue providing the 834 files to support validation and intends to continue working with DHS to identify additional data from ORkids that may be able to be shared with the CCOs to better support care coordination for children in DHS custody.

Note: in CY 2018, OHA will modify the start of the intake period from January 1st of the measurement year to November 1st of the year prior to the measurement year. This change is intended to fill the gap where children placed in DHS custody in November or December were not captured in the past. This means that children who enter DHS custody between Nov 1 and Dec 31 of 2017 will be included in the CY 2018 denominator.

Required exclusions for denominator: Children will be excluded from the final measure denominator for the following reasons:

- The CCO did not receive notification from OHA on the child, even if the CCO was informed by DHS or another source when the child entered DHS foster / substitute care.
- The child did not meet the continuous enrollment criteria (at least 60 days of continuous enrollment in a CCO as of date of notification), i.e., enrollment ended or was interrupted for one day or more within the 60 day period.
- The child entered foster care more than 30 days prior to OHA notification.
- The child entered DHS foster / substitute care, but was not enrolled in the CCO.
- The CCO received notification, but the child was not enrolled or did not have CCO A coverage with the CCO within one week beginning on the notification date.
- The child was placed in an Oregon Youth Authority (OYA) 24/7 lock-down facility during the 60 days following CCO notification.
- The child is in run-away status during the 60 days following CCO notification – i.e., the child is still in DHS custody, but the child would be dis-enrolled from the CCO and entered into Fee For Service / Open Card until their next placement (and thus excluded from the measure);
- Trial reunification – the child returned home and enrolled into a different CCO than the CCO they were enrolled in during the previous placement;
- The child experienced a change in guardianship or adoption (unless Medicaid eligibility and CCO enrollment changed);
- There was more than one week lag between the notification date and the effective enrollment date (“future enrollments”).

- If a CCO is notified more than once for the same child entering foster care on the same date, only the instance in which CCO notification date follows most closely the DHS Custody date is included. Any other CCO notification dates for the same child and foster entry are excluded.

Deviations from cited specifications for denominator: N/A

Data elements required numerator: Depending on the age at CCO notification date, members in the denominator are required to receive a physical health assessment (all ages 0-17), a dental health assessment (age 1-17), and a mental health assessment (age 4-17), within 60 days of the notification date, or within 30 days prior to the notification date.

	Required assessments for children entering DHS custody		
Age on CCO Notification Date	Physical	Dental	Mental
Less than 12 months old	YES	No	No
1 to 3 years old	YES	YES	No
4 to 17 years old	YES	YES	YES

Qualifying health assessments are identified by one of the following procedure codes:

Physical health assessment codes:

- Outpatient and office evaluation and management codes: 99201 - 99205¹, 99212 - 99215
- Preventative visits: 99381 – 99384, 99391 – 99394
- Annual wellness visits: G0438, G0439

¹ If physical health assessments as indicated in these new patient E&M codes include qualifying mental health or child abuse/neglect diagnosis on the same claim (see code table below), they will count as both mental and physical health assessments. This is to reflect assessments provided by a psychiatric (nurse or physician) provider, but OHA does not apply a check of provider specialty in the calculation.

Qualifying diagnosis codes are based on the HEDIS 2017 Mental Health Diagnosis Value Set (Follow Up after Hospitalization for Mental Illness measure), Oregon's Prioritized List, and additional codes that may be picked up in deferred diagnosis situations. Codes include:

(All diagnosis fields apply)	ICD-9CM Diagnosis	ICD-10CM Diagnosis
HEDIS 2017 Mental Health Diagnosis Value Set	290, 293 - 302, 306 - 316	F03, F20 – F53, F59 – F69, F80 – F99
Diagnosis related to child abuse or neglect	799.9, 995.50, 995.51, 995.52, 995.53, 995.54, 995.59, V71.09, V71.81	T74.02xA, T74.02xD, T74.12xA, T74.12xD, T74.22xA, T74.32xA, T74.32xD, T74.22xD, T76.02xA, T76.02xD, T76.12xA, T76.12xD, T76.22xA, T76.22xD, T76.32xA, T76.32xD, T76.92xA, T76.92xD

Mental health assessment codes:

- Psychological assessment and intervention codes: 90791 – 90792, 96101 – 96102, H0031, H1011.
- Mental health assessment, by non-physician with CANS assessment: H2000-TG (modifier must be included).
- Behavioral health; long-term residential (non-medical, non-acute care in a residential treatment program where stay is typically longer than 30 days): H0019²
- Psychiatric health facility service, per diem: H2013
- Community psychiatric supportive treatment program, per diem: H0037

Dental health assessment codes:

- Dental diagnostic codes (clinical oral evaluations): D0100-D0199

Required exclusions for numerator: N/A

Deviations from cited specifications for numerator: N/A

What are the continuous enrollment criteria: 60 days after the date of CCO notification

What are allowable gaps in enrollment: None

Define Anchor Date (if applicable): None

For more information: The guidance document for this measure is available online at
<http://www.oregon.gov/oha/analytics/Pages/CCO-Baseline-Data.aspx>

² Use of this code counts as both mental and physical health assessment for children in PRTS.