

Chlamydia Screening in Women

Measure Basic Information

Name and date of specifications used: HEDIS® 2015 Technical Specifications for Health Plans (Volume 2)

URL of Specifications:

n/a

Measure Type:

HEDIS ☒ PQI ☐ Survey ☐ Other ☐ Specify:

Measure Utility:

CCO Incentive ☐ Core Performance ☐ CMS Adult Set ☒ CHIPRA Set ☒ State Performance ☒
Other ☐ Specify:

Data Source: MMIS/DSSURS

Measurement Period: January 1 – December 31, 2015

2013 Benchmark: 63%, 2012 National Medicaid 75th percentile

2014 Benchmark: 64%, 2013 National Medicaid 75th percentile

2015 Benchmark: 64%, 2014 National Medicaid 75th percentile

Measure changes in specifications from 2014 to 2015:

OHA is using HEDIS 2015 specifications for all 2015 measurements.

Changes from HEDIS 2013 to HEDIS 2015 include:

- Updated new and obsolete sexual activity and diagnostic radiology procedure codes in the denominator; no major impact.
- OHA continues to adopt the HEDIS® optional exclusion rule in this measure - excluding women qualified for the denominator by pregnancy tests alone and had either a prescription for isotretinoin or an x-ray within seven days of the pregnancy test. This exclusion had been adopted since 2013, although it was not mentioned in the previous specification sheets.

For measurements involving NDC lists published by NCQA (<http://www.ncqa.org>), OHA will use the latest available version for the measures; 2016 NDC lists will be used for the final calculations of 2015 measurement year. Before the 2016 NDC lists are available, OHA will use the 2015 lists for any progress reports.

For 2015 measurement, OHA is only including CCO A and CCO B members. For dental related measures (e.g., dental sealants, DHS custody) OHA is only including CCO A members.

HEDIS specifications are written for multiple lines of business and include a broad set of codes that could be used for measurement. OHA is not using all codes listed in the HEDIS specifications. Codes OHA is not using include, but are not limited to, LOINC, CPT, and HCPCS codes that are not open to Medicaid in Oregon. A general rule of thumb is that only CPT/HCPCS codes associated with the prioritized list will be

used to calculate the measures; however as some measure specifications include denied claims, a claim that was denied because it included codes not on the prioritized list might still be counted toward the measure.

Denied claims: Included ☒ Not included ☐

Measure Details

Data elements required denominator:

Women 16-24 years of age as of December 31 of the measurement year, who are identified as 'sexually active' using either the claim/encounter data or the pharmacy data:

- From claim/encounter data during the measurement year – a code from either the 'Pregnancy Value Set' or the 'Sexual Activity Value Set.'
- Dispensed prescription contraceptives (Table CHL-A¹) during the measurement year.

See HEDIS® 2015 Technical Specification for Health Plans (Volume 2) for details.

Required exclusions for denominator:

See continuous enrollment criteria.

OHA adopts the HEDIS® 2015 optional exclusion rule: Exclude members who qualified for the denominator based on a pregnancy test alone and who meet either of the following:

- A pregnancy test (Pregnancy Tests Value Set) during the measurement year followed within seven days (inclusive) by a prescription for isotretinoin (Table CHL-E¹).
- A pregnancy test (Pregnancy Tests Value Set) during the measurement year followed within seven days (inclusive) by an x-ray (Diagnostic Radiology Value Set).

Deviations from cited specifications for denominator:

None.

Data elements required numerator:

At least one chlamydia test (Chlamydia Tests Value Set) during the measurement year.

Chlamydia Tests Value Set	
CPT	LOINC (for reference only – LOINC not used in OHA measure calculations)
87110, 87270, 87320, 87490, 87491, 87492, 87810	14463-4, 14464-2, 14467-5, 14470-9, 14471-7, 14474-1, 14509-4, 14510-2, 14513-6, 16600-9, 16601-7, 21189-6, 21190-4, 21191-2, 21192-0, 21613-5, 23838-6, 31771-9, 31772-7, 31775-0, 31777-6, 36902-5, 36903-3, 42931-6, 43304-5, 43404-3, 43406-8, 44806-8, 44807-6, 45067-6, 45068-4, 45069-2, 45070-0, 45074-2, 45076-7, 45078-3, 45080-9, 45084-1, 45091-6, 45095-7, 45098-1, 45100-5, 47211-8, 47212-6, 49096-1, 4993-2, 50387-0, 53925-4, 53926-2, 557-9, 560-3, 6349-5, 6354-5, 6355-2, 6356-0, 6357-8

¹ The HEDIS 2015 Table CHL-A and CHL-E NDC lists are available on the NCQA website (<http://www.ncqa.org>).



Required exclusions for numerator:

None.

Deviations from cited specifications for numerator:

None.

What are the continuous enrollment criteria:

The measurement year.

What are allowable gaps in enrollment:

No more than one gap in enrollment of up to 45 days during the measurement year.

Define Anchor Date (if applicable):

December 31 of the measurement year.

For More Information: n/a

List other required exclusions and or deviations from cited specifications not already indicated:

None.