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Top Takeaways from the July 2019 CHN Committee Meeting

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Updated CHN Overall 2019 Incentive Performance Report – Use to Inform Quality Improvement Efforts for Remainder of 2019!

[Click here to review your practice's overall 2019 incentive performance!](#)

Quality Performance Period:

- Aetna: Jan '18 to Dec '18
- Blue KC: April '18 to March '19
- Cigna: Jan '18 to Dec '18

- **Engagement:** Based on Engagement for CY2019
- **Clinical Quality:** 15 of 23 Practices
Achieved 48+ Points Out of 60

Final 2018 Results Are In!
[Click here to view your practice's Final 2018 Incentive Performance.](#)



TIP: Review the [CHN Quality Improvement Tool Kit](#) to review and access quality improvement strategies and insights for all CHN incentive measures!

Children's Mercy CAPS – Join CHN Staff for a CHN Luncheon on Thursday, September 19th!

The 2019 Clinical Advances in Pediatrics Symposium (CAPS) will be held September 18-20. CAPS is focused on sharing the latest advances in evidence-based pediatric practice to improve the quality of children's health care.

Sessions emphasize the [practical application](#) of current concepts which can be applied at your practice and provides an opportunity to earn continuing medical education credits.



[Click here](#) to register and learn more about CAPS.

All CHN providers are invited to attend a networking lunch with CHN staff! Come to learn about the network, explore CHN quality & cost improvement resources, and connect with other CHN practices. We look forward to seeing you there!

Thursday, September 19, 12:15 – 1:25pm

Children's Mercy Park - Ivy Investments Executive Lounge

Please RSVP to Morgan Berger at mberger@cmics.org.



CHN Awarded the 'Kansas Leadership in Quality Award'!

On May 10th, CHN was awarded the 'Kansas Leadership in Quality Award' at the Summit on Quality 2019 in Wichita, KS. This award is presented annually to health care providers and health care organizations to recognize leadership and innovation in quality improvement and patient safety. Nominations are judged by an independent peer organization outside Kansas and are based on the following criteria:

Leadership, Patient-Centeredness, Process Measurement, Resource Management, Community/Population Health, and Culture Change.

[Click here to read CHN's 'Kansas Leadership in Quality Award' nomination!](#)



In recognition of each CHN practice's contribution to the award, practices were awarded Kansas Leadership in Quality Award replica trophies at the July CHN Clinical Quality Committee meeting. Thank you to all CHN Providers/ Care Teams & CMICS staff that have contributed to our success!

[Click here to view a Kansas Healthcare Collaborative article featuring CHN's story and success that led to the 2019 Leadership in Quality Award!](#)

New Proposed 2020 Cost & Utilization Performance Measures

The CHN committee is committed to implementing new cost and utilization performance measures for the 2020 incentive model. As the network focuses on these two measures, there will be a strong emphasis on shared learning and collaboration.

Network striving to bring meaningful cost & utilization measures into the incentive model.

Proposed 2020 Cost & Utilization Performance Measures

- Risk Adjusted Avoidable ED Visits / 1000 [Non-Emergent]
- Risk Adjusted Admissions / 1000 [Non-Newborn & Non-Deliveries]

[Click here](#) to learn more about these proposed cost & utilization performance measures.

[Click here](#) to view your practice's current performance on the proposed cost & utilization performance measures.

Quarterly CHN Clinical Integration Quality & Engagement Report

[Click here](#) to view the CHN Clinical Integration Quality & Engagement Report! Performance based on measurement period from March 2018 through February 2019 | Includes all patients regardless of payer.

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