

Top Takeaways from the January 2018 CHN Committee Meeting

Updated Blue KC Medical Home Program – What Measures are Included for 2018 and What's It Worth!?

The Blue KC program has had some important updates for 2018, including:

- Patient Experience and PCMH Performance are no longer incentive measures. Both categories are now assumed and expected requirements for participation.
- Incentives have increased focused on Clinical Quality and Cost/Utilization Performance

**PERFORMANCE IN 2018 ON THE LISTED MEASURES
DETERMINES OUR NETWORK'S INCENTIVE PAYMENT BEGINNING IN JULY, 2019.**

What Measures Are Included and What are they Worth?

**** Your Practice's Baseline Performance on All Measures is Targeted to Be Available in February 2018****
[Measure goals are listed in brackets.]

Maximum PBI Multiplier	Estimated Maximum CHN Incentive	
2.0	\$1.3 million	<p>Clinical Quality Measures -- 6 Required "Core" Measures</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 15 Month Well-Child Visits (6+ visits by 15 months) [>85.27%] • 3-6 Year Old Well-Child Visits (1 well visit per year) [>82.70%] • Weight Assessment & Counseling (Annual BMI Percentile Screening - Ages 3-17) [>71.00%] • Inappropriate Treatment (i.e. dispensed an antibiotic) for URI [<8.50%] • HPV Vaccination (2 dose series at least 6 months apart by 13th birthday) [>14.13%] • Medication Management for Asthma (at least 75%, 12-18 Years Old) [>36.54%] <p>Clinical Quality Measures – Menu Incentive Measures (CHN to Pick 3 by October 31st, 2018)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adolescent Well-Care Visits (1 well visit per year) [>53.6%] • Chlamydia Screening (1 test of sexually active women, 16-20 Years Old) [>33.06%] • Pharyngitis -- Appropriate Testing for Children (received group A strep tests 3-18 Years Old) [>88.00%] • ADHD - Follow-Up Care for Children Prescribed ADHD Medication (6-12 Years Old) [>44.00%] • Medication Management for Asthma (at least 75%, 5-11 Years Old) [>40.74%] <p><i>Green Text: New Measures for 2018</i></p>
~2.3	\$1.4 million	<p>Cost / Resource Utilization</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> $\frac{[\text{Blue KC PCMH Cohort Mean Risk Adjusted Total Cost PMPM}]}{[\text{Practice Risk Adjusted Total Cost PMPM}]}$ </div> <p>**Practices with ratio of 0.80 or less will receive 0 multiplier points</p> <p><i>CHN will continue to work closely with practices to evaluate strategies and tactics to improve this measure throughout 2018.</i></p>
~4.3	\$2.7 million	<p>Please support efforts within your practice to improve performance on these measures.</p>

Meet Children's Health Network's Embedded Care Coordinator – Here to Support Your Cigna Patients!

As part of CHN's new Cigna value based agreement, our network must staff a registered nurse care coordinator for every 10,000 patients (the CHN Cigna Agreement includes ~12-15k patients). Please welcome Alice Criger as she assumes this role, including the following responsibilities and services to support your practice.

- **PCP Practice Coordination:** Alice will help facilitate collaboration and coordination between patients, practice, and Cigna programs (if applicable) for more effective care.
- **Ongoing Referral and Coordination with Cigna:** On Disease Management, High Risk Patient Care Plans, etc.
- **Transitions of Care:** Alice will support post inpatient discharge follow up, medication reconciliation, etc.



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Please welcome and support Alice as she works with your practice to care for Cigna patients!

Information Overload! What Payer Incentive Measures are Included for Which Payer? What are the Measure Definitions!?

CHN INCENTIVE QUALITY MEASURES BY PAYER

Blue Cross Blue Shield

Core Measures

1. 15 Month Well-Child Visits (6+ visits)
2. 3-6 Year Old Well-Child Visits
3. HPV Immunization*
4. Weight Assessment - BMI Percentile*
5. Inappropriate Treatment for URI
6. Medication Management for People with Asthma (>=75%; Ages 12-18)

Menu Measures (Pick 3; Selection in Mid 2018)

1. Follow Up Care for ADHD Medication Management
2. Adolescent Well-Care Visits
3. Appropriate Testing for Pharyngitis
4. Chlamydia Screening*
5. Medication Management for People with Asthma (>=75%; Ages 5-11)

*Double-weighted measures

Aetna

1. 15 Month Well-Child Visits (6+ visits)
2. 3-6 Year Old Well-Child Visits
3. Adolescent Well-Care Visits
4. Age 13 Immunization Combo (Tdap, MCV, HPV)
5. Appropriate Treatment for URI
6. Appropriate Testing for Pharyngitis
7. Weight Assessment - BMI Percentile
8. Depression Screening (non-incentive)

Cigna

1. 15 Month Well-Child Visits (6+ visits)
2. Adolescent Well-Care Visits
3. Appropriate Treatment for URI
4. Appropriate Testing for Pharyngitis
5. Generic Dispensing Rate (Medication)
6. Chlamydia Screening

[Click here](#) for the more detailed quality measures definitions for all measures listed above.

**Two New Payer Incentive Measures Highlighted
During January's CHN Clinical Quality Committee Meeting**

[Click here](#) to view a brief slide deck on the definition of "Appropriate Testing for Pharyngitis".

New for Blue KC, Aetna, and Cigna for 2018

[Click here](#) to view a brief slide deck on the definition of "Medication Management for Children with Asthma".

New Blue KC Measure for 2018

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