PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER

QUALITY IMPROVEMENT NEWSLETTER





PCP QIP 3RD QUARTER MEASURE FOCUS:

- Immunization for Adolescents
- Breast Cancer Screening
- Cervical Cancer Screening
- Diabetes Management: Retinal Eye exam
- Colorectal Cancer Screening

Abridged 2024 PCP QIP Specifications are available on our website: Click Here

Detailed 2024 PCP QIP Specifications are available in eReports

PCP QIP PAYMENT 2023 TOP PEFORMERS:

The measurement year (MY) 2023 payment was successfully sent out April 30, 2024. Due to your efforts, we were able to award approximately \$38.5 million dollars in incentive dollars across the PCP QIP provider network. This was an additional half million dollars awarded to the provider network due to their strengthened QIP efforts. We appreciate all of your hard work towards providing quality care to our members. Congratulations to all!

In recognition of your MY2023 efforts, we would like to announce our Top Performers who have demonstrated exceptional performance in the PCP QIP:

- Community Medical Center Dixon, Community Medical Centers
- Ole Health St. Helena. Ole Health DBA CommuniCare+Ole
- Petaluma Health Center
- Winters Health Care Foundation
- Davis Community Clinic, Ole Health DBA CommuniCare+Ole
- Eureka Community Health Center, Open Door Community Health Center
- Sonoma Plaza Pediatrics Medical Group
- Ole Health Pear Tree Ln, Ole Health DBA CommuniCare+Ole

Important Program Reminders and Updates:

- MY2024 PCP QIP Recorded Webinars including Program, eReports & PQD Kick-Off can be accessed HERE
- PCP QIP Equity Adjustment Recorded Webinars and Specifications Manual can be accessed HERE

- Electronic Clinical Data Systems (ECDS) is a Unit of Service (UOS) measure.
 - For the 2024 measurement year, the ECDS measure has changed and will no longer include the HEDIS Primary Source Verification (PSV) process. Instead, providers will be required to contract with DataLink - a qualified HEDIS data aggregator, to qualify for the 2024 incentive. MY2024 ECDS Requirements:
 - Signed agreement with DataLink by September 30, 2024 (Full Incentive \$2,000) or between October 1, 2024 – December 31, 2024 (Partial Incentive \$1,000)
 - DataLink receives successful HEDIS data abstraction from EMR by October 31, 2024 (additional Incentive \$3,000)
 - The ECDS measure is also included in the Perinatal QIP. If your Parent Organization participates in both the PCP and Perinatal QIP, your PO will only qualify for the ECDS incentive for one program
 - On September 4, 2024 the MY2024 ECDS Kickoff Webinar was held. During this webinar changes to the Electronic Clinical Data Systems (ECDS) measure were reviewed in detail with the QIP team, HEDIS team, Dr. Robert Moore and the DataLink team. It is crucial that your Quality staff along with your Parent Organization's IT Admin staff review the webinar recording and presentation, if you were not able to attend. The webinar recording and presentation have been posted to our website and can be found HERE. Next steps:
 - Notify the PCP QIP via email of your intention to sign an agreement with DataLink include your organizations point of contact information and name of your EMR. Please email to gip@partnershiphp.org
 - Datalink will coordinate on-boarding meetings for all providers with signed agreement. These on-boarding meetings will be coordinated by EMR type and include the DataLink, HEDIS and QIP teams.
- PCP QIP Contacts If you have **not** recently updated your organization/site's PCP QIP
 Primary contact information or if you would like to add staff to our distribution list,
 please reach out to our <u>QIP inbox</u>.

eREPORTS UPLOAD SCHEDULE:

CLINICAL MEASUREMENT SET:

Cervical Cancer Screening		
Childhood Immunization Status - Combo 10	Mar 01, 2024 - JAN 31, 2025	
Comprehensive Diabetes Care - Retinal Eye Exams		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Lead Screening in Children *New		
Immunizations for Adolescents - Combination 2		
Comprehensive Diabetes Care - HbA1c Control (A1c)		
Controlling High Blood Pressure	OCT 01, 2024 - JAN 31, 2025	
Well-Child Visits in the First 15 Months of Life		
Breast Cancer Screening	JAN 09, 2025 - JAN 31, 2025	
Child and Adolescent Well Care Visits	JAN 09, 2025 - JAN 31, 2026	

^{***}Schedule is not applicable to Expansion Providers

eREPORTS AND PQD UPDATE SCHEDULE:

SYSTEM	FREQUENCY	DAYS	NOTES
eReports	Biweekly	Tuesday	Update occurs during business hours. The QIP
		Thursday	team recommends uploading before Noon or use
			Monday and Wednesday as upload days.
PQD	Monthly	10th of the month	Prior month data displayed.

UPCOMING TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES:

Partnership Improvement Academy Trainings

ABCs of Quality Improvement
Save the Dates

Thursday, November 7, 2024 - Fairfield Thursday, January 30, 2025 - Ukiah Spring 2025 - Redding

ABCs of Quality Improvement (QI) Fairfield, presented by Partnership Improvement Academy

The ABCs of Quality Improvement (QI) is a one day in person training designed to teach you the basic principles of quality improvement.

During this training, participants will learn concepts behind:

- Introduction to Quality Improvement and the Model for Improvement
- Learn how to create an Aim statement (project goal)
- Learn how to use data to measure quality and drive improvement
- Tips for developing change ideas for improvement
- Testing changes via the Plan-Do-Study-Act cycle

Who Should Attend? This course is designed for clinicians, practice managers, quality improvement team members, and staff who are responsible for participating and leading quality improvement efforts within their organization.

Date: Thursday, November 7, 2024

Time: 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Location: Partnership HealthPlan of California

4605 Business Center Drive, Fairfield

Registration of FREE



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Registration and light breakfast from 8 – 8:30 a.m. Lunch will be provided

Registration is free and details for the November session will be posted soon to Partnership's website.

Email questions to improvementacademy@partnershiphp.org

^{*}Application for CME credit has been filed with the American Academy of Family Physicians. Determination of credit is pending. **Application for CE credit has been filed with the California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider Number CEP16728. Determination of credit is pending

Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention

Webinar: Update on Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention: Counseling, Screening, and management for Children Potentially Exposed to Lead

Date and time: September 16, 2024, Noon – 1:30 p.m.

To register: Click Here

Intended Audience: Pediatricians, neonatologists, critical care, emergency medicine, residents, hospitalists, family practice, PAs, NPs, nurses, first responders, and all other interested clinical groups.

Education objectives:

- Describe the scope, risk factors, clinical effects, management, and treatment of childhood lead exposure.
- Identify cultural risk factors for lead exposure and children in all socioeconomic groups who may be at risk for lead exposure.
- Explain California's Childhood Lead Screening statutes and regulations, provider mandates, and the role of anticipatory guidance in preventing childhood lead exposure.
- Outline health and environmental interventions for children with lead exposure and services provided by the state of California and local Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Programs.

Please take a pre-test using the QR code or link below:



https://forms.office.com/g/F1Rcwv7ahU

The AAFP has reviewed Update on The Prevention of Childhood Lead Poisoning: Why Physicians Should Counsel on Lead and Screen for Lead Exposure, and deemed it acceptable for AAFP credit (up to 1.50 Prescribed credit). Term of approval is from 02/22/2024 to 02/21/2025. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Partnership HealthPlan of California is an approved Continuing Educated Provider (CEP16728) by the California Board of Registered Nursing, for 1.50 contact hours.				