

Texas Managed Care Program Features, as of 2018 (1 of 3)

Features	STAR Health	STAR	STAR Kids
Program type	Comprehensive MCO	Comprehensive MCO	Comprehensive MCO + MLTSS
Statewide or region-specific?	Statewide	Statewide	Statewide
Federal operating authority	1915(a)	1115(a) (Medicaid demonstration waivers)	1115(a) (Medicaid demonstration waivers), 1915(b)/1915(c), 1945 Health Homes
Program start date	04/01/2008	12/11/2011	11/01/2016
Waiver expiration date (if applicable)		09/30/2022	09/30/2022
If the program ended in 2018, indicate the end date			
Populations enrolled: Low-income adults <u>not covered</u> under ACA Section VIII (excludes pregnant women and people with disabilities)		Mandatory	
Populations enrolled: Low-income adults <u>covered</u> under ACA Section VIII (excludes pregnant women and people with disabilities)			
Populations enrolled: Aged, Blind or Disabled Children or Adults		Mandatory	Mandatory
Populations enrolled: Non-Disabled Children (excludes children in foster care or receiving adoption assistance)		Mandatory	
Populations enrolled: Individuals receiving Limited Benefits (excludes partial duals)			
Populations enrolled: Full Duals	Voluntary		Mandatory
Populations enrolled: Partial Duals			
Populations enrolled: Children with Special Health Care Needs		Mandatory	
Populations enrolled: Native American/Alaskan Natives	Voluntary	Voluntary	Voluntary

Features	STAR Health	STAR	STAR Kids
Populations enrolled: Foster Care and Adoption Assistance Children	Mandatory	Mandatory	Mandatory
Populations enrolled: Enrollment choice period	Other	15 days	15 days
Populations enrolled: Enrollment broker name (if applicable)	MAXIMUS	MAXIMUS	MAXIMUS
Populations enrolled: Notes on enrollment choice period	Members are auto-enrolled by the enrollment broker		
Benefits covered: Inpatient hospital physical health	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Inpatient hospital behavioral health (MH and/or SUD)	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Outpatient hospital physical health	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Outpatient hospital behavioral health (MH and/or SUD)	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Partial hospitalization	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Physician	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Nurse practitioner	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Rural health clinics and FQHCs	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Clinic services	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Lab and x-ray	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Prescription drugs	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Prosthetic devices	X	X	X
Benefits covered: EPSDT	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Case management	X	X	X
Benefits covered: SSA Section 1945-authorized health home			X

Features	STAR Health	STAR	STAR Kids
Benefits covered: Health home care (services in home)			X
Benefits covered: Family planning	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Dental services (medical/surgical)	X		X
Benefits covered: Dental (preventative or corrective)	X		X
Benefits covered: Personal care (state plan option)	X		X
Benefits covered: HCBS waiver services			X
Benefits covered: Private duty nursing	X	X	X
Benefits covered: ICF-IDD			X
Benefits covered: Nursing facility services			X
Benefits covered: Hospice care	X		X
Benefits covered: Non-Emergency Medical Transportation	X		X
Benefits covered: Institution for Mental Disease inpatient treatment for people ages 21-64 defined by 42 CFR §438.6(e) as an 'in lieu of' benefit			
Benefits covered: Other (e.g., nurse midwife services, freestanding birth centers, podiatry, etc.)	Diagnostic services, podiatrist services, medical supplies, non-prescription drugs, eye glasses, preventive services, nurse midwife services, and pediatric or family nurse practitioner services	Diagnostic services, podiatrist services, medical supplies, non-prescription drugs, eye glasses, preventive services, nurse midwife services, and pediatric or family nurse practitioner services	Diagnostic services, podiatrist services, medical supplies, non-prescription drugs, eye glasses, preventive services, nurse midwife services, and pediatric or family nurse practitioner services
Quality assurance and improvement: HEDIS data required?	Yes	Yes	Yes
Quality assurance and improvement: CAHPS data required?	Yes	Yes	Yes
Quality assurance and improvement: Accreditation required?	No, but accreditation considered in plan selection criteria	No, but accreditation considered in plan selection criteria	No, but accreditation considered in plan selection criteria

Features	STAR Health	STAR	STAR Kids
Quality assurance and improvement: Accrediting organization	NCQA, URAC	NCQA, URAC	NCQA, URAC
Quality assurance and improvement: EQRO contractor name (if applicable)	Institute for Child Health Policy	Institute for Child Health Policy	Institute for Child Health Policy
Performance incentives: Payment bonuses/differentials to reward plans	X		
Performance incentives: Preferential auto-enrollment to reward plans			
Performance incentives: Public reports comparing plan performance on key metrics		X	X
Performance incentives: Withholds tied to performance metrics			
Performance incentives: MCOs/PHPs required or encouraged to pay providers for value/quality outcomes	X	X	X
Participating plans: Plans in Program	Superior HealthPlan	Amerigroup Texas, Inc.; Superior Health Plan, Inc.; El Paso Health Plans, Inc., dba El Paso Health; Aetna Better Health of Texas, Inc.; Community First Health Plans, Inc.; UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company, dba United Healthcare Community Plan; Texas Children's Health Plan, Inc.; Molina Healthcare of Texas, Inc.; Driscoll Children's Health Plan; Parkland Community Health Plan, Inc.; Cook Children's Health Plan; Community First Health Plans, Inc.; Seton Health Plan, Inc., dba Dell Children's Health Plan; Health Care Service Corp. (dba Blue Cross Blue Shield); SHA. LLC, dba FirstCare Health Plans; Scott & White Health Plan	Amerigroup Insurance Company; Superior HealthPlan, Inc.; Aetna Better Health of Texas Inc.; Community First Health Plans, Inc.; UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company, dba United Healthcare Community Plan; Texas Children's Health Plan, Inc.; Driscoll Children's Health Plan; Cook Children's Health Plan; Health Care Service Corporation DBA Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas (BCBSTX); Children's Medical Center Health Plan

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Notes: Program notes	Enrollment in the STAR Health Program is voluntary for the following population categories: 1) Children and young adults in DFPS conservatorship; 2) Emancipated minors or members age 18-22 who voluntarily agree to continue in foster placement; 3) Young adults age 18-21 who have exited care and are participating in the Medicaid for Transitional Foster Care Youth (MTFCY) or Former Foster Care Children (FFCC) program.	STAR population also includes pregnant women. Dental benefits covered by the STAR program are administered by Dental Maintenance Organizations.	1115 and 1915 (c) waivers are applied to this program.

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Features	STAR+PLUS	Children's Medicaid Dental Services	PACE
Program type	Comprehensive MCO + MLTSS	Dental only (PAHP)	Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE)
Statewide or region-specific?	Statewide	Statewide	Statewide
Federal operating authority	1115(a) (Medicaid demonstration waivers)	1115(a) (Medicaid demonstration waivers)	PACE
Program start date	12/11/2011	12/11/2011	06/01/2001
Waiver expiration date (if applicable)	09/30/2022	09/30/2022	
If the program ended in 2018, indicate the end date			
Populations enrolled: Low-income adults <u>not covered</u> under ACA Section VIII (excludes pregnant women and people with disabilities)			
Populations enrolled: Low-income adults <u>covered</u> under ACA Section VIII (excludes pregnant women and people with disabilities)			
Populations enrolled: Aged, Blind or Disabled Children or Adults	Mandatory	Mandatory	Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Non-Disabled Children (excludes children in foster care or receiving adoption assistance)		Mandatory	
Populations enrolled: Individuals receiving Limited Benefits (excludes partial duals)			
Populations enrolled: Full Duals	Mandatory		Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Partial Duals			Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Children with Special Health Care Needs			
Populations enrolled: Native American/Alaskan Natives	Voluntary	Voluntary	Voluntary

Features	STAR+PLUS	Children's Medicaid Dental Services	PACE
Populations enrolled: Foster Care and Adoption Assistance Children		Exempt	Exempt
Populations enrolled: Enrollment choice period	15 days	15 days	N/A
Populations enrolled: Enrollment broker name (if applicable)	MAXIMUS	MAXIMUS	
Populations enrolled: Notes on enrollment choice period			
Benefits covered: Inpatient hospital physical health	X		X
Benefits covered: Inpatient hospital behavioral health (MH and/or SUD)	X		X
Benefits covered: Outpatient hospital physical health	X		X
Benefits covered: Outpatient hospital behavioral health (MH and/or SUD)	X		X
Benefits covered: Partial hospitalization			X
Benefits covered: Physician	X		X
Benefits covered: Nurse practitioner	X		X
Benefits covered: Rural health clinics and FQHCs	X		X
Benefits covered: Clinic services	X		X
Benefits covered: Lab and x-ray	X		X
Benefits covered: Prescription drugs	X		X
Benefits covered: Prosthetic devices	X		X
Benefits covered: EPSDT		X	
Benefits covered: Case management	X		X
Benefits covered: SSA Section 1945-authorized health home			

Features	STAR+PLUS	Children's Medicaid Dental Services	PACE
Benefits covered: Health home care (services in home)			X
Benefits covered: Family planning	X		
Benefits covered: Dental services (medical/surgical)	X		X
Benefits covered: Dental (preventative or corrective)		X	X
Benefits covered: Personal care (state plan option)	X		X
Benefits covered: HCBS waiver services	X		X
Benefits covered: Private duty nursing			X
Benefits covered: ICF-IDD			
Benefits covered: Nursing facility services	X		X
Benefits covered: Hospice care	X		X
Benefits covered: Non-Emergency Medical Transportation	X		X
Benefits covered: Institution for Mental Disease inpatient treatment for people ages 21-64 defined by 42 CFR §438.6(e) as an 'in lieu of' benefit			

Features	STAR+PLUS	Children's Medicaid Dental Services	PACE
Benefits covered: Other (e.g., nurse midwife services, freestanding birth centers, podiatry, etc.)	Diagnostic services, podiatrist services, medical supplies, non-prescription drugs, eye glasses, preventive services, nurse midwife services, and pediatric or family nurse practitioner services		Adult day care/adult foster care, nursing, restorative therapies: physical, occupational, and recreational therapies, meals and nutrition counseling, social work/social services, medical supplies/adaptive aids and minor home modifications, transportation to and from medical appointments, medical specialists, such as audiology, dentistry, optometry, podiatry, speech therapy, respite care, Medical care provided by a PACE physician familiar with the history, needs, and preferences of each participant
Quality assurance and improvement: HEDIS data required?	Yes	Yes	No
Quality assurance and improvement: CAHPS data required?	Yes	Yes	No
Quality assurance and improvement: Accreditation required?	No, but accreditation considered in plan selection criteria	No, but accreditation considered in plan selection criteria	No
Quality assurance and improvement: Accrediting organization	NCQA, URAC	NCQA, URAC	
Quality assurance and improvement: EQRO contractor name (if applicable)	Institute for Child Health Policy	Institute for Child Health Policy	
Performance incentives: Payment bonuses/differentials to reward plans	X	X	
Performance incentives: Preferential auto-enrollment to reward plans			
Performance incentives: Public reports comparing plan performance on key metrics	X		
Performance incentives: Withholds tied to performance metrics	X		

Features	STAR+PLUS	Children's Medicaid Dental Services	PACE
Performance incentives: MCOs/PHPs required or encouraged to pay providers for value/quality outcomes	X	X	
Participating plans: Plans in Program	Amerigroup Texas, Inc.; Superior HealthPlan, Inc; UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company, dba United Healthcare Community Plan; Molina Healthcare of Texas, Inc.; HealthSpring Life & Health Insurance Co., Inc.	MCNA Insurance Company; DentaQuest USA Insurance Company, Inc.	Bienvivir Senior Health Services (El Paso); Silver Star Health Network (Lubbock); Werner (Amarillo)
Notes: Program notes			

Texas Managed Care Program Features, as of 2018 (3 of 3)

Features	Medical Transportation Program
Program type	Non-Emergency Medical Transportation
Statewide or region-specific?	Statewide
Federal operating authority	1915(b)
Program start date	09/01/2014
Waiver expiration date (if applicable)	03/31/2022
If the program ended in 2018, indicate the end date	
Populations enrolled: Low-income adults <u>not covered</u> under ACA Section VIII (excludes pregnant women and people with disabilities)	Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Low-income adults <u>covered</u> under ACA Section VIII (excludes pregnant women and people with disabilities)	
Populations enrolled: Aged, Blind or Disabled Children or Adults	Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Non-Disabled Children (excludes children in foster care or receiving adoption assistance)	Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Individuals receiving Limited Benefits (excludes partial duals)	Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Full Duals	Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Partial Duals	Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Children with Special Health Care Needs	Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Native American/Alaskan Natives	Voluntary

Features	Medical Transportation Program
Populations enrolled: Foster Care and Adoption Assistance Children	
Populations enrolled: Enrollment choice period	Pre-assigned
Populations enrolled: Enrollment broker name (if applicable)	
Populations enrolled: Notes on enrollment choice period	
Benefits covered: Inpatient hospital physical health	
Benefits covered: Inpatient hospital behavioral health (MH and/or SUD)	
Benefits covered: Outpatient hospital physical health	
Benefits covered: Outpatient hospital behavioral health (MH and/or SUD)	
Benefits covered: Partial hospitalization	
Benefits covered: Physician	
Benefits covered: Nurse practitioner	
Benefits covered: Rural health clinics and FQHCs	
Benefits covered: Clinic services	
Benefits covered: Lab and x-ray	
Benefits covered: Prescription drugs	
Benefits covered: Prosthetic devices	
Benefits covered: EPSDT	
Benefits covered: Case management	
Benefits covered: SSA Section 1945-authorized health home	

Features	Medical Transportation Program
Benefits covered: Health home care (services in home)	
Benefits covered: Family planning	
Benefits covered: Dental services (medical/surgical)	
Benefits covered: Dental (preventative or corrective)	
Benefits covered: Personal care (state plan option)	
Benefits covered: HCBS waiver services	
Benefits covered: Private duty nursing	
Benefits covered: ICF-IDD	
Benefits covered: Nursing facility services	
Benefits covered: Hospice care	
Benefits covered: Non-Emergency Medical Transportation	X
Benefits covered: Institution for Mental Disease inpatient treatment for people ages 21-64 defined by 42 CFR §438.6(e) as an 'in lieu of' benefit	
Benefits covered: Other (e.g., nurse midwife services, freestanding birth centers, podiatry, etc.)	
Quality assurance and improvement: HEDIS data required?	No
Quality assurance and improvement: CAHPS data required?	No
Quality assurance and improvement: Accreditation required?	No
Quality assurance and improvement: Accrediting organization	

Features	Medical Transportation Program
Quality assurance and improvement: EQRO contractor name (if applicable)	
Performance incentives: Payment bonuses/differentials to reward plans	
Performance incentives: Preferential auto-enrollment to reward plans	
Performance incentives: Public reports comparing plan performance on key metrics	
Performance incentives: Withholds tied to performance metrics	
Performance incentives: MCOs/PHPs required or encouraged to pay providers for value/quality outcomes	
Participating plans: Plans in Program	American Medical Response; LogistiCare; Medical Transportation Management; Project Armistad
Notes: Program notes	Based on the client's county of residence, the client is assigned to the single broker in the region.