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2017 Core Set of Maternal and Perinatal Health Measures for Medicaid and CHIP (Maternity Core Set)

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To support CMS’s maternity-focused efforts, CMS identified a core set of 12 maternity measures for voluntary reporting by state Medicaid and CHIP agencies. This Core Set, which consists of 8 measures from CMS’s Child Core Set and 4 measures from the Adult Core Set, will be used by CMS to measure and evaluate progress toward improvement.

NQF #	CMS Measure Set	Measure Steward	Measure Name
0139	Child Core	CDC	Pediatric Central Line-Associated Bloodstream Infections (CLABSI-CH)
0469/2829*	Adult Core	TJC	PC-01: Elective Delivery (PC01-AD)
0471	Child Core	TJC	PC-02: Cesarean Section (PC02-CH)
0476	Adult Core	TJC	PC-03: Antenatal Steroids (PC03-AD)
1382	Child Core	CDC	Live Births Weighing Less than 2,500 Grams (LBW-CH)
1392	Child Core	NCQA	Well-Child Visits in the First 15 Months of Life (W15-CH)
2902	Child Core	OPA	Contraceptive Care – Postpartum Women Ages 15-20 (CCP-CH)*
2902	Adult Core	OPA	Contraceptive Care – Postpartum Women Ages 21-44 (CCP-AD)*
NA	Child Core	AMA-PCPI	Behavioral Health Risk Assessment (for Pregnant Women) (BHRA-CH)
NA	Child Core	NCQA	Frequency of Ongoing Prenatal Care (FPC-CH)
NA	Child Core	NCQA	Timeliness of Prenatal Care (PPC-CH)
NA	Adult Core	NCQA	Postpartum Care Rate (PPC-AD)

\* This measure was added to the 2017 Adult Core Set. More information on 2017 Updates to the Child and Adult Core Health Care Quality Measurement Sets is available at <https://www.medicaid.gov/federal-policy-guidance/downloads/cib120516.pdf>.

AMA-PCPI = American Medical Association-Physician Consortium for Performance Improvement; CDC = Centers for Disease Control and Prevention; CHIP = Children’s Health Insurance Program; CMS = Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services; NA = Measure is not NQF endorsed; NCQA = National Committee for Quality Assurance; NQF = National Quality Forum; OPA = U.S. Office of Population Affairs; TJC = The Joint Commission.

The complete list of 2017 Child Core Set measures is available at <https://www.medicaid.gov/medicaid/quality-of-care/downloads/2017-child-core-set.pdf>

The complete list of 2017 Adult Core Set measures is available at <https://www.medicaid.gov/medicaid/quality-of-care/downloads/2017-adult-core-set.pdf>

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