

FRAMEWORK FOR THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CHILDREN'S HEALTH INSURANCE PLANS UNDER TITLE XXI OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Preamble

Section 2108(a) and Section 2108(e) of the Social Security Act (the Act) provide that each state and territory* must assess the operation of its state child health plan in each federal fiscal year and report to the Secretary, by January 1 following the end of the federal fiscal year, on the results of the assessment. In addition, this section of the Act provides that the state must assess the progress made in reducing the number of uncovered, low-income children. The state is out of compliance with CHIP statute and regulations if the report is not submitted by January 1. The state is also out of compliance if any section of this report relevant to the state's program is incomplete.

The framework is designed to:

- Recognize the **diversity** of state approaches to CHIP and allow states **flexibility** to highlight key accomplishments and progress of their CHIP programs, **AND**
- Provide **consistency** across states in the structure, content, and format of the report, **AND**
- Build on data **already collected** by CMS quarterly enrollment and expenditure reports, **AND**
- Enhance **accessibility** of information to stakeholders on the achievements under Title XXI

The CHIP Annual Report Template System (CARTS) is organized as follows:

- Section I: Snapshot of CHIP Programs and Changes
- Section II: Program's Performance Measurement and Progress
- Section III: Assessment of State Plan and Program Operation
- Section IV: Program Financing for State Plan
- Section V: Program Challenges and Accomplishments

* - When "state" is referenced throughout this template it is defined as either a state or a territory.

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State/Territory: AK

Name of State/Territory

The following Annual Report is submitted in compliance with Title XXI of the Social Security Act (Section 2108(a) and Section 2108(e)).

Signature: Barbara F. Hale

CHIP Program Name(s): All, Denali KidCare

CHIP Program Type:

- CHIP Medicaid Expansion Only
- Separate Child Health Program Only
- Combination of the above

Reporting Period: 2017 (Note: Federal Fiscal Year 2017 starts 10/1/2016 and ends 9/30/2017)

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(Due to your CMS Regional Contact and Central Office Project Officer by January 1st of each year)

Section I. Snapshot of CHIP Program and Changes

- 1) To provide a summary at-a-glance of your CHIP program, please provide the following information. If you would like to make any comments on your responses, please explain in narrative below this table.

Provide an assurance that your state's CHIP program eligibility criteria as set forth in the CHIP state plan in section 4, inclusive of PDF pages related to Modified Adjusted Gross Income eligibility, is accurate as of the date of this report.

Please note that the numbers in brackets, e.g., [500] are character limits in the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) Annual Report Template System (CARTS). You will not be able to enter responses with characters greater than the limit indicated in the brackets.

CHIP Medicaid Expansion Program

Upper % of FPL (federal poverty level) fields are defined as Up to and Including

Does your program require premiums or an enrollment fee? NO YES N/A

Enrollment fee amount:

Premium fee amount:

If premiums are tiered by FPL, please breakout by FPL.

Premium Amount From (\$)	Premium Amount To (\$)	From % of FPL	Up to % of FPL

Yearly Maximum Premium Amount per Family: \$

If premiums are tiered by FPL, please breakout by FPL.

Premium Amount From (\$)	Premium Amount To (\$)	From % of FPL	Up to % of FPL

If yes, briefly explain fee structure: [500]

Which delivery system(s) does your program use?

- Managed Care
- Primary Care Case Management
- Fee for Service

Please describe which groups receive which delivery system: [500]

Separate Child Health Program

Upper % of FPL (federal poverty level) fields are defined as Up to and Including

Does your program require premiums or an enrollment fee? NO YES N/A

Enrollment fee amount:

Premium fee amount:

If premiums are tiered by FPL, please breakout by FPL.

Premium Amount From (\$)	Premium Amount To (\$)	From % of FPL	Up to % of FPL

Yearly Maximum Premium Amount per Family: \$

If premiums are tiered by FPL, please breakout by FPL.

Premium Amount From (\$)	Premium Amount To (\$)	From % of FPL	Up to % of FPL

If yes, briefly explain fee structure: [500]

Which delivery system(s) does your program use?

- Managed Care
- Primary Care Case Management
- Fee for Service

Please describe which groups receive which delivery system: [500]

2) Have you made changes to any of the following policy or program areas during the reporting period? Please indicate “yes” or “no change” by marking the appropriate column.

For FFY 2017, please include only the program changes that are in addition to and/or beyond those required by the Affordable Care Act.

	Medicaid Expansion CHIP Program			Separate Child Health Program		
	Yes	No Change	N/A	Yes	No Change	N/A
a) Applicant and enrollee protections (e.g., changed from the Medicaid Fair Hearing Process to State Law)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b) Application	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c) Benefits	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
d) Cost sharing (including amounts, populations, & collection process)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
e) Crowd out policies	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
f) Delivery system	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
g) Eligibility determination process	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
h) Implementing an enrollment freeze and/or cap	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
i) Eligibility levels / target population	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
j) Eligibility redetermination process	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
k) Enrollment process for health plan selection	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
l) Outreach (e.g., decrease funds, target outreach)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
m) Premium assistance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

- n) Prenatal care eligibility expansion (Sections 457.10, 457.350(b)(2), 457.622(c)(5), and 457.626(a)(3) as described in the October 2, 2002 Final Rule)
- o) Expansion to “Lawfully Residing” children
- p) Expansion to “Lawfully Residing” pregnant women
- q) Pregnant Women state plan expansion
- r) Methods and procedures for prevention, investigation, and referral of cases of fraud and abuse
- s) Other – please specify
 - a.
 - b.
 - c.

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2) For each topic you responded “yes” to above, please explain the change and why the change was made, below:

Medicaid Expansion CHIP Program

Topic	List change and why the change was made
a) Applicant and enrollee protections (e.g., changed from the Medicaid Fair Hearing Process to State Law)	
b) Application	
c) Benefits	
d) Cost sharing (including amounts, populations, & collection process)	
e) Crowd out policies	
f) Delivery system	
g) Eligibility determination process	
h) Implementing an enrollment freeze and/or cap	

Topic	List change and why the change was made
i) Eligibility levels / target population	
j) Eligibility redetermination process	
k) Enrollment process for health plan selection	
l) Outreach	
m) Premium assistance	
n) Prenatal care eligibility expansion (Sections 457.10, 457.350(b)(2), 457.622(c)(5), and 457.626(a)(3) as described in the October 2, 2002 Final Rule)	
o) Expansion to “Lawfully Residing” children	
p) Expansion to “Lawfully Residing” pregnant women	
q) Pregnant Women State Plan Expansion	
r) Methods and procedures for prevention, investigation, and referral of cases of fraud and abuse	
s) Other – please specify	
a.	
b.	
c.	

Separate Child Health Program

Topic	List change and why the change was made
a) Applicant and enrollee protections (e.g., changed from the Medicaid Fair Hearing Process to State Law)	
b) Application	
c) Benefits	
d) Cost sharing (including amounts, populations, & collection process)	

Topic	List change and why the change was made
e) Crowd out policies	
f) Delivery system	
g) Eligibility determination process	
h) Implementing an enrollment freeze and/or cap	
i) Eligibility levels / target population	
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q) Pregnant Women State Plan Expansion	
r) Methods and procedures for prevention, investigation, and referral of cases of fraud and abuse	
s) Other – please specify	
a.	
b.	
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Enter any Narrative text related to Section I below. **[7500]**

Section II Program's Performance Measurement and Progress

This section consists of two subsections that gather information about the CHIP and/or Medicaid program. Section IIA captures your enrollment progress as well as changes in the number and/or rate of uninsured children in your state. Section IIB captures progress towards meeting your state's general strategic objectives and performance goals.

Section IIA: Enrollment And Uninsured Data

1. The information in the table below is the Unduplicated Number of Children Ever Enrolled in CHIP in your state for the two most recent reporting periods. The enrollment numbers reported below should correspond to line 7 (Unduplicated # Ever Enrolled Year) in your state's 4th quarter data report (submitted in October) in the CHIP Statistical Enrollment Data System (SEDS). The percent change column reflects the percent change in enrollment over the two-year period. If the percent change exceeds 10 percent (increase or decrease), please explain in letter A below any factors that may account for these changes (such as decreases due to elimination of outreach or increases due to program expansions). This information will be filled in automatically by CARTS through a link to SEDS. Please wait until you have an enrollment number from SEDS before you complete this response. If the information displayed in the table below is inaccurate, please make any needed updates to the data in SEDS and then refresh this page in CARTS to reflect the updated data.

Program	FFY 2016	FFY 2017	Percent change FFY 2016-2017
CHIP Medicaid Expansion Program	15662	17716	13.11
Separate Child Health Program	0	0	

- A. Please explain any factors that may account for enrollment increases or decreases exceeding 10 percent. **[7500]**

The 17,716 is a preliminary number for Medicaid children funded under CHIP for Q4 of FFY17 (ending September 30, 2017). The number does not include retroactive Medicaid enrollment, which will be reported in the SEDS by 01/31/2018 as final enrollment for Q4 FFY17.

Similar to what was reported in FFY16 CARTS, while the increase of 13% is less than the increase shown last year, it is likely attributable to the implementation of the adult Alaska Medicaid expansion under the ACA, which began in September 2015 also known as the welcome mat effect. Additionally, AK became a "determination" state with the HIM in 2015. The increase could also be related to a slight improvement in the processing of backlogged applications and renewals by the Division of Public Assistance (DPA), which determines eligibility for both Medicaid and CHIP in Alaska. While the Medicaid backlog still exists, the DPA is utilizing a business process redesign

methodology for processing cases named PathOS from the C!A (Change and Innovation Agency), which may have attributed to the reduction in Medicaid backlog.

The Denali KidCare office, where all children's applications and renewals were processed in addition to pregnant women's applications and renewals since program inception in 1999, was closed as a free standing office for only children's and pregnant women's Medicaid applications in June 2013. Staff members in the Denali KidCare office only processed children's and pregnant women's applications and no public assistance cases. Because the Eligibility Technicians could not promote easily to other positions in DPA because they were not trained to process other Medicaid and public assistance cases, DPA management thought it more efficient to close this office, convert to a DPA field office and train staff to process all Medicaid and public assistance program cases typical of all DPA field offices in Alaska. In addition, DPA leadership thought that integration of children's and pregnant women's Medicaid cases back into local DPA field offices would be more efficient for those cases that were eligible for Family Medicaid given the entire family, in this scenario, would be included in one case and the children would not be in a separate case. It is likely that it took eligibility workers in the field offices a period of time to be fully trained and up to speed in processing children's and pregnant women's Medicaid cases, which likely attributed to the backlog and thus flat enrollment for children that was experienced after Denali KidCare office closure.

2. The tables below show trends in the number and rate of uninsured children in your state. Three year averages in Table 1 are based on the Current Population Survey. The single year estimates in Table 2 are based on the American Community Survey (ACS). CARTS will fill in the single year estimates automatically, and significant changes are denoted with an asterisk (*). If your state uses an alternate data source and/or methodology for measuring change in the number and/or rate of uninsured children, please explain in Question #3. .

Table 1: Number and percent of uninsured children under age 19 below 200 percent of poverty, Current Population Survey

Period	Uninsured Children Under Age 19 Below 200 Percent of Poverty		Uninsured Children Under Age 19 Below 200 Percent of Poverty as a Percent of Total Children Under Age 19	
	Number (In Thousands)	Std. Error	Rate	Std. Error
1996 - 1998	18	3.4	8.0	1.5
1998 - 2000	17	3.3	7.7	1.5
2000 - 2002	12	2.0	5.8	1.0
2002 - 2004	12	2.0	5.9	1.0
2003 - 2005	10	2.2	5.3	1.1
2004 - 2006	9	2.0	4.9	1.1
2005 - 2007	8	2.0	4.4	1.1
2006 - 2008	9	2.0	4.8	1.1
2007 - 2009	10	2.0	5.0	1.1
2008 - 2010	11	1.0	5.7	.6

Period	Uninsured Children Under Age 19 Below 200 Percent of Poverty		Uninsured Children Under Age 19 Below 200 Percent of Poverty as a Percent of Total Children Under Age 19	
	Number (In Thousands)	Std. Error	Rate	Std. Error
2009 - 2011	12	3.0	6.1	.8
2010 - 2012	13	2.0	6.4	0

Table 2: Number and percent of uninsured children under age 19 below 200 percent of poverty, American Community Survey

Period	Uninsured Children Under Age 19 Below 200 Percent of Poverty		Uninsured Children Under Age 19 Below 200 Percent of Poverty as a Percent of Total Children Under Age 19	
	Number (In Thousands)	Margin of Error	Rate	Margin of Error
2013	7	2.0	3.8	1.0
2014	8	2.0	4.4	.9
2015	8	1.0	3.9	.7
2016	7	1.0	3.5	.7
Percent change 2015 vs. 2016	12.5%	N/A	.0%	N/A

A. Please explain any activities or factors that may account for increases or decreases in your number and/or rate of uninsured children. **[7500]**

The number of uninsured children as reported by ACS has declined and can be attributed to the same information as reported in 1.A above.

B. Please note any comments here concerning ACS data limitations that may affect the reliability or precision of these estimates. **[7500]**

AN/AI children in the ACS survey are considered as uninsured.

In reality, while IHS coverage is considered a benefit and not health insurance coverage, it is important for policy makers to remember that this benefit may lack portability across state lines and this is one of the reasons neither the CPS nor ACS survey considers the IHS benefit/coverage as health insurance. It is also the reason that AK's uninsured numbers in the CPS and ACS appear to remain higher than most states.

3. Please indicate by checking the box below whether your state has an alternate data source and/or methodology for measuring the change in the number and/or rate of uninsured children.

Yes (please report your data in the table below)

No (skip to Question #4)

Please report your alternate data in the table below. Data are required for two or more points in time to demonstrate change (or lack of change). Please be as specific and detailed as possible about the method used to measure progress toward covering the uninsured.

Topic	Description
Data source(s)	
Reporting period (2 or more points in time)	
Methodology	
Population (Please include ages and income levels)	
Sample sizes	
Number and/or rate for two or more points in time	
Statistical significance of results	

A. Please explain why your state chose to adopt a different methodology to measure changes in the number and/or rate of uninsured children.

[7500]

B. What is your state's assessment of the reliability of the estimate? Please provide standard errors, confidence intervals, and/or p-values if available.

[7500]

C. What are the limitations of the data or estimation methodology?

[7500]

D. How does your state use this alternate data source in CHIP program planning?

[7500]

Enter any Narrative text related to Section IIA below. **[7500]**

Section IIB: State Strategic Objectives And Performance Goals

This subsection gathers information on your state's general strategic objectives, performance goals, performance measures and progress towards meeting goals, as specified in your CHIP state plan. (If your goals reported in the annual report now differ from Section 9 of your CHIP state plan, please indicate how they differ in "Other Comments on Measure." Also, the state plan should be amended to reconcile these differences). The format of this section provides your state with an opportunity to track progress over time. This section contains templates for reporting performance measurement data for each of five categories of strategic objectives, related to:

- Reducing the number of uninsured children
- CHIP enrollment
- Medicaid enrollment
- Increasing access to care
- Use of preventative care (immunizations, well child care)

Please report performance measurement data for the three most recent years for which data are available (to the extent that data are available). In the first two columns, data from the previous two years' annual reports (FFY 2015 and FFY 2016) will be populated with data from previously reported data in CARTS. If you reported data in the two previous years' reports and you want to update/change the data, please enter that data. If you reported no data for either of those two years, but you now have data available for them, please enter the data. In the third column, please report the most recent data available at the time you are submitting the current annual report (FFY 2017).

In this section, the term performance measure is used to refer to any data your state provides as evidence towards a particular goal within a strategic objective. For the purpose of this section, "objectives" refer to the five broad categories listed above, while "goals" are state-specific, and should be listed in the appropriate subsections within the space provided for each objective.

NOTES: Please do not reference attachments in this section. If details about a particular measure are located in an attachment, please summarize the relevant information from the attachment in the space provided for each measure.

In addition, please do not report the same data that were reported for Child Core Set reporting. The intent of this section is to capture goals and measures that your state did not report elsewhere. As a reminder, Child Core Set reporting migrated to MACPRO in December 2015. Historical data are still available for viewing in CARTS.

Additional instructions for completing each row of the table are provided below.

A. Goal:

For each objective, space has been provided to report up to three goals. Use this section to provide a brief description of each goal you are reporting within a given strategic objective. **All new goals should include a direction and a target. For clarification only, an example goal would be:** "Increase (direction) by 5 percent (target) the number of CHIP beneficiaries who turned 13 years old during the measurement year who had a second dose of MMR, three hepatitis B vaccinations and one varicella vaccination by their 13th birthday."

B. Type of Goal:

For each goal you are reporting within a given strategic objective, please indicate the type of goal, as follows:

- **New/revised:** Check this box if you have revised or added a goal. Please explain how and why the goal was revised.
- **Continuing:** Check this box if the goal you are reporting is the same one you have reported in previous annual reports.
- **Discontinued:** Check this box if you have met your goal and/or are discontinuing a goal. Please explain why the goal was discontinued. GAL

Please indicate the status of the data you are reporting for each goal, as follows:

- **Provisional:** Check this box if you are reporting performance measure data for a goal, but the data are currently being modified, verified, or may change in any other way before you finalize them for FFY 2017.

Explanation of Provisional Data – When the value of the Status of Data Reported field is selected as “Provisional”, the state must specify why the data are provisional and when the state expects the data will be final.

- **Final:** Check this box if the data you are reporting are considered final for FFY 2017.
- **Same data as reported in a previous year’s annual report:** Check this box if the data you are reporting are the same data that your state reported for the goal in another annual report. Indicate in which year’s annual report you previously reported the data.

C. Measurement Specification:

This section is included for only two of the objectives— objectives related to increasing access to care, and objectives related to use of preventative care—because these are the two objectives for which states may report using the HEDIS® measurement specification. In this section, for each goal, please indicate the measurement specification used to calculate your performance measure data (i.e., were the measures calculated using the HEDIS® specifications or some other method unrelated to HEDIS®).

Please indicate whether the measure is based on HEDIS® technical specifications or another source. If HEDIS® is selected, the HEDIS® Version field must be completed. If “Other” measurement specification is selected, the explanation field must be completed.

D. HEDIS® Version:

Please specify HEDIS® Version (example 2016). This field must be completed only when a user selects the HEDIS® measurement specification.

“Other” measurement specification explanation:

If “Other”, measurement specification is selected, please complete the explanation of the “Other” measurement specification. The explanation field must be completed when “Other” measurement specification has been selected.

E. Data Source:

For each performance measure, please indicate the source of data. The categories provided in this section vary by objective. For the objectives related to reducing the number of uninsured children and CHIP or Medicaid enrollment, please indicate whether you have used eligibility/enrollment data, survey data (specify the survey used), or other source (specify the other source). For the objectives related to access to care and use of preventative care, please indicate whether you used administrative data (claims) (specify the kind of administrative data used), hybrid data (claims and medical records) (specify how the two were used to create the data source), survey data (specify the survey used), or other source (specify the other source). In all cases, if another data source was used, please explain the source.

F. Definition of Population Included in Measure:

Numerator: Please indicate the definition of the population included in the numerator for each measure (such as the number of visits required for inclusion, e.g., one or more visits in the past year).

Denominator: Please indicate the definition of the population included in the denominator for each measure.

For measures related to increasing access to care and use of preventative care, please

- Check one box to indicate whether the data are for the CHIP population only, or include both CHIP and Medicaid (Title XIX) children combined.
- If the denominator reported is not fully representative of the population defined above (the CHIP population only, or the CHIP and Medicaid (Title XIX) populations combined), please further define the denominator. For example, denominator includes only children enrolled in managed care in certain counties, technological limitations preventing reporting on the full population defined, etc.). Please report information on exclusions in the definition of the denominator (including the proportion of children excluded). The provision of this information is important and will provide CMS with a context so that comparability of denominators across the states and over time can occur.

G. Deviations from Measure Specification

For the measures related to increasing access to care and use of preventative care.

If the data provided for a measure deviates from the measure specification, please select the type(s) of measure specification deviation. The types of deviation parallel the measure specification categories for each measure. Each type of deviation is accompanied by a comment field that states must use to explain in greater detail or further specify the deviation when a deviation(s) from a measure is selected.

The five types (and examples) of deviations are:

- Year of Data (e.g., partial year),
- Data Source (e.g., use of different data sources among health plans or delivery systems),
- Numerator (e.g., coding issues),
- Denominator (e.g., exclusion of MCOs, different age groups, definition of continuous enrollment),
- Other.

When one or more of the types are selected, states are required to provide an explanation.

Please report the year of data for each performance measure. The year (or months) should correspond to the period in which enrollment or utilization took place. Do not report the year in which data were collected for the measure, or the version of HEDIS® used to calculate the measure, both of which may be different from the period corresponding to enrollment or utilization of services.

Date Range: available for 2017 CARTS reporting period.

Please define the date range for the reporting period based on the “From” time period as the month and year which corresponds to the beginning period in which utilization took place and please report the “To” time period as the month and year which corresponds to the end period in which utilization took place. Do not report the year in which data were collected for the measure, or the version of HEDIS® used to calculate the measure, both of which may be different from the period corresponding to utilization of services.

H. Performance Measurement Data (HEDIS® or Other):

In this section, please report the numerators and denominators, rates for each measure (or component). The template provides two sections for entering the performance measurement data, depending on

whether you are reporting using HEDIS® or other methodologies. The form fields have been set up to facilitate entering numerators and denominators for each measure. If the form fields do not give you enough space to fully report on the measure, please use the “additional notes” section.

The preferred method is to calculate a “weighted rate” by summing the numerators and denominators across plans, and then deriving a single state-level rate based on the ratio of the numerator to the denominator). The reporting unit for each measure is the state as a whole. If states calculate rates for multiple reporting units (e.g., individual health plans, different health care delivery systems), states must aggregate data from all these sources into one state rate before reporting the data to CMS. In the situation where a state combines data across multiple reporting units, all or some of which use the hybrid method to calculate the rates, the state should enter zeroes in the “Numerator” and “Denominator” fields. In these cases, it should report the state-level rate in the “Rate” field and, when possible, include individual reporting unit numerators, denominators, and rates in the field labeled “Additional Notes on Measure,” along with a description of the method used to derive the state-level rate.

I. Explanation of Progress:

The intent of this section is to allow your state to highlight progress and describe any quality-improvement activities that may have contributed to your progress. Any quality-improvement activity described should involve the CHIP program, benefit CHIP enrollees, and relate to the performance measure and your progress. An example of a quality-improvement activity is a state-wide initiative to inform individual families directly of their children’s immunization status with the goal of increasing immunization rates. CHIP would either be the primary lead or substantially involved in the project. If improvement has not occurred over time, this section can be used to discuss potential reasons for why progress was not seen and to describe future quality-improvement plans. In this section, your state is also asked to set annual performance objectives for FFY 2018, 2019 and 2020. Based on your recent performance on the measure (from FFY 2015 through 2017), use a combination of expert opinion and “best guesses” to set objectives for the next three years. Please explain your rationale for setting these objectives. For example, if your rate has been increasing by 3 or 4 percentage points per year, you might project future increases at a similar rate. On the other hand, if your rate has been stable over time, you might set a target that projects a small increase over time. If the rate has been fluctuating over time, you might look more closely at the data to ensure that the fluctuations are not an artifact of the data or the methods used to construct a rate. You might set an initial target that is an average of the recent rates, with slight increases in subsequent years. In future annual reports, you will be asked to comment on how your actual performance compares to the objective your state set for the year, as well as any quality-improvement activities that have helped or could help your state meet future objectives.

J. Other Comments on Measure:

Please use this section to provide any other comments on the measure, such as data limitations, plans to report on a measure in the future, or differences between performance measures reported here and those discussed in Section 9 of the CHIP state plan.

Objectives Related to Reducing the Number of Uninsured Children (Do not report data that was reported in Section IIA, Questions 2 and 3)

FFY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
Goal #1 (Describe)	Goal #1 (Describe)	Goal #1 (Describe)
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Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year's annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>	Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year's annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>	Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year's annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>
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Additional notes on measure:	Additional notes on measure:	Additional notes/comments on measure:
Explanation of Progress: How did your performance in 2015 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2014 Annual Report?	Explanation of Progress: How did your performance in 2016 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2015 Annual Report?	Explanation of Progress: How did your performance in 2017 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2016 Annual Report?

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<p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2016: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2017: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>	<p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2017: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2019:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>	<p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2019: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2020:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>
<p>Other Comments on Measure:</p>	<p>Other Comments on Measure:</p>	<p>Other Comments on Measure:</p>

Objectives Related to Reducing the Number of Uninsured Children (Do not report data that was reported in Section IIA, Questions 2 and 3) (Continued)

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<p>Other Comments on Measure:</p>	<p>Other Comments on Measure:</p>	<p>Other Comments on Measure:</p>

Objectives Related to Reducing the Number of Uninsured Children (Do not report data that was reported in Section IIA, Questions 2 and 3) (Continued)

FFY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
Goal #3 (Describe)	Goal #3 (Describe)	Goal #3 (Describe)
Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing. <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing. <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing. <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>
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Explanation of Progress: How did your performance in 2015 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2014 Annual Report?	Explanation of Progress: How did your performance in 2016 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2015 Annual Report?	Explanation of Progress: How did your performance in 2017 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2016 Annual Report?

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Other Comments on Measure:	Other Comments on Measure:	Other Comments on Measure:

Objectives Related to CHIP Enrollment

FFY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
Goal #1 (Describe)	Goal #1 (Describe)	Goal #1 (Describe)
<p>Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i> Not applicable to Medicaid expansion CHIPs.</p> <p>Since we are currently a Medicaid expansion CHIP and all children are placed in Medicaid subtypes based on funding stream, a new goal was established for FFY 09 under Medicaid enrollment.</p>	<p>Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i> Not applicable to Medicaid expansion CHIPs.</p> <p>Since we are currently a Medicaid expansion CHIP and all children are placed in Medicaid subtypes based on funding stream, a new goal was established for FFY 09 under Medicaid enrollment.</p>	<p>Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i> Not applicable to Medicaid expansion CHIPs.</p> <p>Since we are currently a Medicaid expansion CHIP and all children are placed in Medicaid subtypes based on funding stream, a new goal was established for FFY 09 under Medicaid enrollment.</p>
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<p>Explanation of Progress:</p> <p>How did your performance in 2015 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2014 Annual Report?</p> <p>What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal?</p>	<p>Explanation of Progress:</p> <p>How did your performance in 2016 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2015 Annual Report?</p> <p>What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal?</p>	<p>Explanation of Progress:</p> <p>How did your performance in 2017 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2016 Annual Report?</p> <p>What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal?</p>
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Objectives Related to CHIP Enrollment (Continued)

FFY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
Goal #2 (Describe)	Goal #2 (Describe)	Goal #2 (Describe)
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Objectives Related to CHIP Enrollment (Continued)

FFY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
Goal #3 (Describe)	Goal #3 (Describe)	Goal #3 (Describe)
Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revISED. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revISED. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revISED. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>
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Additional notes on measure:	Additional notes on measure:	Additional notes/comments on measure:
Explanation of Progress: How did your performance in 2015 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2014 Annual Report?	Explanation of Progress: How did your performance in 2016 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2015 Annual Report?	Explanation of Progress: How did your performance in 2017 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2016 Annual Report?

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<p>What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal?</p>	<p>What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal?</p>	<p>What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal?</p>
<p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2016: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2017: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>	<p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2017: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2019:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>	<p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2019: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2020:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>
<p>Other Comments on Measure:</p>	<p>Other Comments on Measure:</p>	<p>Other Comments on Measure:</p>

Objectives Related to Medicaid Enrollment

FFY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
Goal #1 (Describe)	Goal #1 (Describe)	Goal #1 (Describe)
Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revise <i>d</i> . <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i> CHIP Performance Bonus last year was FFY 2013.	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revise <i>d</i> . <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i> CHIP Performance Bonus last year was FFY 2013.	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revise <i>d</i> . <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i> CHIP Performance Bonus last year was FFY 2013.
Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year's annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>	Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year's annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>	Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year's annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>
Data Source: <input type="checkbox"/> Eligibility/Enrollment data. <input type="checkbox"/> Survey data. <i>Specify:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Specify:</i>	Data Source: <input type="checkbox"/> Eligibility/Enrollment data. <input type="checkbox"/> Survey data. <i>Specify:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Specify:</i>	Data Source: <input type="checkbox"/> Eligibility/Enrollment data. <input type="checkbox"/> Survey data. <i>Specify:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Specify:</i>
Definition of Population Included in the Measure: Definition of denominator: Definition of numerator:	Definition of Population Included in the Measure: Definition of denominator: Definition of numerator:	Definition of Population Included in the Measure: Definition of denominator: Definition of numerator:
Date Range: From: (mm/yyyy) To: (mm/yyyy)	Date Range: From: (mm/yyyy) To: (mm/yyyy)	Date Range: From: (mm/yyyy) To: (mm/yyyy)
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Additional notes on measure:	Additional notes on measure:	Additional notes/comments on measure:
Explanation of Progress: How did your performance in 2015 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2014 Annual Report?	Explanation of Progress: How did your performance in 2016 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2015 Annual Report?	Explanation of Progress: How did your performance in 2017 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2016 Annual Report?

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<p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2016: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2017: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>	<p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2017: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2019:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>	<p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2019: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2020:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>
<p>Other Comments on Measure:</p>	<p>Other Comments on Measure:</p>	<p>Other Comments on Measure:</p>

Objectives Related to Medicaid Enrollment (Continued)

FFY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
Goal #2 (Describe)	Goal #2 (Describe)	Goal #2 (Describe)
Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>
Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year's annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>	Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year's annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>	Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year's annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>
Data Source: <input type="checkbox"/> Eligibility/Enrollment data. <input type="checkbox"/> Survey data. <i>Specify:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Specify:</i>	Data Source: <input type="checkbox"/> Eligibility/Enrollment data. <input type="checkbox"/> Survey data. <i>Specify:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Specify:</i>	Data Source: <input type="checkbox"/> Eligibility/Enrollment data. <input type="checkbox"/> Survey data. <i>Specify:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Specify:</i>
Definition of Population Included in the Measure: Definition of denominator: Definition of numerator:	Definition of Population Included in the Measure: Definition of denominator: Definition of numerator:	Definition of Population Included in the Measure: Definition of denominator: Definition of numerator:
Date Range: From: (mm/yyyy) To: (mm/yyyy)	Date Range: From: (mm/yyyy) To: (mm/yyyy)	Date Range: From: (mm/yyyy) To: (mm/yyyy)
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Additional notes on measure:	Additional notes on measure:	Additional notes/comments on measure:

FFY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
<p>Explanation of Progress:</p> <p>How did your performance in 2015 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2014 Annual Report?</p> <p>What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal?</p>	<p>Explanation of Progress:</p> <p>How did your performance in 2016 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2015 Annual Report?</p> <p>What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal?</p>	<p>Explanation of Progress:</p> <p>How did your performance in 2017 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2016 Annual Report?</p> <p>What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal?</p>
<p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2016: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2017: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>	<p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2017: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2019:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>	<p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2019: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2020:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>
Other Comments on Measure:	Other Comments on Measure:	Other Comments on Measure:

Objectives Related to Medicaid Enrollment (Continued)

FFY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
Goal #3 (Describe)	Goal #3 (Describe)	Goal #3 (Describe)
Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>
Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year's annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>	Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year's annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>	Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year's annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>
Data Source: <input type="checkbox"/> Eligibility/Enrollment data. <input type="checkbox"/> Survey data. <i>Specify:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Specify:</i>	Data Source: <input type="checkbox"/> Eligibility/Enrollment data. <input type="checkbox"/> Survey data. <i>Specify:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Specify:</i>	Data Source: <input type="checkbox"/> Eligibility/Enrollment data. <input type="checkbox"/> Survey data. <i>Specify:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Specify:</i>
Definition of Population Included in the Measure: Definition of denominator: Definition of numerator:	Definition of Population Included in the Measure: Definition of denominator: Definition of numerator:	Definition of Population Included in the Measure: Definition of denominator: Definition of numerator:
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Additional notes on measure:	Additional notes on measure:	Additional notes/comments on measure:

FFY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
<p>Explanation of Progress:</p> <p>How did your performance in 2015 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2014 Annual Report?</p> <p>What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal?</p>	<p>Explanation of Progress:</p> <p>How did your performance in 2016 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2015 Annual Report?</p> <p>What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal?</p>	<p>Explanation of Progress:</p> <p>How did your performance in 2017 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2016 Annual Report?</p> <p>What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal?</p>
<p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2016: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2017: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>	<p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2017: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2019:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>	<p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2019: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2020:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>
<p>Other Comments on Measure:</p>	<p>Other Comments on Measure:</p>	<p>Other Comments on Measure:</p>

Objectives Increasing Access to Care (Usual Source of Care, Unmet Need)

FFY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
Goal #1 (Describe)	Goal #1 (Describe)	Goal #1 (Describe)
Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing. <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing. <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing. <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>
Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year’s annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>	Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year’s annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>	Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year’s annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>
Measurement Specification: <input type="checkbox"/> HEDIS. <i>Specify version of HEDIS used:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Explain:</i>	Measurement Specification: <input type="checkbox"/> HEDIS. <i>Specify version of HEDIS used:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Explain:</i>	Measurement Specification: <input type="checkbox"/> HEDIS. <i>Specify HEDIS® Version used:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Explain:</i>
Data Source: <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative (claims data). <input type="checkbox"/> Hybrid (claims and medical record data). <input type="checkbox"/> Survey data. <i>Specify:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Specify:</i>	Data Source: <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative (claims data). <input type="checkbox"/> Hybrid (claims and medical record data). <input type="checkbox"/> Survey data. <i>Specify:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Specify:</i>	Data Source: <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative (claims data). <input type="checkbox"/> Hybrid (claims and medical record data). <input type="checkbox"/> Survey data. <i>Specify:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Specify:</i>
Definition of Population Included in the Measure: Definition of numerator: Definition of denominator: <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator includes CHIP population only. <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator includes CHIP and Medicaid (Title XIX). If denominator is a subset of the definition selected above, please further define the Denominator, please indicate the number of children excluded:	Definition of Population Included in the Measure: Definition of numerator: Definition of denominator: <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator includes CHIP population only. <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator includes CHIP and Medicaid (Title XIX). If denominator is a subset of the definition selected above, please further define the Denominator, please indicate the number of children excluded:	Definition of Population Included in the Measure: Definition of numerator: Definition of denominator: <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator includes CHIP population only. <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator includes CHIP and Medicaid (Title XIX). If denominator is a subset of the definition selected above, please further define the Denominator, please indicate the number of children excluded:
Date Range: From: (mm/yyyy) To: (mm/yyyy)	Date Range: From: (mm/yyyy) To: (mm/yyyy)	Date Range: From: (mm/yyyy) To: (mm/yyyy)
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Deviations from Measure Specifications: <input type="checkbox"/> Year of Data, <i>Explain</i> . <input type="checkbox"/> Data Source, <i>Explain</i> . <input type="checkbox"/> Numerator, <i>Explain</i> . <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator, <i>Explain</i> . <input type="checkbox"/> Other, <i>Explain</i> .	Deviations from Measure Specifications: <input type="checkbox"/> Year of Data, <i>Explain</i> . <input type="checkbox"/> Data Source, <i>Explain</i> . <input type="checkbox"/> Numerator, <i>Explain</i> . <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator, <i>Explain</i> . <input type="checkbox"/> Other, <i>Explain</i> .	Deviations from Measure Specifications: <input type="checkbox"/> Year of Data, <i>Explain</i> . <input type="checkbox"/> Data Source, <i>Explain</i> . <input type="checkbox"/> Numerator, <i>Explain</i> . <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator, <i>Explain</i> . <input type="checkbox"/> Other, <i>Explain</i> .
Additional notes on measure:	Additional notes on measure:	Additional notes on measure:
Other Performance Measurement Data: <i>(If reporting with another methodology)</i> Numerator: Denominator: Rate: Additional notes on measure:	Other Performance Measurement Data: <i>(If reporting with another methodology)</i> Numerator: Denominator: Rate: Additional notes on measure:	Other Performance Measurement Data: <i>(If reporting with another methodology)</i> Numerator: Denominator: Rate: Additional notes on measure:
Explanation of Progress: <p>How did your performance in 2015 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2014 Annual Report?</p> <p>What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal?</p> <p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2016: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2017: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>	Explanation of Progress: <p>How did your performance in 2016 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2015 Annual Report?</p> <p>What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal?</p> <p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2017: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2019:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>	Explanation of Progress: <p>How did your performance in 2017 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2016 Annual Report?</p> <p>What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal?</p> <p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2019: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2020:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>
Other Comments on Measure:	Other Comments on Measure:	Other Comments on Measure:

Objectives Related to Increasing Access to Care (Usual Source of Care, Unmet Need) (Continued)

FY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
Goal #2 (Describe)	Goal #2 (Describe)	Goal #2 (Describe)
Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>
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Measurement Specification: <input type="checkbox"/> HEDIS. <i>Specify version of HEDIS used:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Explain:</i>	Measurement Specification: <input type="checkbox"/> HEDIS. <i>Specify version of HEDIS used:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Explain:</i>	Measurement Specification: <input type="checkbox"/> HEDIS. <i>Specify HEDIS® Version used:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Explain:</i>
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Definition of Population Included in the Measure: Definition of numerator: Definition of denominator: <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator includes CHIP population only. <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator includes CHIP and Medicaid (Title XIX). If denominator is a subset of the definition selected above, please further define the Denominator, please indicate the number of children excluded:	Definition of Population Included in the Measure: Definition of numerator: Definition of denominator: <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator includes CHIP population only. <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator includes CHIP and Medicaid (Title XIX). If denominator is a subset of the definition selected above, please further define the Denominator, please indicate the number of children excluded:	Definition of Population Included in the Measure: Definition of numerator: Definition of denominator: <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator includes CHIP population only. <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator includes CHIP and Medicaid (Title XIX). If denominator is a subset of the definition selected above, please further define the Denominator, please indicate the number of children excluded:
Date Range: From: (mm/yyyy) To: (mm/yyyy)	Date Range: From: (mm/yyyy) To: (mm/yyyy)	Date Range: From: (mm/yyyy) To: (mm/yyyy)
HEDIS Performance Measurement Data: <i>(If reporting with HEDIS/HEDIS-like methodology)</i> Numerator: Denominator: Rate:	HEDIS Performance Measurement Data: <i>(If reporting with HEDIS)</i> Numerator: Denominator: Rate:	HEDIS Performance Measurement Data: <i>(If reporting with HEDIS)</i> Numerator: Denominator: Rate:
Deviations from Measure Specifications: <input type="checkbox"/> Year of Data, <i>Explain.</i>	Deviations from Measure Specifications: <input type="checkbox"/> Year of Data, <i>Explain.</i>	Deviations from Measure Specifications: <input type="checkbox"/> Year of Data, <i>Explain.</i>

FY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
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Explanation of Progress: How did your performance in 2015 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2014 Annual Report? What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal? Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data. Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2016: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2017: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018: <i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i>	Explanation of Progress: How did your performance in 2016 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2015 Annual Report? What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal? Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data. Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2017: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2019: <i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i>	Explanation of Progress: How did your performance in 2017 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2016 Annual Report? What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal? Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data. Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2019: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2020: <i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i>
Other Comments on Measure:	Other Comments on Measure:	Other Comments on Measure:

Objectives Related to Increasing Access to Care (Usual Source of Care, Unmet Need) (Continued)

FFY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
Goal #3 (Describe)	Goal #3 (Describe)	Goal #3 (Describe)
Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>
Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year’s annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>	Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year’s annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>	Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year’s annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>
Measurement Specification: <input type="checkbox"/> HEDIS. <i>Specify version of HEDIS used:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Explain:</i>	Measurement Specification: <input type="checkbox"/> HEDIS. <i>Specify version of HEDIS used:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Explain:</i>	Measurement Specification: <input type="checkbox"/> HEDIS. <i>Specify HEDIS® Version used:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Explain:</i>
Data Source: <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative (claims data). <input type="checkbox"/> Hybrid (claims and medical record data). <input type="checkbox"/> Survey data. <i>Specify:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Specify:</i>	Data Source: <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative (claims data). <input type="checkbox"/> Hybrid (claims and medical record data). <input type="checkbox"/> Survey data. <i>Specify:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Specify:</i>	Data Source: <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative (claims data). <input type="checkbox"/> Hybrid (claims and medical record data). <input type="checkbox"/> Survey data. <i>Specify:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Specify:</i>
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Deviations from Measure Specifications: <input type="checkbox"/> Year of Data, <i>Explain.</i>	Deviations from Measure Specifications: <input type="checkbox"/> Year of Data, <i>Explain.</i>	Deviations from Measure Specifications: <input type="checkbox"/> Year of Data, <i>Explain.</i>

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Other Comments on Measure:	Other Comments on Measure:	Other Comments on Measure:

Objectives Related to Use of Preventative Care (Immunizations, Well Child Care)

FFY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
Goal #1 (Describe)	Goal #1 (Describe)	Goal #1 (Describe)
Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>
Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year’s annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>	Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year’s annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>	Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year’s annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>
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Deviations from Measure Specifications: <input type="checkbox"/> Year of Data, <i>Explain.</i>	Deviations from Measure Specifications: <input type="checkbox"/> Year of Data, <i>Explain.</i>	Deviations from Measure Specifications: <input type="checkbox"/> Year of Data, <i>Explain.</i>

FFY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
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Additional notes on measure:	Additional notes on measure:	Additional notes/comments on measure:
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Other Comments on Measure:	Other Comments on Measure:	Other Comments on Measure:

Objectives Related to Use of Preventative Care (Immunizations, Well Child Care) (Continued)

FFY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
Goal #2 (Describe)	Goal #2 (Describe)	Goal #2 (Describe)
Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revised. <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>
Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year’s annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>	Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year’s annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>	Status of Data Reported: <input type="checkbox"/> Provisional. <i>Explanation of Provisional Data:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Final. <input type="checkbox"/> Same data as reported in a previous year’s annual report. <i>Specify year of annual report in which data previously reported:</i>
Measurement Specification: <input type="checkbox"/> HEDIS. <i>Specify version of HEDIS used:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Explain:</i>	Measurement Specification: <input type="checkbox"/> HEDIS. <i>Specify version of HEDIS used:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Explain:</i>	Measurement Specification: <input type="checkbox"/> HEDIS. <i>Specify HEDIS® Version used:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Explain:</i>
Data Source: <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative (claims data). <input type="checkbox"/> Hybrid (claims and medical record data). <input type="checkbox"/> Survey data. <i>Specify:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Specify:</i>	Data Source: <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative (claims data). <input type="checkbox"/> Hybrid (claims and medical record data). <input type="checkbox"/> Survey data. <i>Specify:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Specify:</i>	Data Source: <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative (claims data). <input type="checkbox"/> Hybrid (claims and medical record data). <input type="checkbox"/> Survey data. <i>Specify:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Other. <i>Specify:</i>
Definition of Population Included in the Measure: Definition of numerator: Definition of denominator: <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator includes CHIP population only. <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator includes CHIP and Medicaid (Title XIX). If denominator is a subset of the definition selected above, please further define the Denominator, please indicate the number of children excluded:	Definition of Population Included in the Measure: Definition of numerator: Definition of denominator: <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator includes CHIP population only. <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator includes CHIP and Medicaid (Title XIX). If denominator is a subset of the definition selected above, please further define the Denominator, please indicate the number of children excluded:	Definition of Population Included in the Measure: Definition of numerator: Definition of denominator: <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator includes CHIP population only. <input type="checkbox"/> Denominator includes CHIP and Medicaid (Title XIX). If denominator is a subset of the definition selected above, please further define the Denominator, please indicate the number of children excluded:
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FFY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
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Objectives Related to Use of Preventative Care (Immunizations, Well Child Care) (Continued)

FFY 2015	FFY 2016	FFY 2017
Goal #3 (Describe)	Goal #3 (Describe)	Goal #3 (Describe)
Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revise <i>d</i> . <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revise <i>d</i> . <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>	Type of Goal: <input type="checkbox"/> New/revise <i>d</i> . <i>Explain:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinued. <i>Explain:</i>
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Deviations from Measure Specifications: <input type="checkbox"/> Year of Data, <i>Explain.</i>	Deviations from Measure Specifications: <input type="checkbox"/> Year of Data, <i>Explain.</i>	Deviations from Measure Specifications: <input type="checkbox"/> Year of Data, <i>Explain.</i>

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Explanation of Progress: <p>How did your performance in 2015 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2014 Annual Report?</p> <p>What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal?</p> <p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2016: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2017: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>	Explanation of Progress: <p>How did your performance in 2016 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2015 Annual Report?</p> <p>What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal?</p> <p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2017: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2019:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>	Explanation of Progress: <p>How did your performance in 2017 compare with the Annual Performance Objective documented in your 2016 Annual Report?</p> <p>What quality improvement activities that involve the CHIP program and benefit CHIP enrollees help enhance your ability to report on this measure, improve your results for this measure, or make progress toward your goal?</p> <p>Please indicate how CMS might be of assistance in improving the completeness or accuracy of your reporting of the data.</p> <p>Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2018: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2019: Annual Performance Objective for FFY 2020:</p> <p><i>Explain how these objectives were set:</i></p>
Other Comments on Measure:	Other Comments on Measure:	Other Comments on Measure:

1. What other strategies does your state use to measure and report on access to, quality, or outcomes of care received by your CHIP population? What have you found? **[7500]**

Alaska uses the CAHPS PCMH CG creating a "pseudo practice" from the Medicaid Administrative claims data and we have practices consisting of CHCs and pediatric practices that participate with the DHSS with their patient populations of adults and children so we have comparative data and have in the past used the data at the state and practice levels in collaboration with our Title V sister agency and the AK Primary Care Association to begin to not only satisfy the CHIPRA state level reporting requirement utilizing CAHPS but to also work with practices in our state that are working to achieve NCQA PCMH recognition and helping them to meet their must pass elements and QI requirements contained in the recognition domains. In addition, utilizing the CAHPS PCMH CG allows the NCQA recognized practices to obtain the CAHPS PCMH Distinction in Reporting designation. So it is a win-win for the state and the practices. The CAHPS PCMH survey results reported in FFY 17 year are from the 2016 fall fielding of the survey.

The CAHPS PCMH CG at the state-level was drawn from a sample frame from all the children enrolled in Medicaid, Title XIX and XXI funded.

At the time of writing this section of the report, the Department is currently in the field with the 2017 fall survey which will be reported in the FFY 18 CARTS. Sample frames for the "pseudo practice" were drawn from both the adult and children/adolescent Medicaid administrative claims data, meaning the samples are being drawn for both adults and children enrolled in Medicaid once again. Adults were added back in a sample frame by leadership for the FFY 2017 reporting year, after being removed from the sample frame in 2014 and reported in FFY 2015 CARTS, given the health care reform work under SB 74 and this survey being considered as a performance metric in addition to the reporting required on access in the CMS Rate and Access Review Plan which was due to CMS in fall 2016.

2. What strategies does your CHIP program have for future measurement and reporting on access to, quality, or outcomes of care received by your CHIP population? When will data be available? **[7500]**

Within the CAHPS PCMH CG survey, Medicaid and CHIP work with Title V, Women Children's and Family Health (WCFH) collaboratively. Medicaid has incorporated both the Child and Adolescent Health Measurement Initiative (CAHMI) screening tool to determine which children have special health care needs and children with chronic conditions in addition to the CAHPS Children with Chronic Conditions (CCC) module into this survey making it hybrid so as to stratify results by C&YSHCNs. In addition, we worked with the evaluator on the WCFH Systems Integration Grant for C&YSHCNs to cross walk the CSHCNs standards to the CAHPS PCMH CG alongside the work that was done on this by AMCHIP.

3. Have you conducted any focused quality studies on your CHIP population, e.g., adolescents, attention deficit disorder, substance abuse, special health care needs or other emerging health care needs? What have you found? **[7500]**

Alaska has also added several questions to the CAHPS PCMH CG to address shared decision making and care coordination which was done in our CHIPRA quality demonstration with Oregon and West Virginia. Lastly beginning with the fall 2016 fielding in Alaska, WCFH and Medicaid/CHIP have added questions to the CAHPS PCMH CG asking about whether providers are asking patients about adverse childhood experience (ACEs) for a baseline assessment in addition to adding several positive health questions and resiliency questions upon recommendation from the Executive Director of the Child and Adolescent Health Measurement Initiative (CAHMI) at Johns Hopkins.

4. Please attach any additional studies, analyses or other documents addressing outreach, enrollment, access, quality, utilization, costs, satisfaction, or other aspects of your CHIP program's performance. Please include any analyses or descriptions of any efforts designed to reduce the number of uncovered children in the state through a state health insurance connector program or support for innovative private health coverage initiatives. **[7500]**

N/A

Enter any Narrative text related to Section IIB below. **[7500]**

As reported last year, Alaska has not yet submitted a draft health services initiative, but hopes to submit to CMS in FFY 2018. Our draft outline includes working collaboratively with our Title V, Women's Children's Family Health and Epidemiology Toxicology, Division of Public Health counterparts. We hope to begin collaboration on having Title V epidemiology staff calculate the Medicaid and CHIP children's core set of children's quality measures (CQMs) including the CAHPS PCMH CG hybrid survey and then begin to do QI work around improving population children's outcomes on targeted metrics.

Section III: Assessment of State Plan and Program Operation

Please reference and summarize attachments that are relevant to specific questions

Please note that the numbers in brackets, e.g., [7500] are character limits in the State Annual Report Template System (CARTS). You will not be able to enter responses with characters greater than the limit indicated in the brackets.

Section IIIA: Outreach

1. How have you redirected/changed your outreach strategies during the reporting period? [7500]

There were no changes to outreach strategies during FFY 17.

We continue to partner with the CMS Connecting Kids to Coverage grantees in Alaska.

2. What methods have you found most effective in reaching low-income, uninsured children (e.g., T.V., school outreach, word-of-mouth)? How have you measured effectiveness? [7500]

Denali KidCare branding has been effective in the state over the years. The Department continues to partner with government agencies and local governments such as Tribal health organizations and Tribes to assist with the effective administration of the Medicaid program through outreach and enrollment and other Medicaid administrative claiming activities. 2016 was the first full year of Tribal Medicaid Administrative Claiming utilizing the new TMAC methodology approved in 2015 and we continued TMAC in FFY 2017.

As in most of the states, what we learned the year after implementation of the CHIP back in 2000 is that word-of-mouth is the most effective outreach strategy.

3. Which of the methods described in Question 2 would you consider a best practice(s)? [7500]

The optimal best practice is to have state employed regional outreach specialists, FTEs, in DPA Field Operations where currently the outreach and enrollment function is housed within the Department; however, the Department has not employed outreach specialists since 2002, more than 15 years ago.

4. Is your state targeting outreach to specific populations (e.g., minorities, immigrants, and children living in rural areas)?

Yes No

Have these efforts been successful, and how have you measured effectiveness? [7500]

In FFY 17, we continued to collaborate with Tribal health organizations targeting Native children through partnership with the Connecting Kids to Coverage grantees. In FFY 16 our TMAC work started up again allowing more outreach work to be done with the Tribes. Out-stationed DPA eligibility staff is located at the Alaska Native Medical Center in Anchorage. We utilize a train-the-trainer approach.

27.08% of the CHIP enrollees, XXI funded, were Alaskan Native/American Indian (a rebound over previous year) at September 30, 2017 quarter-end, analyzing point-in-time, preliminary data. The Asian population represented 8.13%(a decline from the final numbers reported for the previous year); the Black or African American population represented 6.0% (a slight increase); the Native

Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander population represented 6.24% (increase over last year's final numbers); and finally the White population represented 42.92% (a decrease over last year's final numbers) of CHIP enrollees. Children of Hispanic and Latino ethnicity represented 4.51% (increase over previous year final numbers). 9.63% of CHIP applicants reported that they were more than one race (a decrease over the previous year's final numbers).

As a comparison, the Title XIX, enrolled poverty-level Medicaid children fell into the following racial categories: 40.26% were Alaskan Native/American Indian at September 30, 2017 quarter-end, point-in-time, preliminary data (about the same when compared to last year's final numbers). The Asian population represented 5.52% (a slight increase); the Black or African American population represented 5.07% (slight decrease); the Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander represented 5.89% (slight decrease); and the White population represented 35.62% (a slight decline) of poverty-level, Medicaid enrolled children. Children of Hispanic and Latino ethnicity represented 3.29% (a decline). 7.63% of Medicaid poverty-level child applicants reported that they were more than one race.

Percentages of combined Titles XXI and XIX child enrollment by race at September 30, 2017 quarter-end, point-in-time preliminary data follow: 38.51% AN/AI, 36.59% White, 5.87% Asian, 5.20% Black or AA, and 5.93% PI or N. Hawaiian. Children of Hispanic and Latino ethnicity represented 3.45%. 7.90% of combined Medicaid/CHIP child applicants reported that they were more than one race. It appears that, in general, combined XIX and XXI, shows only slight variances between the final FFY 2016 data and the preliminary FFY 2017 data, with the greatest variance in one race, white.

See chart attachments of race, gender and ethnicity for Title XXI enrolled Medicaid children, Title XIX enrolled children and combined XXI and XXI.

5. What percentage of children below 200 percent of the federal poverty level (FPL) who are eligible for Medicaid or CHIP have been enrolled in those programs? [5] 87.6

(Identify the data source used). [7500]

Source:

Urban Institute tabulations of 2013–15 American Community Survey data from the Integrated Public Use Microdata Series.

Enter any Narrative text related to Section IIIA below. [7500]

From - Medicaid/CHIP Participation Rose Among Children and Parents in 2015 - Genevieve M. Kenney, Jennifer

M. Haley, Clare Pan, Victoria Lynch, and Matthew Buettgens

May 2017.

https://www.urban.org/sites/default/files/publication/90346/2001264-medicaid-chip-participation-rates-rose-among-children-and-parents-in-2015_1.pdf

3. Estimates of American Indian/Alaska Native participation are sensitive to the treatment of Indian Health Service (IHS) access, which by convention is considered uninsurance. The 2015 participation rate for American

Indian/Alaska Native children would rise from 88.5 percent to 93.8 percent if IHS access were considered coverage, and the comparable rate for parents would rise from 73.5 percent to 82.5 percent. Some state estimates of uninsurance and participation are also sensitive to the treatment of IHS access. For example, CHIP Annual Report Template – FFY 2017

2015 uninsurance rates would be 1 to 5 percentage points lower for children or parents in Alaska, Arizona, Montana, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, and South Dakota, if IHS access were treated as coverage.

Section IIIB: Substitution of Coverage (Crowd-out)

All states should answer the following questions. Please include percent calculations in your responses when applicable and requested.

1. Does your program require a child to be uninsured for a minimum amount of time prior to enrollment (waiting period)?

- No
- Yes
- N/A

If no, skip to question 5. If yes, answer questions 2-4:

2. How many months does your program require a child to be uninsured prior to enrollment?

3. To which groups (including FPL levels) does the period of uninsurance apply? **[1000]**

4. List all exemptions to imposing the period of uninsurance **[1000]**

5. Does your program match prospective enrollees to a database that details private insurance status?

- No
- Yes
- N/A

6. If answered yes to question 5, what database? **[1000]**

Medicaid TPR database is used by the Division of Health Care Services to identify third part resources once applicants are enrolled.

7. At the time of application, what percent of CHIP applicants are found to have Medicaid [(# applicants found to have Medicaid/total # applicants) * 100] **[5]**

and what percent of applicants are found to have other group health insurance [(# applicants found to have other insurance/total # applicants) * 100] **[5]**?

Provide a combined percent if you cannot calculate separate percentages. **[5]**

8. What percent of CHIP applicants cannot be enrolled because they have group health plan coverage? **[5]**

a. Of those found to have had other, private insurance and have been uninsured for only a portion of the state's waiting period, what percent meet your state's exemptions to the waiting period (if your state has a waiting period and exemptions) [(# applicants who are exempt/total # of new applicants who were enrolled)*100]? **[5]**

9. Do you track the number of individuals who have access to private insurance?

- Yes No

10. If yes to question 9, what percent of individuals that enrolled in CHIP had access to private health insurance at the time of application during the last federal fiscal year [(# of individuals that had access to private health insurance/total # of individuals enrolled in CHIP)*100]? **[5]**

Enter any Narrative text related to Section IIIB below. **[7500]**

The Division of Public Assistance (DPA), agency that determines eligibility for DenaliCare and Denali KidCare does not track the percentage of Denali KidCare applicants that are found to already have DenaliCare (Title XIX Medicaid). The DPA also does not track the percentage of Denali KidCare applicants or total applicants (DenaliCare and Denali KidCare) that are found to have other group health coverage.

Section IIIC: Eligibility

This subsection should be completed by all states. Medicaid Expansion states should complete applicable responses and indicate those questions that are non-applicable with N/A.

Section IIIC: Subpart A: Eligibility Renewal and Retention

1. Do you have authority in your CHIP state plan to provide for presumptive eligibility, and have you implemented this? Yes No

If yes,

- a. What percent of children are presumptively enrolled in CHIP pending a full eligibility determination? **[5]**
 - b. Of those children who are presumptively enrolled, what percent of those children are determined eligible and enrolled upon completion of the full eligibility determination? **[5]**
2. Select the measures from those below that your state employs to simplify an eligibility renewal and retain eligible children in CHIP.
- Conducts follow-up with clients through caseworkers/outreach workers
 - Sends renewal reminder notices to all families
 - How many notices are sent to the family prior to disenrolling the child from the program? **[500]**
Two notices are sent prior to disenrolling children from the program.
 - At what intervals are reminder notices sent to families (e.g., how many weeks before the end of the current eligibility period is a follow-up letter sent if the renewal has not been received by the state?) **[500]**
The first notice is sent not later than 30 days prior to expiration. If DPA does not hear back from family, then they must attempt to determine eligibility using electronic means. DPA must make an eligibility decision using electronic information and mail written notice within 30 days from the end of the previously authorized certification period. If there is not enough electronic information to confirm continued eligibility or income on file is not within 10% compatibility, the case must be
 - Other, please explain: **[500]**
(continuation from prior line) closed using timely notice of adverse action and a referral made to the FFM.
3. Which of the above strategies appear to be the most effective? Have you evaluated the effectiveness of any strategies? If so, please describe the evaluation, including data sources and methodology. **[7500]**

No DPA has not evaluated these new strategies associated with MAGI eligibility determinations.

Section IIIC: Subpart B: Eligibility Data

Table 1. Data on Denials of Title XXI Coverage in FFY 2017

States are required to report on all questions (1, 1.a., 1.b., and 1.c) in FFY 2017. Please enter the data requested in the table below and the template will tabulate the requested percentages.

Measure	Number	Percent
1. Total number of denials of title XXI coverage		100
a. Total number of procedural denials		
b. Total number of eligibility denials		
i. Total number of applicants denied for title XXI and enrolled in title XIX		
<input type="checkbox"/> (Check here if there are no additional categories)		
c. Total number of applicants denied for other reasons Please indicate:		

2. Please describe any limitations or restrictions on the data used in this table:
From the Alaska Division of Public Assistance, Division in AK DHSS that determines eligibility for Medicaid/CHIP, I received the following note on December 22, 2017:

"We've compiled the data for the annual report. We were able to complete tables 2 and 3. Our system still doesn't capture some of the data that we would need to complete table 1."

"Do we submit this to you? Or is there someone else we should send this to?"

Definitions:

1. The "the total number of denials of title XXI coverage" is defined as the total number of applicants that have had an eligibility decision made for title XXI and denied enrollment for title XXI in FFY 2017. This definition only includes denials for title XXI at the time of initial application (not redetermination).
 - a. The "total number of procedural denials" is defined as the total number of applicants denied for title XXI procedural reasons in FFY 2017 (i.e., incomplete application, missing documentation, missing enrollment fee, etc.).
 - b. The "total number of eligibility denials" is defined as the total number of applicants denied for title XXI eligibility reasons in FFY 2017 (i.e., income too high, income too low for title XXI /referred for Medicaid eligibility determination/determined Medicaid eligible , obtained private coverage or if applicable, had access to private coverage during your state's specified waiting period, etc.)
 - i. The total number of applicants that are denied eligibility for title XXI and determined eligible for title XIX.
 - c. The "total number of applicants denied for other reasons" is defined as any other type of denial that does not fall into 2a or 2b. Please check the box provided if there are no additional categories.

Table 2. Redetermination Status of Children

For tables 2a and 2b, reporting is required for FFY 2017.

Table 2a. Redetermination Status of Children Enrolled in Title XXI.

Please enter the data requested in the table below in the “Number” column, and the template will automatically tabulate the percentages.

Description	Number	Percent			
1. Total number of children who are enrolled in title XXI and eligible to be redetermined	15925	100%			
2. Total number of children screened for redetermination for title XXI	7938	49.85	100%		
3. Total number of children retained in title XXI after the redetermination process	4413	27.71	55.59		
4. Total number of children disenrolled from title XXI after the redetermination process	3525	22.14	44.41	100%	
a. Total number of children disenrolled from title XXI for failure to comply with procedures	129			3.66	
b. Total number of children disenrolled from title XXI for failure to meet eligibility criteria	1824			51.74	100%
i. Disenrolled from title XXI because income too high for title XXI (If unable to provide the data, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>)					
ii. Disenrolled from title XXI because income too low for title XXI (If unable to provide the data, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>)					
iii. Disenrolled from title XXI because application indicated access to private coverage or obtained private coverage (If unable to provide the data or if you have a title XXI Medicaid Expansion and this data is not relevant check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>)					
iv. Disenrolled from title XXI for other eligibility reason(s) Please indicate: (If unable to provide the data check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>)					
c. Total number of children disenrolled from title XXI for other reason(s) Please indicate: (Check here if there are no additional categories <input type="checkbox"/>)	1572			44.6	

5. If relevant, please describe any limitations or restrictions on the data entered into this table. Please describe any state policies or procedures that may have impacted the redetermination outcomes data [7500].
For question 3, we report the total number of individuals who were on a case where a review was completed and who had continuous benefits from their first benefit month in FFY 2017 until the end of FFY 2017.
- 6.
7. For question 4, we report the total number of individuals who were on a case where a review was completed and who did not have continuous benefits from their first benefit month until the end of FFY 2017.
- 8.

Definitions:

1. The “total number of children who are eligible to be redetermined” is defined as the total number of children due to renew their eligibility in federal fiscal year (FFY) 2017, and did not age out (did not exceed the program’s maximum age requirement) of the program by or before redetermination. This total number may include those children who are eligible to renew prior to their 12 month eligibility redetermination anniversary date. This total must include ex parte redeterminations, the process when a state uses information available to it through other databases, such as wage and labor records, to verify ongoing eligibility. This total number must also include children whose eligibility can be renewed through administrative redeterminations, whereby the state sends the family a renewal form that is pre-populated with eligibility information already available through program records and requires the family to report any changes.
2. The “total number of children screened for redetermination” is defined as the total number of children that were screened by the state for redetermination in FFY 2017 (i.e., ex parte redeterminations and administrative redeterminations, as well as those children whose families have returned redetermination forms to the state).
3. The “total number of children retained after the redetermination process” is defined as the total number of children who were found eligible and remained in the program after the redetermination process in FFY 2017.
4. The “total number of children disenrolled from title XXI after the redetermination process” is defined as the total number of children who are disenrolled from title XXI following the redetermination process in FFY 2017. This includes those children that states may define as “transferred” to Medicaid for title XIX eligibility screening.
 - a. The “total number of children disenrolled for failure to comply with procedures” is defined as the total number of children disenrolled from title XXI for failure to successfully complete the redetermination process in FFY 2017 (i.e., families that failed to submit a complete application, failed to provide complete documentation, failed to pay premium or enrollment fee, etc.).
 - b. The “total number of children disenrolled for failure to meet eligibility criteria” is defined as the total number of children disenrolled from title XXI for no longer meeting one or more of their state’s CHIP eligibility criteria (i.e., income too low, income too high, obtained private coverage or if applicable, had access to private coverage during your state’s specified waiting period, etc.). If possible, please break out the reasons for failure to meet eligibility criteria in i.-iv.
 - c. The “total number of children disenrolled for other reason(s)” is defined as the total number of children disenrolled from title XXI for a reason other than failure to comply with procedures or failure to meet eligibility criteria, and are not already captured in 4.a. or 4.b.

The data entered in 4.a., 4.b., and 4.c. should sum to the total number of children disenrolled from title XXI (line 4).

Table 2b. Redetermination Status of Children Enrolled in Title XIX.

Please enter the data requested in the table below in the “Number” column, and the template will automatically tabulate the percentages.

Description	Number	Percent			
1. Total number of children who are enrolled in title XIX and eligible to be redetermined	53536	100%			
2. Total number of children screened for redetermination for title XIX	26793	50.05	100%		
3. Total number of children retained in title XIX after the redetermination process	21370	39.92	79.76		
4. Total number of children disenrolled from title XIX after the redetermination process	5423	10.13	20.24	100%	
a. Total number of children disenrolled from title XIX for failure to comply with procedures	178			3.28	
b. Total number of children disenrolled from title XIX for failure to meet eligibility criteria	3072			56.65	100%
v. Disenrolled from title XIX because income too high for title XIX (If unable to provide the data, check here <input type="checkbox"/>)					
vi. Disenrolled from title XIX for other eligibility reason(s) Please indicate: (If unable to provide the data check here <input type="checkbox"/>)					

Description	Number	Percent			
c. Total number of children disenrolled from title XIX for other reason(s) Please indicate: (Check here if there are no additional categories <input type="checkbox"/>)	2173			40.07	

5. If relevant, please describe any limitations or restrictions on the data entered into this table. Please describe any state policies or procedures that may have impacted the redetermination outcomes data [7500].

For question 3, we report the total number of individuals who were on a case where a review was completed and who had continuous benefits from their first benefit month in FFY 2017 until the end of FFY 2017.

For question 4, we report the total number of individuals who were on a case where a review was completed and who did not have continuous benefits from their first benefit month until the end of FFY 2017.

Definitions:

1. The “total number of children who are eligible to be redetermined” is defined as the total number of children due to renew their eligibility in federal fiscal year (FFY) 2017, and did not age out (did not exceed the program’s maximum age requirement) of the program by or before redetermination. This total number may include those children who are eligible to renew prior to their 12 month eligibility redetermination anniversary date. This total must include ex parte redeterminations, the process when a state uses information available to it through other databases, such as wage and labor records, to verify ongoing eligibility. This total number must also include children whose eligibility can be renewed through administrative redeterminations, whereby the state sends the family a renewal form that is pre-populated with eligibility information already available through program records and requires the family to report any changes.
2. The “total number of children screened for redetermination” is defined as the total number of children that were screened by the state for redetermination in FFY 2017 (i.e., ex parte redeterminations and administrative redeterminations, as well as those children whose families have returned redetermination forms to the state).
3. The “total number of children retained after the redetermination process” is defined as the total number of children who were found eligible and remained in the program after the redetermination process in FFY 2017.
4. The “total number of children disenrolled from title XIX after the redetermination process” is defined as the total number of children who are disenrolled from title XIX following the redetermination process in FFY 2017. This includes those children that states may define as “transferred” to CHIP for title XXI eligibility screening.
 - a. The “total number of children disenrolled for failure to comply with procedures” is defined as the total number of children disenrolled from title XIX for failure to successfully complete the redetermination process in FFY 2017 (i.e., families that failed to submit a complete application, failed to provide complete documentation, failed to pay premium or enrollment fee, etc.).
 - b. The “total number of children disenrolled for failure to meet eligibility criteria” is defined as the total number of children disenrolled from title XIX for no longer meeting one or more of their state’s Medicaid eligibility criteria (i.e., income too high, etc.).
 - c. The “total number of children disenrolled for other reason(s)” is defined as the total number of children disenrolled from title XIX for a reason other than failure to comply with procedures or failure to meet eligibility criteria, and are not already captured in 4.a. or 4.b.

The data entered in 4.a., 4.b., and 4.c. should sum to the total number of children disenrolled from title XIX (line 4).

Table 3. Duration Measure of Selected Children, Ages 0-16, Enrolled in Title XIX and Title XXI, Second Quarter FFY 2017

The purpose of tables 3a and 3b is to measure the duration, or continuity, of Medicaid and CHIP enrollees' coverage. This information is required by Section 402(a) of CHIPRA. **Reporting on this table is required.**

Because the measure is designed to capture continuity of coverage in title XIX and title XXI beyond one year of enrollment, the measure collects data for 18 months of enrollment. This means that reporting spans two CARTS reports over two years. The duration measure uses a cohort of children and follows the enrollment of the same cohort of children for 18 months to measure continuity of coverage. **States identify a new cohort of children every two years. States identified newly enrolled children in the second quarter of FFY 2016 (January, February, and March of 2016) for the FFY 2016 CARTS report. This same cohort of children will be reported on in the FFY 2017 CARTS report. If your eligibility system already has the capability to track a cohort of enrollees over time, an additional "flag" or unique identifier may not be necessary.**

The FFY 2017 CARTS report is the second year of reporting in the cycle of two CARTS reports on the cohort of children identified in the second quarter of FFY 2016. The next cohort of children will be identified in the second quarter of the FFY 2018 (January, February and March of 2018).

Instructions: For this measure, please identify newly enrolled children in both title XIX and title XXI in the second quarter of FFY 2016, ages 0 months to 16 years at time of enrollment. Children enrolled in January 2016 must have birthdates after July 1999 (e.g., children must be younger than 16 years and 5 months) to ensure that they will not age out of the program at the 18th month of coverage. Similarly, children enrolled in February 2016 must have birthdates after August 1999, and children enrolled in March 2016 must have birthdates after September 1999. Each child newly enrolled during this time frame needs a unique identifier or "flag" so that the cohort can be tracked over time. If your eligibility system already has the capability to track a cohort of enrollees over time, an additional "flag" or unique identifier may not be necessary. Please follow the child based on the child's age category at the time of enrollment (e.g., the child's age at enrollment creates an age cohort that does not change over the 18 month time span).

Please enter the data requested in the tables below, and the template will tabulate the percentages. The tables are pre-populated with the 6-month data you reported last year; in this report you will only enter data on the 12- and 18-month enrollment status.. **Only enter a "0" (zero) if the data are known to be zero. If data are unknown or unavailable, leave the field blank.**

Note that all data must sum correctly in order to save and move to the next page. The data in each individual row must add across to sum to the total in the "All Children Ages 0-16" column for that row. And in each column, the data within each time period (6, 12 and 18 months) must each sum up to the data in row 1, which is the number of children in the cohort. This means that in each column, rows 2, 3 and 4 must sum to the total in row 1; rows 5, 6 and 7 must sum to the row 1; and rows 8, 9 and 10 must sum to row 1. **Rows numbered with an "a" (e.g., rows 3a and 4a) are excluded from the total because they are subsets of their respective rows.**

Table 3a. Duration Measure of Children Enrolled in Title XIX

Not Previously Enrolled in CHIP or Medicaid—"Newly enrolled" is defined as not enrolled in either title XXI or title XIX in the month before enrollment (i.e., for a child enrolled in January 2016, he/she would not be enrolled in either title XXI or title XIX in December 2015, etc.)

Not Previously Enrolled in Medicaid—"Newly enrolled" is defined as not enrolled in title XIX in the month before enrollment (i.e., for a child enrolled in January 2016, he/she would not be enrolled in title XIX in December 2015, etc.)

Table 3a. Duration Measure, Title XIX	All Children Ages 0-16		Age Less than 12 months		Ages 1-5		Ages 6-12		Ages 13-16	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
1. Total number of children newly enrolled in title XIX in the second quarter of FFY 2016	5188	100%	171	100%	2224	100%	1985	100%	808	100%
Enrollment Status 6 months later										
2. Total number of children continuously enrolled in title XIX	4575	88.18	149	87.13	1946	87.5	1752	88.26	728	90.1
3. Total number of children with a break in title XIX coverage but re-enrolled in title XIX	177	3.41	5	2.92	114	5.13	46	2.32	12	1.49
3.a. Total number of children enrolled in CHIP (title XXI) during title XIX coverage break (If unable to provide the data, check here <input type="checkbox"/>)	27	0.52	2	1.17	13	0.58	10	0.5	2	0.25
4. Total number of children disenrolled from title XIX	436	8.4	17	9.94	164	7.37	187	9.42	68	8.42
4.a. Total number of children enrolled in CHIP (title XXI) after being disenrolled from title XIX (If unable to provide the data, check here <input type="checkbox"/>)	207	3.99	3	1.75	54	2.43	113	5.69	37	4.58
Enrollment Status 12 months later										
5. Total number of children continuously enrolled in title XIX	4111	79.24	134	78.36	1767	79.45	1553	78.24	657	81.31
6. Total number of children with a break in title XIX coverage but re-enrolled in title XIX	418	8.06	10	5.85	226	10.16	138	6.95	44	5.45
6.a. Total number of children enrolled in CHIP (title XXI) during title XIX coverage break (If unable to provide the data, check here <input type="checkbox"/>)	126	2.43	5	2.92	57	2.56	50	2.52	14	1.73
7. Total number of children disenrolled from title XIX	659	12.7	27	15.79	231	10.39	294	14.81	107	13.24
7.a. Total number of children enrolled in CHIP (title XXI) after being disenrolled from title XIX (If unable to provide the data, check here <input type="checkbox"/>)	338	6.52	5	2.92	102	4.59	170	8.56	61	7.55
Enrollment Status 18 months later										
8. Total number of children continuously enrolled in title XIX	3752	72.32	124	72.51	1614	72.57	1416	71.34	598	74.01
9. Total number of children with a break in title XIX coverage but re-enrolled in title XIX	509	9.81	15	8.77	261	11.74	174	8.77	59	7.3
9.a. Total number of children enrolled in CHIP (title XXI) during title XIX coverage break (If unable to provide the data, check here <input type="checkbox"/>)	163	3.14	8	4.68	76	3.42	63	3.17	16	1.98
10. Total number of children disenrolled from title XIX	927	17.87	32	18.71	349	15.69	395	19.9	151	18.69
10.a. Total number of children enrolled in CHIP (title XXI) after being disenrolled from title XIX (If unable to provide the data, check here <input type="checkbox"/>)	372	7.17	5	2.92	111	4.99	181	9.12	75	9.28

Definitions:

1. The “total number of children newly enrolled in title XIX in the second quarter of FFY 2016” is defined as those children either new to public coverage or new to title XIX, in the month before enrollment. Please define your population of “newly enrolled” in the Instructions section.
2. The total number of children that were continuously enrolled in title XIX for 6 months is defined as the sum of:
 - the number of children with birthdates after July 1999, who were newly enrolled in January 2016 and who were continuously enrolled through the end of June 2016
 - + the number of children with birthdates after August 1999, who were newly enrolled in February 2016 and who were continuously enrolled through the end of July 2016
 - + the number of children with birthdates after September 1999, who were newly enrolled in March 2016 and who were continuously enrolled through the end of August 2016
3. The total number who had a break in title XIX coverage during 6 months of enrollment (regardless of the number of breaks in coverage) but were re-enrolled in title XIX by the end of the 6 months, is defined as the sum of:
 - the number of children with birthdates after July 1999, who were newly enrolled in January 2016 and who disenrolled and re-enrolled in title XIX by the end of June 2016
 - + the number of children with birthdates after August 1999, who were newly enrolled in February 2016 and who disenrolled and re-enrolled in title XIX by the end of July 2016
 - + the number of children with birthdates after September 1999, who were newly enrolled in March 2016 and who disenrolled and re-enrolled in title XIX by the end of August 2016
 - 3.a. From the population in #3, provide the total number of children who were enrolled in title XXI during their break in coverage
4. The total number who disenrolled from title XIX, 6 months after their enrollment month is defined as the sum of:
 - the number of children with birthdates after July 1999, who were newly enrolled in January 2016 and were disenrolled by the end of June 2016
 - + the number of children with birthdates after August 1999, who were newly enrolled in February 2016 and were disenrolled by the end of July 2016
 - + the number of children with birthdates after September 1999, who were newly enrolled in March 2016 and were disenrolled by the end of August 2016
 - 4.a. From the population in #4, provide the total number of children who were enrolled in title XXI in the month after their disenrollment from title XIX.
5. The total number of children who were continuously enrolled in title XIX for 12 months is defined as the sum of:
 - the number of children with birthdates after July 1999, who were newly enrolled in January 2016 and were continuously enrolled through the end of December 2016
 - + the number of children with birthdates after August 1999, who were newly enrolled in February 2016 and were continuously enrolled through the end of January 2017
 - + the number of children with birthdates after September 1999, who were newly enrolled in March 2016 and were continuously enrolled through the end of February 2017
6. The total number of children who had a break in title XIX coverage during 12 months of enrollment (regardless of the number of breaks in coverage), but were re-enrolled in title XIX by the end of the 12 months, is defined as the sum of:
 - the number of children with birthdates after July 1999, who were newly enrolled in January 2016 and who disenrolled and then re-enrolled in title XIX by the end of December 2016

- + the number of children with birthdates after August 1999, who were newly enrolled in February 2016 and who disenrolled and then re-enrolled in title XIX by the end of January 2017
- + the number of children with birthdates after September 1999 who were newly enrolled in March 2016 and who disenrolled and then re-enrolled in title XIX by the end of February 2017

6.a. From the population in #6, provide the total number of children who were enrolled in title XXI during their break in coverage.

7. The total number of children who disenrolled from title XIX 12 months after their enrollment month is defined as the sum of:
- the number of children with birthdates after July 1999, who were enrolled in January 2016 and were disenrolled by the end of December 2016
 - + the number of children with birthdates after August 1999, who were enrolled in February 2016 and were disenrolled by the end of January 2017
 - + the number of children with birthdates after September 1999, who were enrolled in March 2016 and were disenrolled by the end of February 2017

7.a. From the population in #7, provide the total number of children, who were enrolled in title XXI in the month after their disenrollment from title XIX.

8. The total number of children who were continuously enrolled in title XIX for 18 months is defined as the sum of:
- the number of children with birthdates after July 1999, who were newly enrolled in January 2016 and were continuously enrolled through the end of June 2017
 - + the number of children with birthdates after August 1999, who were newly enrolled in February 2016 and were continuously enrolled through the end of July 2017
 - + the number of children with birthdates after September 1999, who were newly enrolled in March 2016 and were continuously enrolled through the end of August 2017

9. The total number of children who had a break in title XIX coverage during 18 months of enrollment (regardless of the number of breaks in coverage), but were re-enrolled in title XIX by the end of the 18 months, is defined as the sum of:
- the number of children with birthdates after July 1999, who were newly enrolled in January 2016 and who disenrolled and re-enrolled in title XIX by the end of June 2017
 - + the number of children with birthdates after August 1999, who were newly enrolled in February 2016 and who disenrolled and re-enrolled in title XIX by the end of July 2017
 - + the number of children with birthdates after September 1999, who were newly enrolled in March 2016 and who disenrolled and re-enrolled in title XIX by the end of August 2017

9.a. From the population in #9, provide the total number of children who were enrolled in title XXI during their break in coverage.

10. The total number of children who were disenrolled from title XIX 18 months after their enrollment month is defined as the sum of:
- the number of children with birthdates after July 1999, who were newly enrolled in January 2016 and disenrolled by the end of June 2017
 - + the number of children with birthdates after August 1999, who were newly enrolled in February 2016 and disenrolled by the end of July 2017
 - + the number of children with birthdates after September 1999, who were newly enrolled in March 2016 and disenrolled by the end of August 2017

10.a. From the population in #10, provide the total number of children who were enrolled in title XXI (CHIP) in the month after their disenrollment from XIX.

Table 3b. Duration Measure of Children Enrolled in Title XXI

Specify how your “newly enrolled” population is defined:

Not Previously Enrolled in CHIP or Medicaid—“Newly enrolled” is defined as not enrolled in either title XXI or title XIX in the month before enrollment (i.e., for a child enrolled in January 2016, he/she would not be enrolled in either title XXI or title XIX in December 2015, etc.)

Not Previously Enrolled in CHIP—“Newly enrolled” is defined as not enrolled in title XXI in the month before enrollment (i.e., for a child enrolled in January 2016, he/she would not be enrolled in title XXI in December 2015, etc.)

Table 3b. Duration Measure, Title XXI	All Children Ages 0-16		Age Less than 12 months		Ages 1-5		Ages 6-12		Ages 13-16	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
1. Total number of children newly enrolled in title XXI in the second quarter of FFY 2016	2095	100%	32	100%	528	100%	1101	100%	434	100%
Enrollment Status 6 months later										
2. Total number of children continuously enrolled in title XXI	1590	75.89	23	71.88	385	72.92	842	76.48	340	78.34
3. Total number of children with a break in title XXI coverage but re-enrolled in title XXI	74	3.53	0		23	4.36	35	3.18	16	3.69
3.a. Total number of children enrolled in Medicaid (title XIX) during title XXI coverage break (If unable to provide the data, check here <input type="checkbox"/>)	13	0.62	0		3	0.57	5	0.45	5	1.15
4. Total number of children disenrolled from title XXI	431	20.57	9	28.13	120	22.73	224	20.35	78	17.97
4.a. Total number of children enrolled in Medicaid (title XIX) after being disenrolled from title XXI (If unable to provide the data, check here <input type="checkbox"/>)	337	16.09	8	25	96	18.18	174	15.8	59	13.59
Enrollment Status 12 months later										
5. Total number of children continuously enrolled in title XXI	1052	50.21	12	37.5	250	47.35	547	49.68	243	55.99
6. Total number of children with a break in title XXI coverage but re-enrolled in title XXI	170	8.11	1	3.13	35	6.63	95	8.63	39	8.99
6.a. Total number of children enrolled in Medicaid (title XIX) during title XXI coverage break (If unable to provide the data, check here <input type="checkbox"/>)	58	2.77	1	3.13	12	2.27	28	2.54	17	3.92
7. Total number of children disenrolled from title XXI	873	41.67	19	59.38	243	46.02	459	41.69	152	35.02
7.a. Total number of children enrolled in Medicaid (title XIX) after being disenrolled from title XXI (If unable to provide the data, check here <input type="checkbox"/>)	720	34.37	17	53.13	187	35.42	383	34.79	133	30.65
Enrollment Status 18 months later										
8. Total number of children continuously enrolled in title XXI	922	44.01	8	25	208	39.39	484	43.96	222	51.15
9. Total number of children with a break in title XXI coverage but re-enrolled in title XXI	243	11.6	2	6.25	65	12.31	119	10.81	57	13.13
9.a. Total number of children enrolled in Medicaid (title XIX) during title XXI coverage break (If unable to provide the data, check here <input type="checkbox"/>)	93	4.44	1	3.13	26	4.92	40	3.63	26	5.99
10. Total number of children disenrolled from title XXI	930	44.39	22	68.75	255	48.3	498	45.23	155	35.71
10.a. Total number of children enrolled in Medicaid (title XIX) after being disenrolled from title XXI (If unable to provide the data, check here <input type="checkbox"/>)	724	34.56	17	53.13	182	34.47	397	36.06	128	29.49

Definitions:

1. The “total number of children newly enrolled in title XXI in the second quarter of FFY 2016” is defined as those children either new to public coverage or new to title XXI, in the month before enrollment. Please define your population of “newly enrolled” in the Instructions section.
2. The total number of children that were continuously enrolled in title XXI for 6 months is defined as the sum of:
 - the number of children with birthdates after July 1999, who were newly enrolled in January 2016 and who were continuously enrolled through the end of June 2016
 - + the number of children with birthdates after August 1999, who were newly enrolled in February 2016 and who were continuously enrolled through the end of July 2016
 - + the number of children with birthdates after September 1999, who were newly enrolled in March 2016 and who were continuously enrolled through the end of August 2016
3. The total number who had a break in title XXI coverage during 6 months of enrollment (regardless of the number of breaks in coverage) but were re-enrolled in title XXI by the end of the 6 months, is defined as the sum of:
 - the number of children with birthdates after July 1999, who were newly enrolled in January 2016 and who disenrolled and re-enrolled in title XXI by the end of June 2016
 - + the number of children with birthdates after August 1999, who were newly enrolled in February 2016 and who disenrolled and re-enrolled in title XXI by the end of July 2016
 - + the number of children with birthdates after September 1999, who were newly enrolled in March 2016 and who disenrolled and re-enrolled in title XXI by the end of August 2016
 - 3.a. From the population in #3, provide the total number of children who were enrolled in title XIX during their break in coverage.
4. The total number who disenrolled from title XXI, 6 months after their enrollment month is defined as the sum of:
 - the number of children with birthdates after July 1999, who were newly enrolled in January 2016 and were disenrolled by the end of June 2016
 - + the number of children with birthdates after August 1999, who were newly enrolled in February 2016 and were disenrolled by the end of July 2016
 - + the number of children with birthdates after September 1999, who were newly enrolled in March 2016 and were disenrolled by the end of August 2016
 - 4.a. From the population in #4, provide the total number of children who were enrolled in title XIX in the month after their disenrollment from title XXI.
5. The total number of children who were continuously enrolled in title XXI for 12 months is defined as the sum of:
 - the number of children with birthdates after July 1999, who were newly enrolled in January 2016 and were continuously enrolled through the end of December 2016
 - + the number of children with birthdates after August 1999, who were newly enrolled in February 2016 and were continuously enrolled through the end of January 2017
 - + the number of children with birthdates after September 1999, who were newly enrolled in March 2016 and were continuously enrolled through the end of February 2017
6. The total number of children who had a break in title XXI coverage during 12 months of enrollment (regardless of the number of breaks in coverage), but were re-enrolled in title XXI by the end of the 12 months, is defined as the sum of:
 - the number of children with birthdates after July 1999, who were newly enrolled in January 2016 and who disenrolled and then re-enrolled in title XXI by the end of December 2016
 - + the number of children with birthdates after August 1999, who were newly enrolled in February 2016 and who disenrolled and then re-enrolled in title XXI by the end of January 2017
 - + the number of children with birthdates after September 1999, who were newly enrolled in March 2016 and who disenrolled and then re-enrolled in title XXI by the end of February 2017
 - 6.a. From the population in #6, provide the total number of children who were enrolled in title XIX during their break in coverage.
7. The total number of children who disenrolled from title XXI 12 months after their enrollment month is defined as the sum of:

the number of children with birthdates after July 1999, who were enrolled in January 2016 and were disenrolled by the end of December 2016
+ the number of children with birthdates after August 1999, who were enrolled in February 2016 and were disenrolled by the end of January 2017
+ the number of children with birthdates after September 1999, who were enrolled in March 2016 and were disenrolled by the end of February 2017

7.a. From the population in #7, provide the total number of children, who were enrolled in title XIX in the month after their disenrollment from title XXI.

8. The total number of children who were continuously enrolled in title XXI for 18 months is defined as the sum of:
the number of children with birthdates after July 1999, who were newly enrolled in January 2016 and were continuously enrolled through the end of June 2017
+ the number of children with birthdates after August 1999, who were newly enrolled in February 2016 and were continuously enrolled through the end of July 2017
+ the number of children with birthdates after September 1999, who were newly enrolled in March 2016 and were continuously enrolled through the end of August 2017
9. The total number of children who had a break in title XXI coverage during 18 months of enrollment (regardless of the number of breaks in coverage), but were re-enrolled in title XXI by the end of the 18 months, is defined as the sum of:
the number of children with birthdates after July 1999, who were newly enrolled in January 2016 and who disenrolled and re-enrolled in title XXI by the end of June 2017
+ the number of children with birthdates after August 1999, who were newly enrolled in February 2016 and who disenrolled and re-enrolled in title XXI by the end of July 2017
+ the number of children with birthdates after September 1999, who were newly enrolled in March 2016 and who disenrolled and re-enrolled in title XXI by the end of August 2017
- 9.a. From the population in #9, provide the total number of children who were enrolled in title XIX during their break in coverage.
10. The total number of children who were disenrolled from title XXI 18 months after their enrollment month is defined as the sum of:
the number of children with birthdates after July 1999, who were newly enrolled in January 2016 and disenrolled by the end of June 2017
+ the number of children with birthdates after August 1999, who were newly enrolled in February 2016 and disenrolled by the end of July 2017
+ the number of children with birthdates after September 1999, who were newly enrolled in March 2016 and disenrolled by the end of August 2017
- 10.a. From the population in #10, provide the total number of children who were enrolled in title XIX (Medicaid) in the month after their disenrollment from XXI.

Enter any Narrative text related to Section IIIC below. **[7500]**

N/A

Section IIID: Cost Sharing

1. Describe how the state tracks cost sharing to ensure enrollees do not pay more than 5 percent aggregate maximum in the year?

a. Cost sharing is tracked by:

Enrollees (shoebox method)

If the state uses the shoebox method, please describe informational tools provided to enrollees to track cost sharing. **[7500]**

Health Plan(s)

State

Third Party Administrator

N/A (No cost sharing required)

Other, please explain. **[7500]**

2. When the family reaches the 5% cap, are premiums, copayments and other cost sharing ceased? Yes No

3. Please describe how providers are notified that no cost sharing should be charged to enrollees exceeding the 5% cap. **[7500]**

N/A

4. Please provide an estimate of the number of children that exceeded the 5 percent cap in the state's CHIP program during the federal fiscal year. **[500]**

N/A

5. Has your state undertaken any assessment of the effects of premiums/enrollment fees on participation in CHIP?

Yes No If so, what have you found? **[7500]**

6. Has your state undertaken any assessment of the effects of cost sharing on utilization of health services in CHIP?

Yes No If so, what have you found? **[7500]**

7. If your state has increased or decreased cost sharing in the past federal fiscal year, how is the state monitoring the impact of these changes on application, enrollment, disenrollment, and utilization of children's health services in CHIP. If so, what have you found? **[7500]**

N/A

Enter any Narrative text related to Section IIID below. **[7500]**

Section IIIE: Employer sponsored insurance Program (including

Premium Assistance)

1. Does your state offer an employer sponsored insurance program (including a premium assistance program under the CHIP State Plan or a Section 1115 Title XXI Demonstration) for children and/or adults using Title XXI funds?

- Yes, please answer questions below.
 No, skip to Program Integrity subsection.

Children

- Yes, Check all that apply and complete each question for each authority.
- Purchase of Family Coverage under the CHIP state plan (2105(c)(3))
 - Additional Premium Assistance Option under CHIP state plan (2105(c)(10))
 - Section 1115 Demonstration (Title XXI)
 - Premium Assistance Option (applicable to Medicaid Expansion) children (1906)
 - Premium Assistance Option (applicable to Medicaid Expansion) children (1906A)

Adults

- Yes, Check all that apply and complete each question for each authority.
- Purchase of Family Coverage under the CHIP state plan (2105(c)(10))
 - Section 1115 demonstration (Title XXI)
 - Premium Assistance option under the Medicaid state plan (1906)
 - Premium Assistance option under the Medicaid state plan (1906A)
2. Please indicate which adults your state covers with premium assistance. (Check all that apply.)
- Parents and Caretaker Relatives
 - Pregnant Women
3. Briefly describe how your program operates (e.g., is your program an employer sponsored insurance program or a premium assistance program, how do you coordinate assistance between the state and/or employer, who receives the subsidy if a subsidy is provided, etc.) **[7500]**
4. What benefit package does the ESI program use? **[7500]**
5. Are there any minimum coverage requirements for the benefit package?
 Yes No
6. Does the program provide wrap-around coverage for benefits?
 Yes No
7. Are there limits on cost sharing for children in your ESI program?
 Yes No
8. Are there any limits on cost sharing for adults in your ESI program?
 Yes No

9. Are there protections on cost sharing for children (e.g., the 5 percent out-of-pocket maximum) in your premium assistance program?

Yes No

If yes, how is the cost sharing tracked to ensure it remains within the 5 percent yearly aggregate maximum **[7500]**?

10. Identify the total number of children and adults enrolled in the ESI program for whom Title XXI funds are used during the reporting period (provide the number of adults enrolled in this program even if they were covered incidentally, i.e., not explicitly covered through a demonstration).

Number of childless adults ever-enrolled during the reporting period

Number of adults ever-enrolled during the reporting period

Number of children ever-enrolled during the reporting period

11. Provide the average monthly enrollment of children and parents ever enrolled in the premium assistance program during FFY 2017.

Children Parents

12. During the reporting period, what has been the greatest challenge your ESI program has experienced? **[7500]**

13. During the reporting period, what accomplishments have been achieved in your ESI program? **[7500]**

14. What changes have you made or are planning to make in your ESI program during the next fiscal year? Please comment on why the changes are planned. **[7500]**

15. What do you estimate is the impact of your ESI program (including premium assistance) on enrollment and retention of children? How was this measured? **[7500]**

16. Provide the average amount each entity pays towards coverage of the dependent child/parent under your ESI program:

Population	State	Employer	Employee
Child			
Parent			

17. Indicate the range in the average monthly dollar amount of premium assistance provided by the state on behalf of a child or parent.

Children Low High

3. For the reporting period, please indicate the number of cases investigated, and cases referred, regarding fraud and abuse in the following areas:

Provider Credentialing

Number of cases investigated

Number of cases referred to appropriate law enforcement officials

Provider Billing

Number of cases investigated

Number of cases referred to appropriate law enforcement officials

Beneficiary Eligibility

Number of cases investigated

Number of cases referred to appropriate law enforcement officials

Are these cases for:

CHIP

Medicaid and CHIP Combined

4. Does your state rely on contractors to perform the above functions?

Yes, please answer question below.

No

5. If your state relies on contractors to perform the above functions, how does your state provide oversight of those contractors? Please explain: **[7500]**

6. Do you contract with managed care health plans and/or a third party contractor to provide this oversight?

Yes

No

Please Explain: **[500]**

Enter any Narrative text related to Section IIIF below. **[7500]**

Section IIIG: Dental Benefits:

Please ONLY report data in this section for children in Separate CHIP programs and the Separate CHIP part of Combination programs. Reporting is required for all states with Separate CHIP programs and Combination programs. If your state has a Combination program or a Separate CHIP program but you are not reporting data in this section on children in the Separate CHIP part of your program, please explain why. Explain: [7500]

1. Information on Dental Care for Children in Separate CHIP Programs (including children in the Separate CHIP part of Combination programs). Include all delivery system types, e.g. MCO, PCCM, FFS.

Data for this table are based on the definitions provided on the Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic, and Treatment (EPSDT) Report (Form CMS-416)

a. Annual Dental Participation Table for Children Enrolled in Separate CHIP programs and the Separate CHIP part of Combination programs (for Separate CHIP programs, please include ONLY children receiving full CHIP benefits and supplemental benefits).

FFY 2017	Total (All age groups)	<1 year	1 – 2 years	3 – 5 years	6 – 9 years	10–14 years	15–18 years
Total Individuals Enrolled for at Least 90 Continuous Days ¹	0						
Total Enrollees Receiving Any Dental Services ² [7]	0						
Total Enrollees Receiving Preventive Dental Services ³ [7]	0						
Total Enrollees Receiving Dental Treatment Services ⁴ [7]	0						

¹ **Total Individuals Enrolled for at Least 90 Continuous Days** – Enter the total unduplicated number of children who have been continuously enrolled in a separate CHIP program or the separate CHIP part of a combination program for at least 90 continuous days in the federal fiscal year, distributed by age. For example, if a child was enrolled January 1st to March 31st, this child is considered continuously enrolled for at least 90 continuous days in the federal fiscal year. If a child was enrolled from August 1st to September 30th and from October 1st to November 30th, the child would not be considered to have been enrolled for 90 continuous days in the federal fiscal

year. Children should be counted in age groupings based on their age at the end of the fiscal year. For example, if a child turned 3 on September 15th, the child should be counted in the 3-6 age grouping.

²Total Enrollees Receiving Any Dental Services - Enter the unduplicated number of children enrolled in a separate CHIP program or the separate CHIP part of a combination program for at least 90 continuous days who received at least one dental service by or under the supervision of a dentist as defined by HCPCS codes D0100 - D9999 (or equivalent CDT codes D0100 - D9999 or equivalent CPT codes) based on an unduplicated paid, unpaid, or denied claim.

³Total Enrollees Receiving Preventive Dental Services - Enter the unduplicated number of children enrolled in a separate CHIP program or the separate CHIP part of a combination program for at least 90 continuous days who received at least one preventive dental service by or under the supervision of a dentist as defined by HCPCS codes D1000 - D1999 (or equivalent CDT codes D1000 - D1999 or equivalent CPT codes, that is, only those CPT codes that are for preventive dental services and only if provided by or under the supervision of a dentist), based on an unduplicated paid, unpaid, or denied claim.

⁴Total Enrollees Receiving Dental Treatment Services - Enter the unduplicated number of children enrolled in a separate CHIP program or the separate CHIP part of a combination program for at least 90 continuous days who received at least one treatment service by or under the supervision of a dentist, as defined by HCPCS codes D2000 - D9999 (or equivalent CDT codes D2000 - D9999 or equivalent CPT codes, that is, only those CPT codes that involve periodontics, maxillofacial prosthetics, implants, oral and maxillofacial surgery, orthodontics, adjunctive general services, and only if provided by or under the supervision of a dentist), based on an unduplicated paid, unpaid, or denied claim.

Report all dental services data in the age category reflecting the child's age at the end of the federal fiscal year even if the child received services while in two age categories. For example, if a child turned 10 on September 1st, but had a cleaning in April and a cavity filled in September, both the cleaning and the filling would be counted in the 10-14 age category.

b. For the age grouping that includes children 8 years of age, what is the number of such children who have received a sealant on at least one permanent molar tooth⁵? [7]

⁵Receiving a Sealant on a Permanent Molar Tooth -- Enter the unduplicated number of children enrolled in a separate CHIP program or the separate CHIP part of a combination program for 90 continuous days and in the age category of 6-9 who received a sealant on a permanent molar tooth, as defined by HCPCS code D1351 (or equivalent CDT code D1351), based on an unduplicated paid, unpaid, or denied claim. For this line, include sealants placed by any dental professional for whom placing a sealant is within his or her scope of practice. Permanent molars are teeth numbered 2, 3, 14, 15, 18, 19, 30, 31, and additionally, for those states that cover sealants on third molars, also known as wisdom teeth, the teeth numbered 1, 16, 17, 32.

Report all sealant data in the age category reflecting the child's age at the end of the federal fiscal year even if the child was factually a different age on the date of service. For example, if a child turned 6 on September 1st, but had a sealant applied in July, the sealant would be counted in the age 6-9 category.

2. Does the state provide supplemental dental coverage? Yes No

If yes, how many children are enrolled? [7]

What percent of the total number of enrolled children have supplemental dental coverage? [5]

Enter any Narrative text related to Section III G below. [7500]

Section III H: CHIPRA CAHPS Requirement:

CHIPRA section 402(a)(2), which amends reporting requirements in section 2108 of the Social Security Act, requires Title XXI Programs (i.e., CHIP Medicaid Expansion programs, Separate Child Health Programs, or a combination of the two) to report CAHPS results to CMS starting December 2013. While Title XXI Programs may select any CAHPS survey to fulfill this requirement, CMS encourages these programs to align with the CAHPS measure in the Children's Core Set of Health Care Quality Measures for Medicaid and CHIP (Child Core Set). Starting in 2013, Title XXI Programs should submit summary level information from the CAHPS survey to CMS via the CARTS attachment facility. We also encourage states to submit raw data to the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality's CAHPS Database. More information is available in the Technical Assistance fact sheet, Collecting and Reporting the CAHPS Survey as Required Under the CHIPRA: <https://www.medicaid.gov/medicaid/quality-of-care/downloads/cahpsfactsheet.pdf>

If a state would like to provide CAHPS data on both Medicaid and CHIP enrollees, the agency must sample Title XIX (Medicaid) and Title XXI (CHIP) programs separately and submit separate results to CMS to fulfill the CHIPRA Requirement.

Did you Collect this Survey in Order to Meet the CHIPRA CAHPS Requirement? Yes No

If Yes, How Did you Report this Survey (select all that apply):

- Submitted raw data to AHRQ (CAHPS Database)
- Submitted a summary report to CMS using the CARTS attachment facility (NOTE: do not submit raw CAHPS data to CMS)
- Other. Explain:

If No, Explain Why:

Select all that apply (Must select at least one):

- Service not covered
- Population not covered
 - Entire population not covered
 - Partial population not coveredExplain the partial population not covered:
- Data not available
 - Explain why data not available
 - Budget constraints
 - Staff constraints
 - Data inconsistencies/accuracyPlease explain:
 - Data source not easily accessibleSelect all that apply:
 - Requires medical record review
 - Requires data linkage which does not currently exist
 - Other:
- Information not collected.
 - Select all that apply:
 - Not collected by provider (hospital/health plan)
 - Other:
- Other:
- Small sample size (less than 30)

Enter specific sample size:
 Other. Explain:

Definition of Population Included in the Survey Sample:

Definition of population included in the survey sample:

- Denominator includes CHIP (Title XXI) population only.
 - Survey sample includes CHIP Medicaid Expansion population.
 - Survey sample includes Separate CHIP population.
 - Survey sample includes Combination CHIP population.

If the denominator is a subset of the definition selected above, please further define the denominator, and indicate the number of children excluded:

The denominator includes all children enrolled in Medicaid funded under Titles XIX and XXI. As explained last year, the template does not provide adequate choices to answer the above question.

Which Version of the CAHPS® Survey was Used?

- CAHPS® 5.0.
- CAHPS® 5.0H.
- Other. Explain: CAHPS PCMH C&G with survey methodology approved by CMS and AHRQ and reviewed by NCQA that includes sample frames from Medicaid administrative claims representing a

Which Supplemental Item Sets were Included in the Survey?

- No supplemental item sets were included
- CAHPS Item Set for Children with Chronic Conditions
- Other CAHPS Item Set. Explain: The CCC screener is incorporated, the PCMH set and other CMS/AHRQ approved questions with input from NCQA related to care coordination and shared decision making and the CAHMI Screener (MCH C&YSHCNs screener questions) to identify children with chronic conditions were included per our PI, Dr. Charles Gallia, with the CHIPRA children's quality demonstration, TCHIC.

DHSS added ACEs and positive health/resiliency questions from the NSCH at the recommendation of Dr. Christina Bethell, CAHMI.

Which Administrative Protocol was Used to Administer the Survey?

- NCQA HEDIS CAHPS 5.0H administrative protocol
- AHRQ CAHPS administrative protocol
- Other administrative protocol. Explain: The CAHPS PCMH C&G protocol with the added CAHMI screener questions for C&YSHCNs was approved by CMS, AHRQ and NCQA. The 2016 CAHPS PCMH C&G survey that was fielded in fall 2016 is being reported in the CARTS 2017.

Enter any Narrative text related to Section IIIH below. [7500]

See file uploaded in attachment facility entitled - AK_DHSS_CAHPS_PCMH_CG_PatientExperience_fall2015_XXI&XIX_funded_Medicaid_children.pdf for a copy of the children's Medicaid, XXI and XIX funded, hybrid CAHPS PCMH CG patient experience survey. Executive Summary is the first few pages of the report. The attached reports contains summary information for adults, XIX funded, and children, XIX and XXI funded, enrolled in Alaska Medicaid.

Section III I: Health Service Initiatives (HSI) Under the CHIP State Plan

Persuant to Section 2105(a)(1)(D)(ii) of the Social Security Act, states have the option to use up to 10 percent of actual or estimated Federal expenditures to develop state-designed Health Services Initiatives (HSI) (after first funding costs associated with administration of the CHIP state plan), as defined in regulations at 42 CFR 457.10, to improve the health of low-income children.

- 1) Does your state operate HSI(s) to provide direct services or implement public health initiatives using

HSI Program	Metric	Outcome

Enter any Narrative text related to Section III I below. **[7500]**

Section IV. Program financing for State Plan

1. Please complete the following table to provide budget information. Describe in narrative any details of your planned use of funds below, including the assumptions on which this budget was based (per member/per month rate, estimated enrollment and source of non-federal funds).
(Note: This reporting period equals federal fiscal year 2017. If you have a combination program you need only submit one budget; programs do not need to be reported separately.)

COST OF APPROVED CHIP PLAN

	2017	2018	2019
Benefit Costs			
Insurance payments			
Managed Care			
Fee for Service	29676413	31367969	33155943
Total Benefit Costs	29676413	31367969	33155943
(Offsetting beneficiary cost sharing payments)			
Net Benefit Costs	\$ 29676413	\$ 31367969	\$ 33155943

	2017	2018	2019
Administration Costs			
Personnel			
General Administration	2972634	3142074	3321172
Contractors/Brokers (e.g., enrollment contractors)			
Claims Processing			
Outreach/Marketing costs			
Other (e.g., indirect costs)			
Health Services Initiatives			
Total Administration Costs	2972634	3142074	3321172
10% Administrative Cap (net benefit costs ÷ 9)	3297379	3485330	3683994

	2017	2018	2019
Federal Title XXI Share	28731161	30368838	32099861
State Share	3917886	4141205	4377254
TOTAL COSTS OF APPROVED CHIP PLAN	32649047	34510043	36477115

2. What were the sources of non-federal funding used for state match during the reporting period?

- State appropriations
- County/local funds
- Employer contributions
- Foundation grants
- Private donations
- Tobacco settlement
- Other (specify) **[500]**

3. Did you experience a short fall in CHIP funds this year? If so, what is your analysis for why there were not enough federal CHIP funds for your program? **[1500]**
 In FFY17, no, AK did not experience a short fall in XXI funding as of 09/30/17, the close of the FFY17.

4. In the tables below, enter 1) number of eligibles used to determine per member per month costs for the current year and estimates for the next two years; and, 2) per member per month (PMPM) cost rounded to a whole number. If you have CHIP enrollees in a fee for service program, per member per month cost will be the average cost per month to provide services to these enrollees.

A. Managed Care

Year	Number of Eligibles	PMPM (\$)
2017		\$
2018		\$
2019		\$

A. Fee For Service

Year	Number of Eligibles	PMPM (\$)
2017	12749	\$2328
2018	13004	\$2412
2019	13264	\$2500

Enter any Narrative text related to Section IV below. **[7500]**
 The above average cost is based on FFY17 quarter SEDS CHIP enrollment.

Section V: Program Challenges and Accomplishments

1. For the reporting period, please provide an overview of your state's political and fiscal environment as it relates to health care for low income, uninsured children and families, and how this environment impacted CHIP. [7500]

The Executive Branch Administration during FFY 17 was in its 3rd of four year term. Governor Walker, formerly a Republican turned Independent, ran with a Democrat, now Lieutenant Governor, Byron Mallott, who originally was also a candidate for Governor. They won the Gubernatorial election in 2014. The Administration Department and Division appointed leadership represents a mixture of individuals, some left from the previous administration as well as newly appointed staff to state government. In 2015, the Administration, through Executive Order and without passage of legislation, expanded Medicaid under the ACA. The Commissioner of the DHSS (cabinet appointment), Valerie Davidson, is a Tribal leader from Bethel, a regional hub in western Alaska. She was instrumental in working with the Administration to expand Medicaid and in working with the Legislature to implement the Medicaid health care reform legislation passed in 2015 under SB 74.

The AK Legislature in 2017 was comprised of a House Coalition or Caucus of members from both parties representing the majority, which had ceased to exist for a period of time, but had been successful with past Legislatures, while the Senate remained under Republican control.

Alaska faces a very large structural budget deficit, which the Administration hopes to fix, but has had minimal success thus far through the close of 2017. With no state income tax or sales tax to generate revenue, the budget is, for the most part, reliant on oil production tax. While the spring forecast for oil production rose (per barrel price) to \$54 for FY 2018, it is not enough to offset the budget deficit(s) that are projected over the next few years even though there have been major cuts to state government in Alaska.

According to the AK OMB in its white paper entitled "Ten Year Budget Forecast Relative to Preliminary Fall 2017 Revenue Projections," continuing deficits of between \$2.5 and \$3.0 billion per year will persist even with the increased oil production mentioned above from the spring Department of Revenue forecast. This represents the largest long-term budget deficit in the nation, which has depleted \$14 billion in savings over five years.

By using Permanent Fund earnings to fund existing government services, including annual decreased dividend payout to the Alaskan population because the state owns the mineral rights in AK and every man, woman and child who lives in AK receives an annual payment from these oil revenues, the deficit would still remain and the increased oil production mentioned previously would fail to provide enough revenue before the primary state savings accounts are depleted.

According to the referenced document, there are several scenarios, including Medicaid growth rates which exceed standard inflationary increases, that could cause the budget gap to increase, similar to what is likely to happen if Medicaid is block granted. These two items along with others listed in the white paper can change the financial picture significantly. These two scenarios could negatively impact the provision of health care services to Alaska's low-income children and families and increase uninsured rates.

Alaska has another savings account called the Constitutional Budget Reserve (CBR). The balance of this account has declined significantly and, for security, a minimum balance should be \$2 billion and preferably \$5 billion according to the OMB white paper. If there are no reserves, the state will be forced to borrow at more expensive rates and if there are natural disasters, the reserve could be depleted altogether.

2. During the reporting period, what has been the greatest challenge your program has experienced? **[7500]**

The greatest challenge during FFY 17 was not knowing whether the Children's Health Insurance Program would be reauthorized. Even though the Department chose the Medicaid expansion program option for Denali KidCare, once the FFY 17 Federal CHIP allotment has been exhausted, then the State will fall back on the lower Medicaid FMAP, and with the huge budget deficits, this becomes another budgetary concern. Medicaid expansion CHIPs are required by the maintenance of effort (MOE) provision to maintain children's coverage for these optionally targeted low-income children through September 2019.

The OIG audit of the CHIPRA performance bonus payments by the Office of the Inspector General in August 2017 was also a challenge and completely unexpected. In reviewing the other states' OIG audit findings, most all have been required to refund monies for their blind and disabled children's categories. So while we did not have OIG audit findings by the close of FFY 17, the thought of possibly having to refund monies paid for streamlining and simplifying eligibility in Alaska, in addition to enrolling more children, is disheartening.

3. During the reporting period, what accomplishments have been achieved in your program? **[7500]**

To expound on the information reported last year for this question, while the full CAHPS PCMH CG survey will not be used to monitor patient experience of care under the SB74 health care reform legislation, including access to care, certain questions from the survey were chosen by the DHSS External Stakeholders' Committee and adopted by the DHSS Commissioner in addition to several of the children's core quality measures to monitor the performance of the Medicaid program in Alaska.

Children's enrollment has continued to increase, especially in the Medicaid, CHIP funded, optionally targeted low-income subtypes, which is likely due to improvement in and familiarity with processing children's applications and renewals in the Division of Public Assistance Field Offices across the state.

4. What changes have you made or are planning to make in your CHIP program during the next fiscal year? Please comment on why the changes are planned. **[7500]**

No programmatic changes are under consideration, that I am aware of, in FFY 18 as maintenance of effort (MOE), for Medicaid expansion CHIPs, ensures that children will remain enrolled in the CHIP funded Medicaid subtypes through September 30, 2019 given Congress did not act on funding extension or reauthorization after the September 30, 2017 funding extension date was reached and no legislation was passed.

Enter any Narrative text related to Section V below. **[7500]**

Last year, DHSS looked at both children's Title XIX funded Medicaid and Title XXI funded CHIP enrollment for the period 2009 through 2016, right after the reauthorization of CHIP under CHIPRA in 2009 and the passage of the ACA in 2010. Both annual ever enrolled in year numbers were analyzed in addition to point-in-time quarter-end enrollment at the end of each FFY (September 30). The data referenced below was retrieved from the CMS Statistical Enrollment Data System (SEDS).

Alaska implemented the Medicaid expansion under ACA in September 2015.

Looking at our M-CHIP enrollment funded at the enhanced match, enrollment increased for this group of children from 2009 to 2011 and then began to decline in 2012. Then in the summer of 2013, the Denali KidCare Office in Anchorage closed. All applications and renewals for children and pregnant women were processed in this office. While the point-in-time enrollment at the end of FFY 13 declined, the overall number of children ever-enrolled in year increased significantly, which means that the Department touched a number of children's lives during that year, but the effects of the office closure is seen in the point-in-time enrollment decline at FFY 13, 4th Qtr end. Both enrollment measures continued to decline in FFY 2014 and 2015 before turning upward in FFY 16. Between FFY 2015 and 2016 year end, CHIP funded Medicaid ever enrolled in year children increased 53.8%. Children's ever enrolled in year numbers between FFY 2016 to 2017 slowed down somewhat, but still preliminarily showed an increase of 13%.

Turning to our regular Medicaid child enrollment over the same time period, from 2009 through 2011, enrollment of the mandatory children increased. In 2012, the point-in-time 4th Qtr end number held its own, showing only a slight increase, while the ever-enrolled in year enrollment declined. Then in 2013 the point-in-time enrollment declined slightly while the ever-enrolled in year enrollment increased. Then in FFY 2014 the point-in-time enrollment increased, while the ever-enrolled in year declined slightly. In 2015 just the opposite occurred with the point-in-time enrollment number turning downward and the ever-enrolled in year number increasing. Between 2015 and 2016 both mandatory children's Medicaid enrollment increased for both measures. The slight uptick from the opening of the Health Insurance Marketplace (HIM) and the AK ACA Medicaid expansion can be seen. Preliminary enrollment for children ever enrolled in regular Medicaid showed an increase of almost 7% between 2016 and 2017. Enrollment chart is attached.