

Measurement Period for Denominators and Numerators for the FFY 2016 Health Home Core Set Measures

Measure	FFY 2016 Measurement Period ^a		
	Denominator ^b	Numerator	Continuous Enrollment Period
Core Set Measures			
ABA-HH: Adult Body Mass Index	January 1, 2014–December 31, 2015	January 1, 2014–December 31, 2015	Enrolled in a Medicaid Health Home January 1, 2014–December 31, 2015 ^c
CBP-HH: Controlling High Blood Pressure	January 1, 2015–June 30, 2015 Hypertension diagnosis: Anytime during the enrollee's history on or before June 30, 2015	January 1, 2015–December 31, 2015 ^d	Enrolled in a Medicaid Health Home January 1, 2015–December 31, 2015 ^e
CDF-HH: Screening for Clinical Depression and Follow-Up Plan	January 1, 2015–December 31, 2015	January 1, 2015–December 31, 2015	January 1, 2015–December 31, 2015 (Enrolled in a Medicaid Health Home program for at least 90 days during which an outpatient visit occurred)
CTR-HH: Timely Transmission of Transition Record	January 1, 2015–December 31, 2015	January 1, 2015–December 31, 2015	Enrolled in a Medicaid Home Health program on discharge date
FUH-HH: Follow-Up After Hospitalization for Mental Illness	Discharge date: January 1, 2015–December 1, 2015	7 Day Follow-up: January 1, 2015–December 8, 2015 (Discharge date through 7 days after discharge date) 30 Day Follow-up: January 1, 2015–December 31, 2015 (Discharge date through 30 days after discharge date)	January 1, 2015–December 31, 2015 (Enrolled in a Medicaid Health Home on discharge date through 30 days after discharge date)
IET-HH: Initiation and Engagement of Alcohol and Other Drug (AOD) Dependence Treatment	Index episode start date (IESD): January 1, 2015–November 15, 2015 Negative diagnosis history review: November 1, 2014–September 16, 2015 (60 days prior to IESD)	Initiation of AOD Treatment: January 1, 2015–November 28, 2015 (Within 13 days following IESD) Engagement of AOD Treatment: January 2, 2015–December 27, 2015 (Within 29 days following Initiation of AOD treatment date)	November 1, 2014–December 29, 2015 (Enrolled in a Medicaid Health Home 60 days prior to IESD through 44 days after the IESD)
PCR-HH: Plan All-Cause Readmissions Rate	Index hospital stay (IHS) discharge date: January 1, 2015–December 1, 2015	January 1, 2015–December 31, 2015 (30 days following IHS discharge date)	Enrolled in a Medicaid Health Home January 1, 2014–December 31, 2015 (365 days prior to IHS discharge date through 30 days after the IHS discharge date) ^f

HEALTH HOME CORE SET FFY 2016 MEASUREMENT PERIOD TABLE

Measure	FFY 2016 Measurement Period ^a		
	Denominator ^b	Numerator	Continuous Enrollment Period
PQI92-HH: Chronic Condition Hospital Admission Composite —Prevention Quality Indicator	January 1, 2015–December 31, 2015	January 1, 2015–December 31, 2015	None
Utilization Measures			
AMB-HH: Ambulatory Care: Emergency Department Visits	January 1, 2015–December 31, 2015	January 1, 2015–December 31, 2015	None
IU-HH: Inpatient Utilization	January 1, 2015–December 31, 2015	Inpatient discharge date: January 1, 2015–December 31, 2015 Total length of stay: Admission date to discharge date. Total length of stay may include days before January 1, 2015. Total days should not include days after December 31, 2015.	None
NFU-HH: Nursing Facility Utilization	September 1, 2014–August 31, 2015	Nursing facility admission date: September 1, 2014–August 31, 2015 Length of stay: September 1, 2014–December 31, 2015	None

^a For some measures, the measurement period for the numerator, denominator, or continuous enrollment period varies depending on a specified date for each enrollee (such as enrollee birthdates, prescription or treatment start dates, and discharge dates). For these measures, two ranges are shown. The first date range identifies the full range of possible dates that states will need to use to calculate the measure for all measure-eligible enrollees. The text in parentheses describes the measurement period that should be used for each eligible enrollee.

^b When reporting each measure to CMS in MACPro, states should report the measurement period they used for the denominator in the “Start Date” and “End Date” fields. For many measures, this date range corresponds to calendar year 2015 (January 1, 2015–December 31, 2015). Some measures also require states to review utilization or enrollment prior to this period to identify the measure eligible population. For these measures, two date ranges are included in this table. The first date range should be used to populate the Start Date and End Date fields in MACPro, while the second date range defines these prior review periods and should not be included in the Start Date and End Date fields in MACPro. For example, the IET-HH measure instructs states to identify enrollees with index episode start dates (IESD) that started January 1, 2015 through November 15, 2015 (the first date range). However, states will also need to review an enrollee’s diagnosis history for 60 days prior to the date of the IESD when the patient had no claims/encounters with a diagnosis of AOD dependence (the second date range). States that followed the FFY 2016 Health Home Core Set specifications should enter “January 1, 2015” in the Start Date field and “November 15, 2015” in the End Date field in MACPro. States should note any deviations to any measurement period (numerator, denominator, continuous enrollment) in the “Deviations from Measurement Specifications” section in MACPro.

^c No more than one gap in enrollment of up to 45 days during each year of the continuous enrollment period.

^d Blood pressure reading must occur after the diagnosis of hypertension was made.

^e No more than one gap in enrollment of up to 45 days during the continuous enrollment period.

^f No more than one gap in enrollment of up to 45 days during the 365 days prior to the index discharge date and no gap during the 30 days following the index discharge date.