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Statewide Medicaid Managed Care (SMMC) Policy Transmittal: 2023-17

Applicable to the **2018-2024 SMMC contract benefits** for:

- Managed Medical Assistance (MMA) and MMA Specialty
- Long-Term Care (LTC)
- Dental

Re: Dental Plan Performance Measure Changes for July 1, 2024 Reporting (Measurement Year 2023)

The dental plan must collect data and report on the following performance measures, certified via a National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA) certified Healthcare Effectiveness Data and Information Set auditor. (Attachment II, Section IX.B.2.c., Table 4) The purpose of this policy transmittal is to notify the dental plan of changes in the performance measures for July 1, 2024, reporting.

Discontinued Performance Measure

The Agency-defined performance measure Dental Treatment Services (TDENT) will no longer be a dental plan performance measure. The dental plan shall continue to include the information in its Well-Child Visit Report submission, but the measure will not be calculated or used for contract compliance purposes.

Modified Dental Plan Performance Measures Table

The only changes to the performance measures for the dental plans are updates to the steward/source of the performance measures in Attachment II, Section IX.B.2.c., as indicated below:

TABLE 4	
PERFORMANCE MEASURES	
Child Core Set	
1.	Sealant Receipt on Permanent 1 st Molars – (SFM-CH)
2.	Oral Evaluation – (OEV-CH)
3.	Topical Fluoride for Children – (TFL-CH)
Dental Quality Alliance	
4.	Ambulatory Care Sensitive Emergency Department Visits for Dental Caries in Children – (EDV-CH)
5.	Follow-up after Emergency Department Visits for Dental Caries in Children – (EDF-CH)
6.	Ambulatory Care Sensitive Emergency Department Visits for Non-Traumatic Dental Conditions in Adults – (EDV-A)



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7.	Treatment Services (Pediatric Measure) – (TRT-CH)
8.	Caries Risk Documentation - (CRD)
Agency-Defined	
9.	Annual Dental Visits – (ADV-AD) *
10.	Preventive Dental Services - (PDENT) [Based on CMS-416]

*Annual Dental Visit shall be calculated using the CY 2022 HEDIS specifications for the measure.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact your Agency contract manager.

Sincerely,



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Deputy Secretary for Medicaid Policy, Quality
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Attachment: Dental Performance Measure Specifications for July 1, 2024 Reporting