

**MEASURE SUMMARY
CHIPRA Core Set Candidate Measures**

- A. **Control #:** CC-2
- B. **Measure Name:** Follow-up care for children prescribed ADHD medications (continuation and maintenance phase)

C. **Measure Definition**

- a. **Numerator:** Children 6–12 years of age (as of the index prescription start date) who in addition to the visit in the Initiation Phase, had at least two follow-up visits with a practitioner within 270 days (9 months) after the Initiation Phase ended
- b. **Denominator:** Children 6–12 years of age as of the index prescription date, with an ambulatory prescription dispensed for ADHD medication, who remained on the medication for at least 210 days

D. **Measure Type:** Process Outcome Structure Efficiency

E. **Measure collected using:** EMR CPOE Other HIT N/A NR

VALIDITY

- F. **Evidence of measure validity submitted?** Yes No
- G. **Level of evidence supporting the measure (if submitted):** (see Oxford University CEBM Levels of Evidence)
Oxford CEBM = 5 (Expert consensus opinion)
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- H. **USPSTF Grade** if applicable:
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FEASIBILITY

- I. **Measure Specifications Submitted?** Yes No Yes, but insufficient detail provided
- J. **Data Source:**
 Admin MR Survey Other (specify): _____ NR
- K. **Evidence of measure reliability submitted?** Yes No
- L. **List of entity types currently using measure:**

Medicaid MMCs. Reporting to HEDIS: N = 73 PLANS, 41% of which reported valid rates. These plans represented 24 States.

IMPORTANCE

M. **Addresses area of care mandated in legislation?**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes (specify): chronic care amelioration and treatment	<input type="checkbox"/> No
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N. **Documented variation in performance (by race/ethnicity, language spoken, insurance type, etc)?**

Yes No NR

In 2007, average of 38.83% across Medicaid plans reporting. 10th percentile: 13.21%; 90th percentile 58.33%
NCQA SOHCQ REPORTS THE BOTTOM REGION was the mid-Atlantic (26.1%) and the top region was New England (57.2%).

O. **Measure used/data are collected in racial/ethnic populations other than non-Hispanic white?**

Yes No NR