

ADVANCED PRIMARY CARE



## Advanced Primary Care Measure Set

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## Measure Set: Alignment with Attributes

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Quality Domain	Measure	NQF ID	Population	Attributes of Advanced Primary Care				
				Person & Family Centered	High Value	Team Based & Collaborative	Accessible	Coordinated & Integrated
Health Outcomes & Prevention	Asthma Medication Ratio (AMR)	1800	Pediatric/Adult			●		●
	Breast Cancer Screening (BCS-E)	2372	Adult	●		●		●
	Childhood Immunization Status Combo 10 (CIS)*	0038	Pediatric	●		●		●
	Colorectal Cancer Screening (CCS)*	0034	Adult	●		●		●
	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP)*	0018	Adult			●		●
	Glycemic Status Assessment (GSD) HbA1c Poor Control (>9%)*	0059	Adult			●		●
	Glycemic Status Assessment (GSD) HbA1c (<8%)*	0575	Adult			●		●
	Immunizations for Adolescents (Combo 2) (IMA)	1407	Pediatric	●		●		●
Patient Reported Outcomes	Depression Screening and Follow-Up for Adolescents and Adults (DSF)	–	Pediatric/Adult	●	●	●	●	●
	Depression Remission or Response for Adolescents and Adults (DRR-E)**	–	Pediatric/Adult	●	●	●	●	●
Patient Safety	New measure to be added post testing in 2025							
Patient Experience	Patient Experience (CG-CAHPS)	0005	Pediatric/Adult	●		●	●	●
High Value Care	Emergency Department Visits	–	Pediatric/Adult		●		●	●
	Inpatient/Acute Hospital Utilization	–	Pediatric/Adult		●		●	●
	Total Cost of Care	1604	Pediatric/Adult		●			

\* Priority measures for stratification across race, ethnicity and other variables by Covered California and/or the National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA).

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# Measure Set: Industry Alignment Crosswalk

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The Advanced Primary Care measure set is summarized in the table to the right, highlighting each of the measures for which providers are compensated by the major payers in California.

Quality Domain	Measure	NQF ID	Population	Industry Alignment			
				Commercial <sup>1</sup>	Medi-Cal <sup>2</sup>	CMS <sup>3</sup>	DMHC <sup>4</sup>
Health Outcomes & Prevention	Asthma Medication Ratio (AMR)	1800	Pediatric/Adult	●	●	●	●
	Breast Cancer Screening (BCS-E)	2372	Adult	●	●	●	●
	Childhood Immunization Status Combo 10 (CIS)*	0038	Pediatric	●	●	●	●
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	Immunizations for Adolescents (Combo 2) (IMA)	1407	Pediatric	●	●	●	●
Patient Reported Outcomes	Depression Screening and Follow-Up for Adolescents and Adults (DSF)	-	Pediatric/Adult	●	●	●	●
	Depression Remission or Response for Adolescents and Adults (DRR-E)**	-	Pediatric/Adult		●		
Patient Safety	New measure to be added post testing in 2025						
Patient Experience	Patient Experience (CG-CAHPS)	0005	Pediatric/Adult	●	●	●	●
High Value Care	Emergency Department Visits	-	Pediatric/Adult	●			
	Inpatient/Acute Hospital Utilization	-	Pediatric/Adult	●			
	Total Cost of Care	1604	Pediatric/Adult	●			

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- [Integrated Healthcare Association. Align. Measure. Perform. Commercial HMO \(Measurement Year 2024\)](#)
- [California Department of Health Care Services. Medi Cal Managed Care Accountability Set \(Measurement Year 2024\)](#)
- [Center for Medicare and Medicaid Universal Foundation Measure Set \(2023\)](#)
- [December 21, 2022 Press Release \(ca.gov\)](#)

## Measure Set: Testing for the Future

These measures will be tested for applicability for measurement and payment at the practice level and may be added to a future version of the set based on results.

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Health Outcomes & Prevention	Child and Adolescent Well-Care Visits (WCV)	-	Pediatric	●	●		●
	Prenatal and Postpartum Care (PPC)	1517	Adult	●	●		●
	Well Child Visits in the First 30 Months of Life (W30)	1392	Pediatric	●	●	●	●
Patient Safety	Pharmacotherapy for Opioid Disorder (POD)	-	Pediatric/Adult	●	●		

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