

State of New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services

Quality Assurance and Improvement: Medicaid Care Management Quality Strategy

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Open period for comments on the MCM Quality Strategy.



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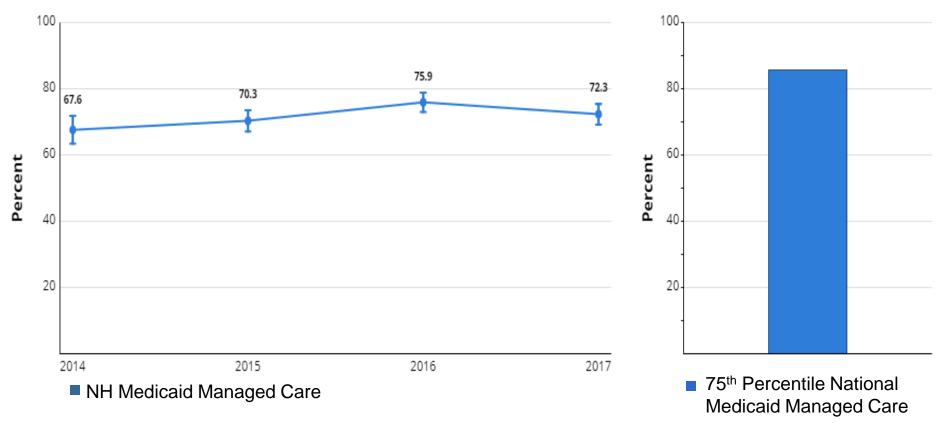
- A managed care quality strategy is a federally required written document demonstrating how a state assesses and improves the quality of health care and services furnished by the MCO.
- The quality strategy should be updated at least once every 3 years OR when there is a significant program change (e.g. new population, new MCM contract).
- CMS has specific requirements for what must be included in a quality strategy.
 The final draft must be posted for public comments and the state must obtain input from MCAC, beneficiaries and other stakeholders.
- The current update will be the 5th version of the NH Medicaid MCM Quality Strategy.



What Are The Primary Updates?

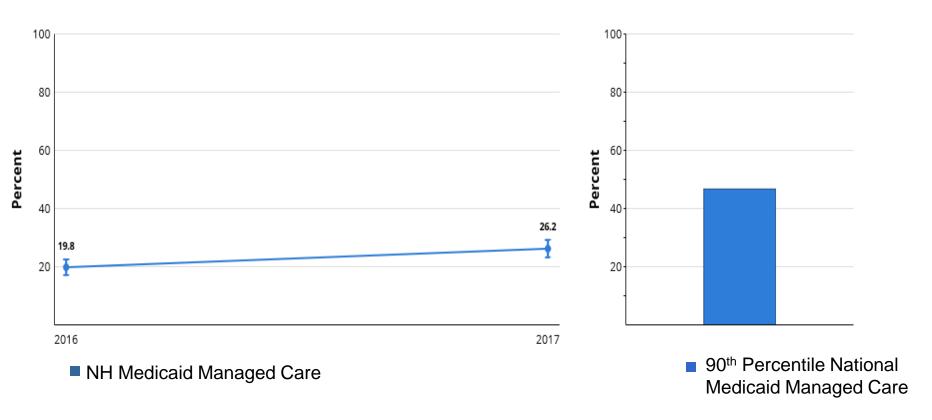
- Added Activities/Initiatives that impact quality:
 - Earned Performance Withhold and Performance Incentive Payment; and
 - Alternative Payment Models.
- Added New goal/objects:
 - Improved Care Coordination; and
 - Reduction of Medicaid enrollment gaps.
- Changed benchmarks for quality of care for:
 - Prevention; and
 - Treatment.





Measure Description:

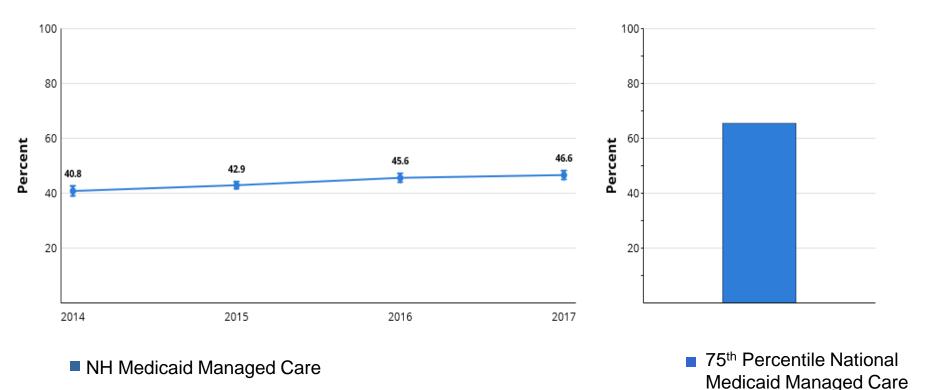
The percent of members 13 years of age who received vaccine combination #1 (meningococcal vaccine <u>and</u> tetanus, diphtheria, and acellular pertussis (Tdap) or tetanus, diphtheria toxoid vaccine (Td).



Measure Description:

The percent of members 13 years of age who received vaccine combination #2 (meningococcal vaccine, Tdap (or Td), and HPV (2 or 3 doses).

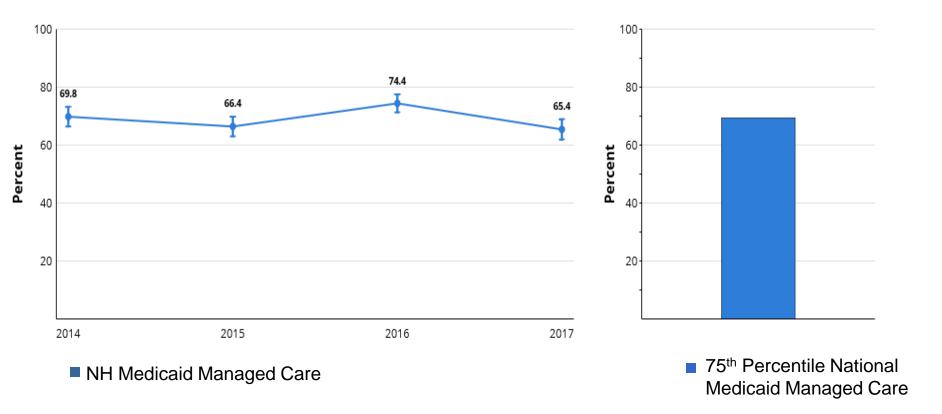
Chlamydia Screening in Women



Measure Description:

The percent of sexually active female members 16-24 years of age who had at least one test for chlamydia during the past year.

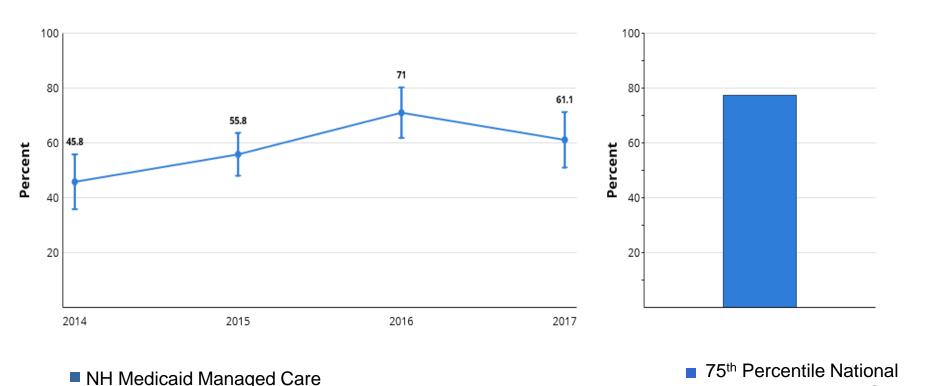
Timely Postpartum Care Visit



Measure Description:

The percent of women who delivered a live birth and had a postpartum visit 21 - 56 days after delivery.

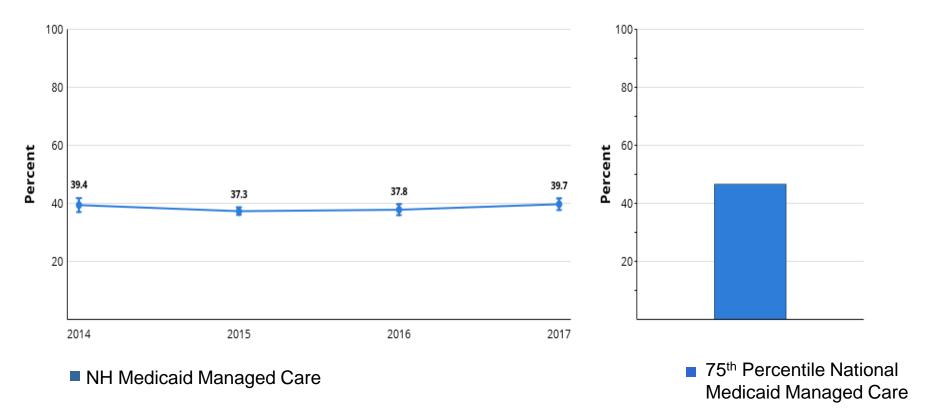
Medicaid Managed Care



Measure Description:

The percent of members 18 – 64 years of age who have diabetes and schizophrenia and had a LDL-C and HbA1c laboratory test during the measurement year.

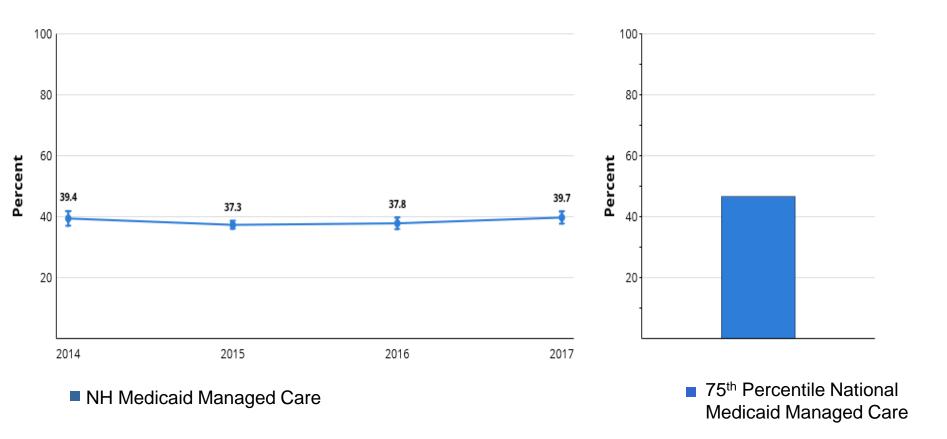
Follow-Up Care for Children Prescribed Attention-Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder Medication-Initiation



Measure Description:

The percent of members 6 -12 years of age who are newly prescribed attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) medication and had a follow-up visit within 30 days with a practioner who has prescribing authority.

Initiation and Engagement of Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse or Dependence Treatment-Initiation Total

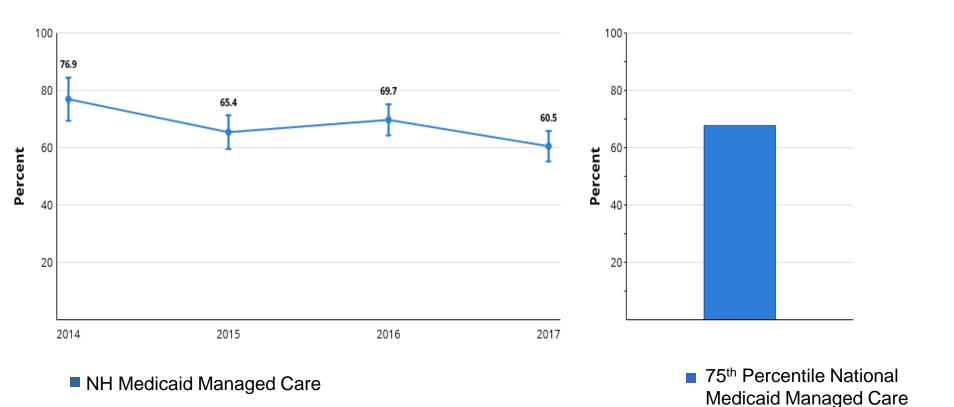


Measure Description:

The percent of members 13 years of age and older who had a new episode of alcohol or other drug (AOD) dependence and initiated treatment within 14 days of diagnosis.

Use of First-Line Psychosocial Care for Children and Adolescents on Antipsychotics

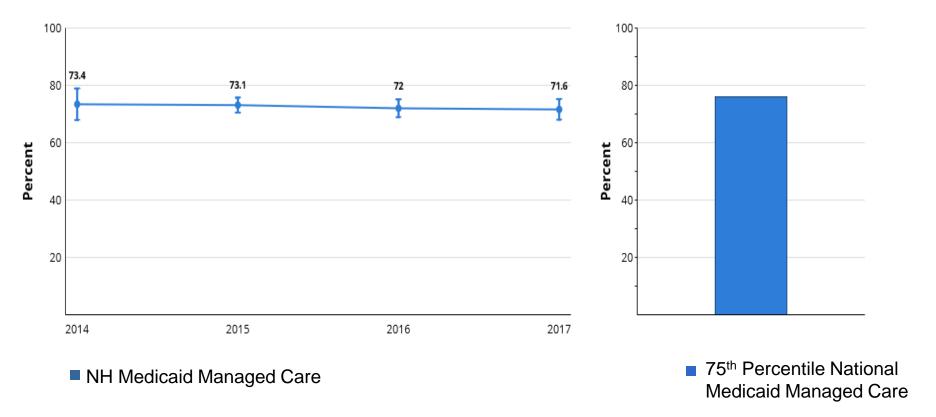




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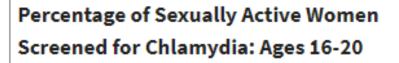
The percentage of members 1-17 years of age who were prescribed an antipsychotic medication and had documentation of psychosocial care as first-line treatment.

Use of Imaging Studies for Low Back Pain



Measure Description:

The percent of members 18 – 50 years of age with a primary diagnosis of low back pain and did not receive an imaging study within 28 days of diagnosis.



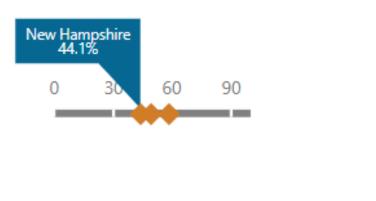
Chlamydia Screening in Women Ages 16-20

46 States State Reporting Rate

State 44.1

Population: Medicaid only

Performance





- Open Comment Period: July 1, 2019 through August 8, 2019
- QS Draft can be found at: https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/ombp/quality/index.htm
- Email Comments to: Medicaidquality@dhhs.nh.gov
- Comment Format: Comments made directly on the electronic document are preferred; however, any format will be accepted. For comments not made on the electric document, include a summary and page number of the quality strategy element associated with your comment.



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Questions & Answers



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