

PSYCKES-Medicaid Release Notes – New Quality Measure

My QI Report, Statewide Reports, and Recipient Search Substance Use Disorders Quality Indicator Set

A new quality indicator set has been added to My QI Reports, Statewide Reports, and Recipient Search. This indicator set is calculated by the Department of Health (DOH) on “mature” Medicaid data and sent to the Office of Mental Health to display in the PSYCKES application.

DOH calculates the measures in this set after a 6-month billing data maturation period to allow for services to be invoiced. The measures are based on a 12-month period of services. The list of measures or “sub-indicators” within this new Substance Use Disorders are listed below with a brief description.

Identifying clients who meet criteria for any of the indicators in this set has special protections. Therefore, provider agency users will only be able to see a list of recipients from this indicator for whom PSYCKES consent was obtained. Without client consent, only aggregate information about these measures will be available in PSYCKES.

Substance Use Disorders Quality Indicator Set	Description
No Continuity of Care after Detox to Lower Level of Care	The percentage of individuals ages 13 and older discharged from inpatient detox who did not have follow up treatment in a lower level of care setting within 14 days.
No Continuity of Care after Rehab to Lower Level of Care	The percentage of individuals ages 13 years and older discharged from inpatient rehabilitation who did not have follow up treatment in a lower level of care setting within 14 days.
No Initiation of Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) for New Episode of Opioid Use Disorder (OUD)	The percentage of individuals ages 13 and older newly diagnosed with Opioid Use Disorder (OUD) who did not initiate Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) within 30 days of the new OUD diagnosis index visit.
No Utilization of Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) for Opioid Use Disorder (OUD)	The percentage of individuals ages 13 and older with Opioid Use Disorder (OUD) who did not initiate Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) at any time during measurement year.
No Initiation of SUD Treatment	The percentage of individuals ages 13 and older with a new diagnosis of alcohol or other substance use disorder (SUD) who did not initiate SUD treatment within 14 days of diagnosis.
No Engagement in SUD Treatment	The percentage of individuals ages 13 and older with a new diagnosis of alcohol or other substance use disorder (SUD) who did not engage in SUD treatment as evidence by initiation of SUD treatment within 14 days of diagnosis and followed up by 2 or more additional visits for SUD treatment within 30 days of initiation visit.
No Follow Up after SUD ER Visit (7 Days)	The percentage of individuals ages 13 and older discharged from an emergency room for alcohol or other substance use disorder (SUD) and not seen on an ambulatory basis for treatment within 7 days of discharge.
No Follow Up after SUD ER Visit (30 days)	The percentage of individuals ages 13 and older discharged from an emergency room for alcohol or other substance use disorder (SUD) and not seen on an ambulatory basis for treatment within 30 days of discharge.