Clarifications, Technical Corrections, and Policy Changes to the PY1-5 Implementation Plan for the MassHealth CBHC Incentive Program Performance Year 1–5

This document outlines clarifications, technical corrections, and policy changes to the Performance Implementation Plan for Performance Year (PY1–5) of the MassHealth CBHC Incentive Program. Updates are incorporated into the change log table below.

Section	Sub-Section	Page #	Update	Update release date
Cover Page	Cover page	1	Updates apply to performance years 1-5 (2024-2028), not PY2-5 only.	07/30/26
Section 1 Overview	1.2 Scope	4	Clarified the total eligible incentive payment for PY1 is attributed to CCQI claims-based measures.	07/30/26
Section 2 Qualifications for Participation	N/A	4	Clarified the qualifications for participation (removed sentence about eligibility for payment per PAM)	07/30/26
Section 2 Qualifications for Participation	N/A	4-5	Clarified that attestation form applies to both CCQI and CQEIP.	07/30/26
Section 2 Qualifications for Participation	2.1 Strategic Plan	5	Clarified qualification for participation requirement regarding strategic plan	07/30/26
Section 3. CCQI	3.2 CCQI Measures and Payment Status for PY1-5	6-7	Updated P4P status for each measure to align with CMS preprint proposal and updated requirements.	07/30/26
Section 3. CCQI	3.2.1 Reporting Requirements for PY1-5	7	Clarified that completion of the CCQI-1 test file is required as a condition of participation (not a P4R) based on CMS P4P requirements as of 2024.	07/30/26
Section 3. CCQI	3.2.1 Reporting Requirements for PY1-5	7-8	Provided additional context on the ASDF reporting requirements and completion of the ASDF Attestation Form.	07/30/26
Section 3. CCQI	3.3.2 Payment Schedule and Review Process	8-9	Provided context on the 30-day review process on scoring and payment.	07/30/26

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Section 4. CQEIP	4.1 Overview of Domains and Measures	12-13	Removed Quality Performance Disparities Reduction Measure from Table 5 and clarified there are seven QEIP measures.	07/30/26
Section 4. CQEIP	4.2 CQEIP Measures and their Performance Status	14	Clarified definition of Condition of Participation	07/30/26
Section 4. CQEIP	4.2 CQEIP Measures and their Performance Status	14-15	Incorporated Performance Status for PY1 in Table 6	07/30/26
Section 4. CQEIP	4.2 CQEIP Measures and their Performance Status	15-18	Added information about reporting expectations for PY1 including Table 7	07/30/26
Section 4. CQEIP	4.2 CQEIP Measures and their Performance Status	19-20	Removed Quality Performance Disparities Reduction from Table 8 and added the “Disparities Reduction Narrative Report as a reporting expectation for Equity Improvement Interventions measure.	07/30/26
Section 4. CQEIP	4.4 PAM Framework	21	Removed Disparities Reduction Measure from Table 8 AND Adjusted measure weighting in Table 8.	07/30/26