Managed Care Program Annual Report (MCPAR) for Massachusetts: One Care Medicare Medicaid Plan

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	Indicator	Response	
	Exclusion of CHIP from MCPAR	Selected	
	Enrollees in separate CHIP programs funded under Title XXI should not be reported in the MCPAR. Please check this box if the state is unable to remove information about Separate CHIP enrollees from its reporting on this program.		

Section A: Program Information

Point of Contact

Number	Indicator	Response
A1	State name	Massachusetts
	Auto-populated from your account profile.	
A2a	Contact name	Alison Kirchgasser
	First and last name of the contact person. States that do not wish to list a specific individual on the report are encouraged to use a department or program-wide email address that will allow anyone with questions to quickly reach someone who can provide answers.	
A2b	Contact email address Enter email address. Department or program-wide email addresses ok.	alison.kirchgasser@mass.gov
АЗа	Submitter name	Alison Kirchgasser
	CMS receives this data upon submission of this MCPAR report.	
A3b	Submitter email address	alison.kirchgasser@mass.gov
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A4	Date of report submission	06/29/2023
	CMS receives this date upon submission of this MCPAR report.	

Reporting Period

Number	Indicator	Response
A5a	Reporting period start date	01/01/2022
	Auto-populated from report dashboard.	
A5b	Reporting period end date	12/31/2022
	Auto-populated from report dashboard.	
A6	Program name	One Care Medicare Medicaid Plan
	Auto-populated from report dashboard.	

Add plans (A.7)

Enter the name of each plan that participates in the program for which the state is reporting data.

Indicator	Response
Plan name	Commonwealth Care Alliance
	Tufts Health Unify
	United Healthcare Connected

Add BSS entities (A.8)

Enter the names of Beneficiary Support System (BSS) entities that support enrollees in the program for which the state is reporting data. Learn more about BSS entities at $\underline{42}$ CFR $\underline{438.71}$. See Glossary in Excel Workbook for the definition of BSS entities.

Examples of BSS entity types include a: State or Local Government Entity, Ombudsman Program, State Health Insurance Program (SHIP), Aging and Disability Resource Network (ADRN), Center for Indepedent Living (CIL), Legal Assistance Organization, Community-based Organization, Subcontractor, Enrollment Broker, Consultant, or Academic/Research Organization.

Indicator	Response
BSS entity name	Serving the Health Insurance Needs for Everyone (SHINE)
	My Ombudsman (MYO)
	Automated Health Systems (AHS)
	Maximus

Section B: State-Level Indicators

Topic I. Program Characteristics and Enrollment

Number	Indicator	Response
BI.1	Statewide Medicaid enrollment	2,324,510
	Enter the total number of individuals enrolled in Medicaid as of the first day of the last month of the reporting year. Include all FFS and managed care enrollees, and count each person only once, regardless of the delivery system(s) in which they are enrolled.	
B1.2	Statewide Medicaid managed care enrollment	1,643,380
	Enter the total, unduplicated number of individuals enrolled in any type of Medicaid managed care as of the first day of the last month of the reporting year. Include enrollees in all programs, and count each person only once, even if they are enrolled in more than one managed care program or more than one managed care plan.	

Topic III. Encounter Data Report

Number	Indicator	Response
BIII.1	Data validation entity	State Medicaid agency staff
	Select the state agency/division or contractor tasked with evaluating the validity of encounter data submitted by MCPs. Encounter data validation includes verifying the accuracy, completeness, timeliness, and/or consistency of encounter data records submitted to the state by Medicaid managed care plans. Validation steps may include pre-acceptance edits and post-acceptance analyses. See Glossary in Excel Workbook for more information.	

Topic X: Program Integrity

BX.1

Payment risks between the state and plans

Indicator

Describe service-specific or other focused PI activities that the state conducted during the past year in this managed care program.

Examples include analyses focused on use of long-term services and supports (LTSS) or prescription drugs or activities that focused on specific payment issues to identify, address, and prevent fraud, waste or abuse. Consider data analytics, reviews of under/overutilization, and other activities.

The MassHealth Program Integrity Unit and Compliance Unit met quarterly with One Care plans to discuss contract management and topics related to controls against fraud, waste and abuse, including but not limited to recent trends, audits, overpayment issues, reporting, and best practices for program integrity controls. In addition, MassHealth reviewed One Care Plans' fraud and abuse reporting, in order to ensure compliance with applicable contract requirements and to ensure the plans have appropriate controls in place. In addition, in Contract Year 2022 MassHealth developed strengthened One Care contractual provisions related to controls against fraud, waste and abuse, program integrity reporting, and enforcement of overpayment requirements, which will become effective in 2023. These new provisions will establish consistency in program integrity requirements across all of MassHealth's managed care entities. The contractual requirements will support MassHealth's ongoing expansion of One Care plan oversight, which may include direct audits of One Care providers and encounters beginning in Contract Year 2024 for dates of service in 2023. Further, MassHealth is launching new One Care Summary of Provider Overpayments Reporting in July 2023. MassHealth is publishing new, extremely detailed reporting requirements along with a new reporting template. This is a semi-annual report that includes all overpayments identified during the prior Contract Year through present, including all investigatory and recovery activity related to such overpayments. These reports will provide MassHealth with comprehensive information related to the impact of One Care plans' controls, including the breadth of provider types reviewed and methodologies employed; the number and amount of overpayments identified and recovered by the plans; the reasons for overpayments; next steps and actions taken; and claim-level detail to enable validation of recovery activity in the encounter data and financial reporting. In Contract Year 2022, MassHealth's primary focus was on development of these new reporting requirements. Moving forward, the information contained in the new Summary of Provider

Overpayments reports will enable MassHealth to share best practices, monitor performance management, and enforce the relevant contract provisions related to overpayments that the plans fail to identify and/or recover. In addition, MassHealth has worked with One Care plans to enhance the process of receiving referrals of incidents of suspected PCA fraud involving their enrollees, and communicate such process to contracted PCM agencies and the Fiscal Intermediary.

BX.2 Contract standard for overpayments

Does the state allow plans to retain overpayments, require the return of overpayments, or has established a hybrid system? Select one.

State has established a hybrid system

BX.3 Location of contract provision stating overpayment standard

Describe where the overpayment standard in the previous indicator is located in plan contracts, as required by 42 CFR 438.608(d)(1)(i).

2.8.3.1.1.6.4; 4.6.2.2

BX.4 Description of overpayment contract standard

Briefly describe the overpayment standard (for example, details on whether the state allows plans to retain overpayments, requires the plans to return overpayments, or administers a hybrid system) selected in indicator B.X.2.

One Care: 2.8.3.1.1.6.4. Consistent with 42 C.F.R. §438.608(d), plans shall develop and maintain policies and procedures that support a process for the recoupment of overpayments to providers including those providers identified as excluded by appearing on any exclusion or debarment database. Plans must maintain documentation to support the date and activities by which recoupment efforts are established for claims paid after the date indicated in the exclusion database. At a minimum, the Contractor must document recoupment efforts include outreach to the Provider, voiding claims, and establishing a recoupment account.

BX.5 State overpayment reporting monitoring

Describe how the state monitors plan performance in reporting overpayments to the state, e.g. does the state track compliance with this requirement and/or timeliness of reporting?

MassHealth reviews all overpayment reports for compliance, performance management, and best practices, including but not limited to the Ad Hoc Fraud, Waste, and Abuse, Overpayments as a result of Fraud report.

The regulations at 438.604(a) (7), 608(a)(2) and 608(a)(3) require plan reporting to the state on various overpayment pieces (whether annually or promptly). This indicator is asking the state how it monitors that reporting.

BX.6 Changes in beneficiary circumstances

Describe how the state ensures timely and accurate reconciliation of enrollment files between the state and plans to ensure appropriate payments for enrollees experiencing a change in status (e.g., incarcerated, deceased, switching plans).

One Care plans must report promptly to EOHHS when they receive information on a change in Enrollee circumstances which may impact their elgibility, including but not limited to a change in an Enrollee's residence or death of an Enrollee.

BX.7a Changes in provider circumstances: Monitoring plans

Does the state monitor whether plans report provider "for cause" terminations in a timely manner under 42 CFR 438.608(a)(4)? Select one.

Yes

BX.7b Changes in provider circumstances: Metrics

Does the state use a metric or indicator to assess plan reporting performance? Select one.

Yes

BX.7c Changes in provider circumstances: Describe metric

Describe the metric or indicator that the state uses.

The Contractor must notify EOHHS of any Provider Network changes that impact Enrollee access to Covered Services within five business days.

BX.8a Federal database checks: Excluded person or entities

During the state's federal database checks, did the state find any person or entity excluded? Select one.
Consistent with the requirements at 42 CFR 455.436 and 438.602, the State must confirm the identity and determine the exclusion status of the MCO, PIHP, PAHP, PCCM or PCCM entity, any subcontractor, as well as any

No

person with an ownership or control interest, or who is an agent or managing employee of the MCO, PIHP, PAHP, PCCM or PCCM entity through routine checks of Federal databases.

BX.9a Website posting of 5 percent or more ownership control

Yes

Does the state post on its website the names of individuals and entities with 5% or more ownership or control interest in MCOs, PIHPs, PAHPs, PCCMs and PCCM entities and subcontractors? Refer to §455.104 and required by 42 CFR 438.602(g)(3).

BX.9b Website posting of 5 percent

or more ownership control: Link

What is the link to the website? Refer to 42 CFR 602(g)(3).

https://www.mass.gov/info-details/managedcare-entity-disclosure-of-ownership-andcontrol-addendum-information

BX.10 Periodic audits

If the state conducted any audits during the contract year to determine the accuracy, truthfulness, and completeness of the encounter and financial data submitted by the plans, what is the link(s) to the audit results? Refer to 42 CFR 438.602(e).

MassHealth will begin audits in 2023.

Section C: Program-Level Indicators

Topic I: Program Characteristics

Number	Indicator	Response
C11.1	Program contract Enter the title of the contract between the state and plans participating in the managed care program.	One Care Three-Way Contract
N/A	Enter the date of the contract between the state and plans participating in the managed care program.	01/01/2022
C11.2	Contract URL Provide the hyperlink to the model contract or landing page for executed contracts for the program reported in this program.	https://www.mass.gov/service-details/one-care-three-way-contract-and-memorandum-of-understanding-mou
C11.3	Program type What is the type of MCPs that contract with the state to provide the services covered under the program? Select one.	Managed Care Organization (MCO)
C1I.4a	Special program benefits Are any of the four special benefit types covered by the managed care program: (1) behavioral health, (2) long-term services and supports, (3) dental, and (4) transportation, or (5) none of the above? Select one or more. Only list the benefit type if it is a covered service as specified in a contract between the state and managed care plans participating in the program. Benefits available to eligible program enrollees via fee-forservice should not be listed here.	Behavioral health Long-term services and supports (LTSS) Dental Transportation
C1I.4b	Variation in special benefits What are any variations in the availability of special benefits within the program (e.g. by service area or population)? Enter "N/A" if not applicable.	N/A
C1I.5	Program enrollment Enter the total number of individuals enrolled in the managed care program as of	36,943

the first day of the last month of the reporting year.

C11.6 Changes to enrollment or N/A benefits

Briefly explain any major changes to the population enrolled in or benefits provided by the managed care program during the reporting year.

Topic III: Encounter Data Report

Number	Indicator	Response
C1III.1	Uses of encounter data	Rate setting
	For what purposes does the state use encounter data collected from managed care plans (MCPs)? Select one or more. Federal regulations require that states, through their contracts with MCPs, collect and maintain sufficient enrollee encounter data to identify the provider who delivers any item(s) or service(s) to enrollees (42 CFR 438.242(c)(1)).	Quality/performance measurement Monitoring and reporting Contract oversight Program integrity Policy making and decision support
C1III.2	Criteria/measures to evaluate MCP performance What types of measures are used by the state to evaluate managed care plan performance in encounter data submission and correction? Select one or more. Federal regulations also require that states validate that submitted enrollee encounter data they receive is a complete and accurate representation of the services provided to enrollees under the contract between the state and the MCO, PIHP, or PAHP. 42 CFR 438.242(d).	Timeliness of initial data submissions Timeliness of data corrections Use of correct file formats Overall data accuracy (as determined through data validation)
C1III.3	Encounter data performance criteria contract language Provide reference(s) to the contract section(s) that describe the criteria by which managed care plan performance on encounter data submission and correction will be measured. Use contract section references, not page numbers.	Section 2.17 Encounter Reporting

C1III.4 Financial penalties contract 5.3.15.1, 5.3.15.1.11 language Provide reference(s) to the contract section(s) that describes any financial penalties the state may impose on plans for the types of failures to meet encounter data submission and quality standards. Use contract section references, not page numbers. C1111.5 Incentives for encounter data N/A quality Describe the types of incentives that may be awarded to managed care plans for encounter data quality. Reply with "N/A" if the plan does not use incentives to award encounter data quality. C1111.6 **Barriers** to No barriers are present currently. collecting/validating encounter data

Describe any barriers to collecting and/or validating managed care plan encounter data that the state has experienced during the reporting period.

Topic IV. Appeals, State Fair Hearings & Grievances

C1IV.1

State's definition of "critical incident," as used for reporting purposes in its MLTSS program

If this report is being completed for a managed care program that covers LTSS, what is the definition that the state uses for "critical incidents" within the managed care program? Respond with "N/A" if the managed care program does not cover LTSS.

A critical incident is defined as a sudden or progressive event that requires immediate attention and action to prevent/minimize a negative impact on the health and welfare of a member. Critical incidents may include, but are not limited to: death of a member due to unnatural causes, exposure to hazardous material, medication error, unauthorized restraints, natural disaster, serious physical injuries, criminal activity impacting the participant, serious neglect, missing persons, and significant property damage.

C1IV.2

State definition of "timely" resolution for standard appeals

timely resolution for standard appeals in the managed care program.
Per 42 CFR §438.408(b)(2), states must establish a timeframe for timely resolution of standard appeals that is no longer than 30 calendar days from the day the MCO, PIHP or PAHP receives the appeal.

Provide the state's definition of

Appeal resolution time frames - All service Appeals must be resolved (at each level) within thirty (30) days of their submission for standard Appeals in accordance with Section 2.12.2.3 and within seventy-two (72) hours of their submission for expedited Appeals in accordance with Section 2.12.2.4.

C1IV.3

State definition of "timely" resolution for expedited appeals

Provide the state's definition of timely resolution for expedited appeals in the managed care program.

Per 42 CFR §438.408(b)(3), states must establish a

Per 42 CFR §438.408(b)(3), states must establish a timeframe for timely resolution of expedited appeals that is no longer than 72 hours after the MCO, PIHP or PAHP receives the appeal. Appeal resolution time frames - All service Appeals must be resolved (at each level) within thirty (30) days of their submission for standard Appeals in accordance with Section 2.12.2.3 and within seventy-two (72) hours of their submission for expedited Appeals in accordance with Section 2.12.2.4.

C1IV.4

State definition of "timely" resolution for grievances

Provide the state's definition of timely resolution for grievances in the managed care program. Per 42 CFR §438.408(b)(1), states must establish a timeframe for timely resolution of grievances that is no longer than 90 calendar days from the

Response, electronically, orally or in writing, to each Enrollee Grievance within a reasonable time, but no later than thirty (30) days after the Contractor receives the Grievance.

Topic V. Availability, Accessibility and Network Adequacy

Network Adequacy

Number	Indicator	Response
C1V.1	Gaps/challenges in network adequacy	Challenges currently facing One Care plans include: (1) limited numbers of providers of
	What are the state's biggest challenges? Describe any challenges MCPs have maintaining adequate networks and meeting standards.	certain services in certain geographic areas, including the islands; (2) reluctance from certain large hospital providers to contract to provide services; and (3) lack of certain provider types (including dermatologists and dentists) to contract to provide services.
C1V.2	State response to gaps in network adequacy	MassHealth uses its contract to enforce standards that protect access to care. When
	How does the state work with MCPs to address gaps in network adequacy?	issues arise, we connect with MCP key contacts to identify the issue, develop a long-term plan to correct the issue, and a plan to preserve member access to services while the underlying issue is being addressed. MassHealth has tools in its contracts to address non-compliance including corrective workplan, formal corrective action plan, sanctions, or contract termination.

Access Measures

Describe the measures the state uses to monitor availability, accessibility, and network adequacy. Report at the program level.

Revisions to the Medicaid managed care regulations in 2016 and 2020 built on existing requirements that managed care plans maintain provider networks sufficient to ensure adequate access to covered services by: (1) requiring states to develop quantitative network adequacy standards for at least eight specified provider types if covered under the contract, and to make these standards available online; (2) strengthening network adequacy monitoring requirements; and (3) addressing the needs of people with long-term care service needs (42 CFR 438.66; 42 CFR 438.68).

42 CFR 438.66(e) specifies that the MCPAR must provide information on and an assessment of the availability and accessibility of covered services within the MCO, PHIP, or PAHP contracts, including network adequacy standards for each managed care program.



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

1/26

C2.V.2 Measure standard

30 minutes or 15 miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider

C2.V.5 Region

C2.V.6 Population

Behavioral health

Statewide

Adult

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

2/26

C2.V.2 Measure standard

25 minutes and 10 miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider

C2.V.5 Region

C2.V.6 Population

Hospital

Large metro

Adult

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually

C2.V.2 Measure standard

45 minutes and 30 miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider C2.V.5 Region C2.V.6 Population

Hospital Metro Adult

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

4/26

C2.V.2 Measure standard

80 minutes and 60 miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider C2.V.5 Region C2.V.6 Population

Hospital Micro Adult

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

5/26

C2.V.2 Measure standard

30 minutes or 15 miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider C2.V.5 Region C2.V.6 Population

LTSS Statewide Adult

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

6/26

C2.V.2 Measure standard

2 Providers within 25 Minutes and 10 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider C2.V.5 Region C2.V.6 Population

Acute Inpatient Large Metro Adult

Hospital

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

7/26

C2.V.2 Measure standard

2 Providers within 45 Minutes and 30 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider C2.V.5 Region C2.V.6 Population

Acute Inpatient Metro Adult

Hospital

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

8/26

C2.V.2 Measure standard

2 Providers within 80 Minutes and 60 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider	C2.V.5 Region	C2.V.6 Population

Acute Inpatient Micro Adult

Hospital

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: LTSS-related standard: enrollee travels to the 9 / 26 provider

C2.V.2 Measure standard

2 Providers within 30 Minutes or 15 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider C	2.V.5 Region	C2.V.6 Population
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Adult Day Health, Statewide Adult

Adult Foster Care

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

10 / 26

C2.V.2 Measure standard

2 Providers within 30 Minutes and 15 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider	C2.V.5 Region	C2.V.6 Population
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Primary care Statewide Adult

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

11 / 26

C2.V.2 Measure standard

1 Provider within 53 Minutes and 35 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider	C2.V.5 Region	C2.V.6 Population
Allergy and	Metro	Adult
Immunology,		

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Nephrology

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

C2.V.2 Measure standard

1 Provider within 30 Minutes and 15 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider	C2.V.5 Region	C2.V.6 Population
Allergy and	Large Metro	Adult
Immunology,		
Cardiothoracic		
Surgery,		
Chiropractor,		
Endocrinology,		
Infectious Diseases,		
Nephrology,		
Neurosurgery,		
OB/GYN, Oncology -		
Radiation/Radiation		
Oncology, Physiatry/		
Rehabilitative		
Medicine, Plastic		
Surgery,		
Rheumatology,		
Vascular Surgery		

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

C2.V.2 Measure standard

2 Providers within 30 Minutes or 15 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider

C2.V.5 Region

C2.V.6 Population

BH Outpatient, Statewide Clinical Support Services for Substance Use Disorders (Level 3.5), **Community Crisis** Stabilization, Community Support Program, Emergency Support Services, Intensive Outpatient Program, Monitored inpatient Level 3.7, Occupational Therapy, Orthotics and Prosthetics, Oxygen and Respiratory Equipment, Partial Hospitalization Program, Physical Therapy, Program of Assertive Community Treatment, Psychiatric Day Treatment, Recovery Coaching, Recovery Support Navigators, Residential Rehabilitation Services for

Adult

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Substance Use

Structured

Program

Disorders (Level 3.1), Speech Therapy,

Outpatient Addiction

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

14 / 26

C2.V.2 Measure standard

1 Provider within 20 Minutes and 10 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider	C2.V.5 Region
Cardiology,	Large Metro
Dermatology,	
Gastroenterology,	
General Surgery,	
Neurology, Oncology	
- Medical, Surgical,	
Ophthalmology,	
Orthopedic Surgery,	
Podiatry, Psychiatry,	
Pulmonology,	
Urology	

C2.V.6 Population

Adult

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

15 / 26

C2.V.2 Measure standard

1 Provider within 38 Minutes and 25 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider	C2.V.5 Region	C2.V.6 Population
Cardiology,	Metro	Adult
Ophthalmology,		
Orthopedic Surgery		

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

16 / 26

C2.V.2 Measure standard

1 Provider within 60 Minutes and 40 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 ProviderC2.V.5 RegionC2.V.6 PopulationCardiothoracicMetroAdult

Surgery,

Neurosurgery, Oncology -

Radiation/Radiation

Oncology,

Rheumatology

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

17 / 26

C2.V.2 Measure standard

1 Provider within 45 Minutes and 30 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider	C2.V.5 Region	C2.V.6 Population
Chiropractor,	Metro	Adult
Dermatology,		
ENT/Otolaryngology,		
Gastroenterology,		
Neurology, Ob/Gyn,		

Oncology - Medical, Surgical, Podiatry, Psychiatry, Urology

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: LTSS-related standard: enrollee travels to the 18 / 26 provider

C2.V.2 Measure standard

2 Providers within 30 Minutes or 15 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider C2.V.5 Region C2.V.6 Population

Day Habilitation Statewide Adult

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: LTSS-related standard: enrollee travels to the 19 / 26 provider

C2.V.2 Measure standard

2 Providers within 30 Minutes or 15 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider C2.V.5 Region C2.V.6 Population

LTSS-adult day care Statewide Adult

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

20 / 26

C2.V.2 Measure standard

1 Provider within 75 Minutes and 50 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider

C2.V.5 Region

C2.V.6 Population

Endocrinology,

Metro

Adult

Infectious Diseases, Plastic Surgery, Vascular Surgery

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

21 / 26

C2.V.2 Measure standard

1 Provider within 30 Minutes and 20 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

General Surgery Metro Adult

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods



C2.V.1 General category: LTSS-related standard: provider travels to the 22 / 26 enrollee

C2.V.2 Measure standard

2 Providers within 30 Minutes or 15 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider C2.V.5 Region C2.V.6 Population

Group Adult Foster

Care, Hospice

Statewide Adult

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: LTSS-related standard: provider travels to the 23 / 26 enrollee

C2.V.2 Measure standard

2 Providers within 30 Minutes or 15 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider C2.V.5 Region C2.V.6 Population

LTSS-personal care Statewide Adult

assistant

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

24 / 26

C2.V.2 Measure standard

1 Provider within 53 Minutes and 35 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider C2.V.5 Region C2.V.6 Population

Physiatry/Rehabilitative Metro Adult

Medicine

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.1 General category: General quantitative availability and accessibility standard

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C2.V.2 Measure standard

1 Provider within 30 Minutes or 15 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider C2.V.5 Region C2.V.6 Population

Rehabilitation Statewide Adult

hospital

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually



C2.V.2 Measure standard

2 Providers within 30 Minutes and 15 Miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider C2.V.5 Region C2.V.6 Population

LTSS-SNF Statewide Adult

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Plan provider roster review

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Annually

Topic IX: Beneficiary Support System (BSS)

Number	Indicator	Response
C1IX.1	Ess website List the website(s) and/or email address that beneficiaries use to seek assistance from the BSS through electronic means. Separate entries with commas.	https://www.mass.gov/health-insurance-counseling; info@myombudsman.org (email); www.myombudsman.org (general information); member-issues@masshealthquestions.com
C1IX.2	BSS auxiliary aids and services How do BSS entities offer services in a manner that is accessible to all beneficiaries who need their services, including beneficiaries with disabilities, as required by 42 CFR 438.71(b)(2))? CFR 438.71 requires that the beneficiary support system be accessible in multiple ways including phone, Internet, inperson, and via auxiliary aids and services when requested.	SHINE refers to 88 bilingual counselors, uses a translation line, TTY, and has ASL counselor resources. CMS and the SHIPTA Center also prints materials in Braille, many languages, and on CD. Each SHINE regional office provides access to in-person counseling sessions. My Ombudsman (MYO): • Can be reached by phone (855-781-9898); videophone (for Deaf and Hard of Hearing members: 339-224-6831); via email (info@myombudsman.org) and in person (drop in or by appointment) on certain days. They also have virtual resources on their website: www.myombudsman.org • Have a fully accessible physical location that members may go to for drop in or in-person assistance on certain days • Maintains Vlogs (Video Blog) that provide information about My Ombudsman in ASL (all currently on YouTube) and other MH topics for Deaf and Hard of Hearing members. • Provides My Ombudsman information in large print. • Their website has an application that allows users with specific disabilities to adjust the website's design to their personal needs to ensure accessibility. • Uses technology such as QR codes to help make materials more

accessible to those with vision disabilities. • has in-house staff who can provide services to One Care enrollees in American Sign Language (ASL), Hindi, Spanish, and Haitian-Creole. • can

Ombudsman informational materials in English, Chinese, Haitian-Creole, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish, and Vietnamese. • Provides additional language translation services as needed. • Also

provide additional interpreters for all its services and activities in over 165 different languages (upon request). • provides My

does in-person and virtual outreach with community based organizations and at community events. AHS - Contract has accessibility requirements to accommodate members with disabilities. AHS is required to comply with the ADA and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (Section 504) (29 USC

§794) and ensure that ensure that beneficiaries with disabilities are provided with reasonable accommodations, which include but are not limited to: 1. Providing assistance to customers with visual impairments (e.g., large print versions of all written materials); 2. Providing auxiliary aids and services; 3. Ensuring that all written materials are available in formats compatible with optical recognition software; 4. Reading notices and other written materials to individuals upon request; 5. Assisting Customers to complete forms; 6. Ensuring effective communication with individuals with disabilities through email, telephone, and other electronic means; 7. Ensuring the Contractor's website complies with all ADA and Section 504 requirements, as well as ITD requirements for accessibility and other Commonwealth and EOHHS requirements; 8. Providing TTY, computer-aided transcription services, telephone handset amplifiers, assistive listening systems, closed caption decoders, videotext displays and qualified interpreters for the deaf; and 9. Providing individualized assistance, as necessary Maximus - Contract has accessibility requirements to accommodate members with disabilities. Maximus is required to comply with the ADA and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (Section 504) (29 USC §794) and ensure that ensure that beneficiaries with disabilities are provided with reasonable accommodations, which include but are not limited to: 1. Providing assistance to customers with visual impairments (e.g., large print versions of all written materials); 2. Providing auxiliary aids and services; 3. Ensuring that all written materials are available in formats compatible with optical recognition software; 4. Reading notices and other written materials to individuals upon request; 5. Assisting Customers to complete forms; 6. Ensuring effective communication with individuals with disabilities through email, telephone, and other electronic means; 7. Ensuring the Contractor's website complies with all ADA and Section 504 requirements, as well as ITD requirements for accessibility and other Commonwealth and EOHHS requirements; 8. Providing TTY, computer-aided transcription services, telephone handset amplifiers, assistive listening systems, closed caption decoders, videotext displays and qualified interpreters for the deaf;

and 9. Providing individualized assistance, as necessary.

C1IX.3 BSS LTSS program data

How do BSS entities assist the state with identifying, remediating, and resolving systemic issues based on a review of LTSS program data such as grievances and appeals or critical incident data? Refer to 42 CFR 438.71(d)(4).

My Ombudsman (MYO) tracks information about every member they assist, including cases involving access to LTSS, by topic in a database; they report case data on One Care monthly to the State, CMS and the Administration for Community Living (ACL) by topic, plan, and program type, which includes any grievances and appeals they assist on. The State also meets with MYO leadership weekly to review cases and discuss any emerging trends or systemic concerns. MYO and the State also share One Care data and work directly with managed care plans as needed to resolve individual and/or systemic concerns.

C1IX.4 State evaluation of BSS entity performance

What are steps taken by the state to evaluate the quality, effectiveness, and efficiency of the BSS entities' performance?

SHINE - The Administration on Community Living evaluates SHINE based on data that they input into the STARS database on client contacts, group work, and media work. AHS -The State evaluates AHS's quality, effectiveness, and efficiency through various contract management, internal controls, and reporting requirements. For example, Section 2.10 of AHS's contract requires that AHS participate in contract management meetings on an ad hoc quarterly basis to address project plans, operational issues, progress toward annual goals, and the status of any Quality Improvement Projects. Upon the State's request, AHS is also required to work with EOHHS and designated vendors to enhance program and operational efficiency. AHS is further required to conduct an independent annual compliance audit, cooperate and participate in program or financial audits and maintain and submit to EOHHS fraud, waste, and abuse protocols (see Section 2.9). AHS is also required to submit standard reports on a weekly, monthly, quarterly and ad hoc basis (see Section 2.5). AHS is further required to use principles of continuous quality improvement to satisfy its obligations under its contract, which include analyzing data measuring contractor performance, training staff, recommending operational improvements, and identifying and implementing Quality Improvement Projects and related reports (see Section 2.6). Maximus - The State evaluates Maximus's quality, effectiveness, and efficiency

through various contract management, internal controls, and reporting requirements. For example, Section 4.8 of Maximus's contract requires that Maximus engage in weekly and ad hoc meetings with EOHHS to address project plans, operational issues, progress toward annual goals, and the status of any quality improvement projects. Maximus is further required to conduct an independent annual compliance audit, cooperate and participate in program or financial audits and maintain and submit to EOHHS fraud, waste, and abuse protocols (see Section 4.9). Maximus is also required to use principles of continuous quality improvement to satisfy its obligations under its contract, which include analyzing data measuring contractor performance, training staff, recommending operational improvements, and identifying and implementing Quality Improvement Projects and related reports (see Section 4.10). Lastly, the Maximus contract contains general reporting requirements (see Section 4.13), which include weekly, monthly, quarterly, and ad hoc reports detailing, e.g., member transactions and customer encounters. My Ombudsman (MYO) – The State evaluates My Ombudsman's quality, effectiveness and efficiency through various contract management, internal controls and reporting requirements; through routine review of satisfaction survey data (My Ombudsman asks each member they work with to complete a survey to evaluate their satisfaction with services once a case has been closed); and through weekly case meetings.

Topic X: Program Integrity

Number	Indicator	Response
C1X.3	Prohibited affiliation disclosure	No
	Did any plans disclose prohibited affiliations? If the state took action, enter those actions under D: Plan-level Indicators, Section VIII - Sanctions (Corresponds with Tab D3 in the Excel Workbook). Refer to 42 CFR 438.610(d).	

Section D: Plan-Level Indicators

Topic I. Program Characteristics & Enrollment

Number	Indicator	Response
D11.1	Plan enrollment	Commonwealth Care Alliance
	What is the total number of individuals enrolled in each plan as of the first day of the	29,392
	last month of the reporting year?	Tufts Health Unify
	year:	4,856
		United Healthcare Connected
		2,695
D11.2	Plan share of Medicaid	Commonwealth Care Alliance
	What is the plan enrollment (within the specific program) as	1.3%
	a percentage of the state's total Medicaid enrollment?	Tufts Health Unify
	 Numerator: Plan enrollment (D1.l.1) 	0.2%
	 Denominator: Statewide Medicaid enrollment (B.l.1) 	United Healthcare Connected
		0.1%
D1I.3	Plan share of any Medicaid	Commonwealth Care Alliance
	managed care	1.8%
	What is the plan enrollment (regardless of program) as a	
	percentage of total Medicaid	Tufts Health Unify
	enrollment in any type of managed care?	0.3%
	Numerator: Plan enrollment (D1.l.1)	United Healthcare Connected
	 Denominator: Statewide Medicaid managed care enrollment (B.I.2) 	0.2%

Topic II. Financial Performance

Number	Indicator	Response
D1II.1a	Medical Loss Ratio (MLR) What is the MLR percentage? Per 42 CFR 438.66(e)(2)(i), the Managed Care Program Annual Report must provide information on the Financial performance of each MCO, PIHP, and PAHP, including MLR experience. If MLR data are not available for this reporting period due to data lags, enter the MLR calculated for the most recently available reporting period and indicate the reporting period in item D1.II.3 below. See Glossary in Excel Workbook for the regulatory definition of MLR.	Commonwealth Care Alliance 88% Tufts Health Unify 106% United Healthcare Connected 91%
D1II.1b	Level of aggregation What is the aggregation level that best describes the MLR being reported in the previous indicator? Select one. As permitted under 42 CFR 438.8(i), states are allowed to aggregate data for reporting purposes across programs and populations.	Commonwealth Care Alliance Program-specific statewide Tufts Health Unify Program-specific statewide United Healthcare Connected Program-specific statewide
D1II.2	Population specific MLR description Does the state require plans to submit separate MLR calculations for specific populations served within this program, for example, MLTSS or Group VIII expansion enrollees? If so, describe the populations here. Enter "N/A" if not applicable. See glossary for the regulatory definition of MLR.	Commonwealth Care Alliance N/A Tufts Health Unify N/A United Healthcare Connected N/A
D1II.3	MLR reporting period discrepancies Does the data reported in item D1.II.1a cover a different time period than the MCPAR report?	Commonwealth Care Alliance Yes Tufts Health Unify Yes

N/A	Enter the start date.	Commonwealth Care Alliance 01/01/2019	
		Tufts Health Unify	
		01/01/2019	
		United Healthcare Connected	
		Not applicable	
N/A	Enter the end date.		
IN/ A	enter the end date.	Commonwealth Care Alliance	
N/A	Enter the end date.	12/31/2019	
IV/A	Enter the end date.		
N/A	Enter the end date.	12/31/2019	
IV/A	Enter the end date.	12/31/2019 Tufts Health Unify	
IV/A	Enter the end date.	12/31/2019 Tufts Health Unify 12/31/2019	

Topic III. Encounter Data

Number	Indicator	Response
D1III.1	Definition of timely encounter data submissions Describe the state's standard for timely encounter data submissions used in this program. If reporting frequencies and standards differ by type of encounter within this program, please explain.	Commonwealth Care Alliance As specified in Contract section 2.17.2.1.5 all Health Plans are expected to submit encounters by end of month, for remit dates thru end of previous month. This includes corrections based on automated submission feedback. Tufts Health Unify As specified in Contract section 2.17.2.1.5 all Health Plans are expected to submit encounters by end of month, for remit dates thru end of previous month. This includes corrections based on automated submission
		United Healthcare Connected As specified in Contract section 2.17.2.1.5 all Health Plans are expected to submit encounters by end of month, for remit dates thru end of previous month. This includes corrections based on automated submission feedback.
D1III.2	Share of encounter data submissions that met state's timely submission requirements What percent of the plan's encounter data file submissions (submitted during the reporting period) met state requirements for timely submission? If the state has not yet received any encounter data file submissions for the entire contract period when it submits this report, the state should enter here the percentage of encounter data submissions that were compliant out of the file submissions it has received from the managed care plan for the reporting period.	Commonwealth Care Alliance 100% Tufts Health Unify 100% United Healthcare Connected 100%

D1III.3

Share of encounter data submissions that were HIPAA compliant

Commonwealth Care Alliance

100%

What percent of the plan's encounter data submissions (submitted during the reporting period) met state requirements for HIPAA compliance? If the state has not yet received encounter data submissions for the entire contract period when it submits this report, enter here percentage of encounter data submissions that were compliant out of the proportion received from the managed care plan for the reporting period.

Tufts Health Unify

100%

United Healthcare Connected

100%

Topic IV. Appeals, State Fair Hearings & Grievances

Appeals Overview

Number	Indicator	Response
D1IV.1	Appeals resolved (at the plan level) Enter the total number of appeals resolved as of the first day of the last month of the reporting year. An appeal is "resolved" at the plan level when the plan has issued a decision, regardless of whether the decision was wholly or partially favorable or adverse to the beneficiary, and regardless of whether the beneficiary (or the beneficiary's representative) chooses to file a request for a State Fair Hearing or External Medical Review.	Commonwealth Care Alliance 2,477 Tufts Health Unify 307 United Healthcare Connected 94
D1IV.2	Active appeals Enter the total number of appeals still pending or in process (not yet resolved) as of the first day of the last month of the reporting year.	Commonwealth Care Alliance 218 Tufts Health Unify 44 United Healthcare Connected 9
D1IV.3	Appeals filed on behalf of LTSS users Enter the total number of appeals filed during the reporting year by or on behalf of LTSS users. Enter "N/A" if not applicable. An LTSS user is an enrollee who received at least one LTSS service at any point during the reporting year (regardless of whether the enrollee was actively receiving LTSS at the time that the appeal was filed).	Commonwealth Care Alliance 1,287 Tufts Health Unify 200 United Healthcare Connected 0
D1IV.4	Number of critical incidents filed during the reporting period by (or on behalf of) an LTSS user who previously filed an appeal For managed care plans that cover LTSS, enter the number of critical incidents filed within the reporting period by (or on	Commonwealth Care Alliance 0 Tufts Health Unify 3

0

behalf of) LTSS users who previously filed appeals in the reporting year. If the managed care plan does not cover LTSS, enter "N/A".

Also, if the state already submitted this data for the reporting year via the CMS

Also, if the state already submitted this data for the reporting year via the CMS readiness review appeal and grievance report (because the managed care program or plan were new or serving new populations during the reporting year), and the readiness review tool was submitted for at least 6 months of the reporting year, enter "N/A".

The appeal and critical incident do not have to have been "related" to the same issue - they only need to have been filed by (or on behalf of) the same enrollee. Neither the critical incident nor the appeal need to have been filed in relation to delivery of LTSS — they may have been filed for any reason, related to any service received (or desired) by an LTSS user.

To calculate this number, states or managed care plans should first identify the LTSS users for whom critical incidents were filed during the reporting year, then determine whether those enrollees had filed an appeal during the reporting year, and whether the filing of the appeal preceded the filing of the critical incident.

D1IV.5a Standard appeals for which

timely resolution was provided

Enter the total number of standard appeals for which timely resolution was provided by plan during the reporting period.

See 42 CFR §438.408(b)(2) for

See 42 CFR §438.408(b)(2) for requirements related to timely resolution of standard appeals.

Commonwealth Care Alliance

2,068

Tufts Health Unify

161

United Healthcare Connected

45

D1IV.5b Expedited appeals for which timely resolution was

timely resolution was

Enter the total number of expedited appeals for which

Commonwealth Care Alliance

606

Tufts Health Unify

timely resolution was provided 76 by plan during the reporting period. See 42 CFR §438.408(b)(3) for **United Healthcare Connected** requirements related to timely resolution of standard appeals. 49 **Commonwealth Care Alliance** Resolved appeals related to denial of authorization or 2,604 limited authorization of a service **Tufts Health Unify** Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan 0 during the reporting year that were related to the plan's denial of authorization for a **United Healthcare Connected** service not yet rendered or limited authorization of a 93 service. (Appeals related to denial of payment for a service already rendered should be counted in indicator D1.IV.6c). **Commonwealth Care Alliance** Resolved appeals related to reduction, suspension, or 82 termination of a previously authorized service **Tufts Health Unify** Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan 68 during the reporting year that were related to the plan's reduction, suspension, or **United Healthcare Connected** termination of a previously authorized service. 0 Resolved appeals related to **Commonwealth Care Alliance** payment denial 9 Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that **Tufts Health Unify** were related to the plan's 27 denial, in whole or in part, of payment for a service that was already rendered. **United Healthcare Connected** 1 Resolved appeals related to **Commonwealth Care Alliance**

D1IV.6d Resolved appeals related to service timeliness

D1IV.6a

D1IV.6b

D1IV.6c

Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to the plan's

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Tufts Health Unify

failure to provide services in a
timely manner (as defined by
the state).

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United Healthcare Connected

Commonwealth Care Alliance

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D1IV.6e Resolved appeals related to

0

lack of timely plan response to an appeal or grievance Enter the total number of

Tufts Health Unify

40

appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to the plan's failure to act within the timeframes provided at 42 CFR §438.408(b)(1) and (2) regarding the standard resolution of grievances and appeals.

United Healthcare Connected

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D1IV.6f

Resolved appeals related to plan denial of an enrollee's right to request out-ofnetwork care

Commonwealth Care Alliance

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Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to the plan's denial of an enrollee's request to exercise their right, under 42 CFR §438.52(b)(2)(ii), to obtain services outside the network (only applicable to residents of

rural areas with only one MCO).

Tufts Health Unify

22

United Healthcare Connected

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D1IV.6g

Resolved appeals related to denial of an enrollee's request to dispute financial liability

Commonwealth Care Alliance

9

Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to the plan's denial of an enrollee's request to dispute a financial liability.

Tufts Health Unify

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United Healthcare Connected

Appeals by Service

Number of appeals resolved during the reporting period related to various services. Note: A single appeal may be related to multiple service types and may therefore be counted in multiple categories.

Νι	umber	Indicator	Response
D	01IV.7a	Resolved appeals related to general inpatient services Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to general inpatient care, including diagnostic and laboratory services. Do not include appeals related to inpatient behavioral health services – those should be included in indicator D1.IV.7c. If the managed care plan does not cover general inpatient services, enter "N/A".	Commonwealth Care Alliance 1 Tufts Health Unify 2 United Healthcare Connected 0
D	01IV.7b	Resolved appeals related to general outpatient services Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to general outpatient care, including diagnostic and laboratory services. Please do not include appeals related to outpatient behavioral health services – those should be included in indicator D1.IV.7d. If the managed care plan does not cover general outpatient services, enter "N/A".	Commonwealth Care Alliance 271 Tufts Health Unify 6 United Healthcare Connected 4
D	01IV.7c	Resolved appeals related to inpatient behavioral health services Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to inpatient mental health and/or substance use services. If the managed care plan does not cover inpatient behavioral health services, enter "N/A".	Commonwealth Care Alliance 2 Tufts Health Unify 10 United Healthcare Connected 0
C	01IV.7d	Resolved appeals related to outpatient behavioral health services Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan	Commonwealth Care Alliance 1 Tufts Health Unify

during the reporting year that
were related to outpatient
mental health and/or
substance use services. If the
managed care plan does not
cover outpatient behavioral
health services, enter "N/A".

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D1IV.7e Resolved appeals related to covered outpatient prescription drugs

Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to outpatient prescription drugs covered by the managed care plan. If the managed care plan does not cover outpatient prescription drugs, enter "N/A".

Commonwealth Care Alliance

1,066

Tufts Health Unify

100

United Healthcare Connected

84

D1IV.7f Resolved appeals related to skilled nursing facility (SNF) services

Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to SNF services. If the managed care plan does not cover skilled nursing services, enter "N/A".

Commonwealth Care Alliance

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Tufts Health Unify

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United Healthcare Connected

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D1IV.7g Resolved appeals related to long-term services and supports (LTSS)

Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to institutional LTSS or LTSS provided through home and community-based (HCBS) services, including personal care and self-directed services. If the managed care plan does not cover LTSS services, enter "N/A".

Commonwealth Care Alliance

373

Tufts Health Unify

42

United Healthcare Connected

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D1IV.7h

Resolved appeals related to dental services

Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that

Commonwealth Care Alliance

469

Tufts Health Unify

were related to dental services.
If the managed care plan does
not cover dental services, enter
"N/A".

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United Healthcare Connected

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D1IV.7i Resolved appeals related to non-emergency medical transportation (NEMT)

Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to NEMT. If the

managed care plan does not cover NEMT, enter "N/A".

Commonwealth Care Alliance

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Tufts Health Unify

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United Healthcare Connected

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D1IV.7j Resolved appeals related to other service types

Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to services that do not fit into one of the categories listed above. If the managed care plan does not cover services other than those in items D1.IV.7a-i, enter "N/A".

Commonwealth Care Alliance

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Tufts Health Unify

52

United Healthcare Connected

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State Fair Hearings

Number	Indicator	Response
D1IV.8a	State Fair Hearing requests Enter the total number of requests for a State Fair Hearing filed during the reporting year by plan that issued the adverse benefit determination.	Commonwealth Care Alliance 38 Tufts Health Unify 2
		United Healthcare Connected 0
D1IV.8b	State Fair Hearings resulting in a favorable decision for the enrollee	Commonwealth Care Alliance
	Enter the total number of State Fair Hearing decisions rendered during the reporting year that were partially or fully favorable to the enrollee.	Tufts Health Unify 0
		United Healthcare Connected 0
D1IV.8c	State Fair Hearings resulting in an adverse decision for the enrollee	Commonwealth Care Alliance
	Enter the total number of State Fair Hearing decisions rendered during the reporting year that were adverse for the enrollee.	Tufts Health Unify
		United Healthcare Connected 0
D1IV.8d	State Fair Hearings retracted prior to reaching a decision Enter the total number of State	Commonwealth Care Alliance
	Fair Hearing decisions retracted (by the enrollee or the representative who filed a State Fair Hearing request on behalf of the enrollee) prior to	Tufts Health Unify
	reaching a decision.	United Healthcare Connected 0

D1IV.9a **External Medical Reviews Commonwealth Care Alliance** resulting in a favorable N/A decision for the enrollee If your state does offer an **Tufts Health Unify** external medical review process, enter the total number N/A of external medical review decisions rendered during the reporting year that were **United Healthcare Connected** partially or fully favorable to the enrollee. If your state does N/A not offer an external medical review process, enter "N/A". External medical review is defined and described at 42 CFR §438.402(c)(i)(B). D1IV.9b **External Medical Reviews Commonwealth Care Alliance** resulting in an adverse N/A decision for the enrollee If your state does offer an **Tufts Health Unify** external medical review process, enter the total number N/A of external medical review decisions rendered during the **United Healthcare Connected** reporting year that were

N/A

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"N/A".

adverse to the enrollee. If your

state does not offer an external medical review process, enter

External medical review is defined and described at 42

CFR §438.402(c)(i)(B).

Number	Indicator	Response
D1IV.10	Grievances resolved Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year. A grievance is "resolved" when it has reached completion and been closed by the plan.	Commonwealth Care Alliance 4,143 Tufts Health Unify 505 United Healthcare Connected 106
D1IV.11	Active grievances Enter the total number of grievances still pending or in process (not yet resolved) as of the first day of the last month of the reporting year.	Commonwealth Care Alliance 400 Tufts Health Unify 82 United Healthcare Connected 20
D1IV.12	Grievances filed on behalf of LTSS users Enter the total number of grievances filed during the reporting year by or on behalf of LTSS users. An LTSS user is an enrollee who received at least one LTSS service at any point during the reporting year (regardless of whether the enrollee was actively receiving LTSS at the time that the grievance was filed). If this does not apply, enter N/A.	Commonwealth Care Alliance 2,776 Tufts Health Unify 406 United Healthcare Connected 3
D1IV.13	Number of critical incidents filed during the reporting period by (or on behalf of) an LTSS user who previously filed a grievance For managed care plans that cover LTSS, enter the number of critical incidents filed within	Commonwealth Care Alliance 0 Tufts Health Unify 18

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the reporting period by (or on behalf of) LTSS users who previously filed grievances in the reporting year. The grievance and critical incident do not have to have been "related" to the same issue they only need to have been filed by (or on behalf of) the same enrollee. Neither the critical incident nor the grievance need to have been filed in relation to delivery of LTSS - they may have been filed for any reason, related to any service received (or desired) by an LTSS user.

If the managed care plan does not cover LTSS, the state should enter "N/A" in this field. Additionally, if the state already submitted this data for the reporting year via the CMS readiness review appeal and grievance report (because the managed care program or plan were new or serving new populations during the reporting year), and the readiness review tool was submitted for at least 6 months of the reporting year, the state can enter "N/A" in this field. To calculate this number, states or managed care plans should first identify the LTSS users for whom critical incidents were filed during the reporting year, then determine whether those enrollees had filed a grievance during the reporting year, and whether the filing of the grievance preceded the filing of the critical incident.

D1IV.14 Number of grievances for which timely resolution was provided

Enter the number of grievances for which timely resolution was provided by plan during the reporting period.

Commonwealth Care Alliance

4,503

Tufts Health Unify

See 42 CFR §438.408(b)(1) for requirements related to the timely resolution of grievances.

United Healthcare Connected

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Grievances by Service

Report the number of grievances resolved by plan during the reporting period by service.

Number	Indicator	Response
D1IV.15a	Resolved grievances related to general inpatient services Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to general inpatient care, including diagnostic and laboratory services. Do not include grievances related to inpatient behavioral health services — those should be included in indicator D1.IV.15c. If the managed care plan does not cover this type of service, enter "N/A".	Commonwealth Care Alliance 1 Tufts Health Unify 1 United Healthcare Connected 1
D1IV.15b	Resolved grievances related to general outpatient services Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to general outpatient care, including diagnostic and laboratory services. Do not include grievances related to outpatient behavioral health services — those should be included in indicator D1.IV.15d. If the managed care plan does not cover this type of service, enter "N/A".	Commonwealth Care Alliance 1 Tufts Health Unify 6 United Healthcare Connected 22
D1IV.15c	Resolved grievances related to inpatient behavioral health services Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to inpatient mental health and/or substance use services. If the managed care plan does not cover this type of service, enter "N/A".	Commonwealth Care Alliance 0 Tufts Health Unify 0 United Healthcare Connected 0
D1IV.15d	Resolved grievances related to outpatient behavioral health services Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to outpatient	Commonwealth Care Alliance 0 Tufts Health Unify

mental health and/or			
substance use services. If the			
managed care plan does not			
cover this type of service, enter			
"N/A".			

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D1IV.15e Resolved grievances related to coverage of outpatient

prescription drugs

Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to outpatient prescription drugs covered by the managed care plan. If the managed care plan does not cover this type of service, enter "N/A".

Commonwealth Care Alliance

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Tufts Health Unify

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Resolved grievances related to skilled nursing facility (SNF) services

Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to SNF services. If the managed care plan does not cover this type of service, enter "N/A".

Commonwealth Care Alliance

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Tufts Health Unify

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United Healthcare Connected

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D1IV.15g

Resolved grievances related to long-term services and supports (LTSS)

Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to institutional LTSS or LTSS provided through home and community-based (HCBS) services, including personal care and self-directed services. If the managed care plan does not cover this type of service, enter "N/A".

Commonwealth Care Alliance

18

Tufts Health Unify

48

United Healthcare Connected

2

D1IV.15h

Resolved grievances related to dental services

Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to dental services. If the managed care plan does

Commonwealth Care Alliance

91

Tufts Health Unify

not cover this type of service,	
enter "N/A"	

3

D1IV.15i Resolved grievances related to non-emergency medical transportation (NEMT)

Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to NEMT. If the managed care plan does not cover this type of service, enter "N/A".

Commonwealth Care Alliance

2,069

Tufts Health Unify

81

United Healthcare Connected

73

D1IV.15j Resolved grievances related to other service types

Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to services that do not fit into one of the categories listed above. If the managed care plan does not cover services other than those in items D1.IV.15a-i, enter "N/A".

Commonwealth Care Alliance

2,291

Tufts Health Unify

3

United Healthcare Connected

0

Grievances by Reason

Report the number of grievances resolved by plan during the reporting period by reason.

Number	Indicator	Response
D1IV.16a	Resolved grievances related to plan or provider customer service	Commonwealth Care Alliance 294
	Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to plan or provider customer service. Customer service grievances include complaints about interactions with the plan's	Tufts Health Unify 56 United Healthcare Connected 4
	Member Services department, provider offices or facilities, plan marketing agents, or any other plan or provider representatives.	
D1IV.16b	Resolved grievances related to plan or provider care management/case management	Commonwealth Care Alliance 551
	Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that	Tufts Health Unify 76
	were related to plan or provider care management/case management. Care management grievances include complaints about the timeliness of an assessment or complaints about the plan or provider care or case management process.	United Healthcare Connected 4

D1IV.16c

Resolved grievances related to access to care/services from plan or provider

Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to access to care. Access to care grievances include complaints about difficulties finding qualified innetwork providers, excessive travel or wait times, or other access issues.

Commonwealth Care Alliance

907

Tufts Health Unify

33

United Healthcare Connected

1

D1IV.16d

Resolved grievances related to quality of care

Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to quality of care. Quality of care grievances include complaints about the effectiveness, efficiency, equity, patient-centeredness, safety, and/or acceptability of care provided by a provider or the plan.

Commonwealth Care Alliance

145

Tufts Health Unify

55

United Healthcare Connected

32

D1IV.16e

Resolved grievances related to plan communications

Enter the total number of

grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to plan communications.
Plan communication grievances include grievances related to the clarity or accuracy of enrollee materials or other plan communications or to an enrollee's access to or the accessibility of enrollee materials or plan

communications.

Commonwealth Care Alliance

17

Tufts Health Unify

5

United Healthcare Connected

D1IV.16f

Resolved grievances related to payment or billing issues

Enter the total number of grievances resolved during the reporting period that were filed for a reason related to payment or billing issues.

Commonwealth Care Alliance

22

Tufts Health Unify

41

United Healthcare Connected

2

D1IV.16g

Resolved grievances related to suspected fraud

Enter the total number of grievances resolved during the reporting year that were related to suspected fraud. Suspected fraud grievances include suspected cases of financial/payment fraud perpetuated by a provider, payer, or other entity. Note: grievances reported in this row should only include grievances submitted to the managed care plan, not grievances submitted to another entity, such as a state Ombudsman or Office of the Inspector General.

Commonwealth Care Alliance

11

Tufts Health Unify

0

United Healthcare Connected

0

D1IV.16h

Resolved grievances related to abuse, neglect or exploitation

Enter the total number of grievances resolved during the reporting year that were related to abuse, neglect or exploitation.

Abuse/neglect/exploitation grievances include cases involving potential or actual patient harm.

Commonwealth Care Alliance

0

Tufts Health Unify

0

United Healthcare Connected

0

D1IV.16i

Resolved grievances related to lack of timely plan response to a service authorization or appeal (including requests to expedite or extend appeals)

Commonwealth Care Alliance

9

Tufts Health Unify

Enter the total number of grievances resolved during the reporting year that were filed due to a lack of timely plan response to a service authorization or appeal request (including requests to expedite or extend appeals).

United Healthcare Connected

0

D1IV.16j Resolved grievances related to plan denial of expedited appeal

Enter the total number of grievances resolved during the reporting year that were related to the plan's denial of an enrollee's request for an expedited appeal. Per 42 CFR §438.408(b)(3), states must establish a timeframe for timely resolution of expedited appeals that is no longer than 72 hours after the MCO, PIHP or PAHP receives the appeal. If a plan denies a request for an expedited appeal, the enrollee or their representative have the right to file a grievance.

Commonwealth Care Alliance

2

Tufts Health Unify

6

United Healthcare Connected

0

D1IV.16k

Resolved grievances filed for other reasons

Enter the total number of grievances resolved during the reporting period that were filed for a reason other than the reasons listed above.

Commonwealth Care Alliance

2,585

Tufts Health Unify

28

United Healthcare Connected

63

Topic VII: Quality & Performance Measures

Report on individual measures in each of the following eight domains: (1) Primary care access and preventive care, (2) Maternal and perinatal health, (3) Care of acute and chronic conditions, (4) Behavioral health care, (5) Dental and oral health services, (6) Health plan enrollee experience of care, (7) Long-term services and supports, and (8) Other. For composite measures, be sure to include each individual sub-measure component.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Antidepressant Medication Management - Effective Acute Phase

1 / 23

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Care of acute and chronic conditions

D2.VII.3 National Quality Forum (NQF) number

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

Program-specific rate

0105

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

period: Date range

No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

Medicaid Adult Core Set

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

79.9%

Tufts Health Unify

75.1%

United Healthcare Connected

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Antidepressant Medication Management - Effective Continuation Phase

2/23

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Care of acute and chronic conditions

D2.VII.3 National Quality Forum (NQF) number

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

Program-specific rate

0105

D2.VII.6 Measure SetMedicaid Adult Core Set

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

period: Date range

No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

Tufts Health Unify 58.4% **United Healthcare Connected** Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022. **D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Breast Cancer Screening** 3 / 23 **D2.VII.2 Measure Domain** Primary care access and preventative care **D2.VII.3 National Quality D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs** Forum (NQF) number Program-specific rate 2372 D2.VII.6 Measure Set D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting period: Date range Medicaid Adult Core Set No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021 **D2.VII.8 Measure Description** N/A Measure results **Commonwealth Care Alliance** 62.4% **Tufts Health Unify** 60.4%

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

Commonwealth Care Alliance

N/A

Complete

Measure results

71.9%

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Colorectal Cancer Screening

4/23

5/23

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Primary care access and preventative care

D2.VII.3 National Quality Forum (NQF) number

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

Program-specific rate

0034

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

period: Date range

Medicaid Adult Core Set

No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

64.8%

Tufts Health Unify

60.0%

United Healthcare Connected

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Comprehensive Diabetes Care: A1c Poor Control 1

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Care of acute and chronic conditions

D2.VII.3 National Quality Forum (NQF) number

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

Program-specific rate

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

Medicaid Adult Core Set

No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

period: Date range

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

45.5%

Tufts Health Unify

43.1%

United Healthcare Connected

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Controlling High Blood Pressure

6/23

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Care of acute and chronic conditions

D2.VII.3 National Quality Forum (NQF) number

Program-specific rate

0018

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

period: Date range

No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

Medicaid Adult Core Set

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

67.1%

Tufts Health Unify

57.2%

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Follow-up After Emergency Department Visit 7 / 23 for Mental Illness (7 days)

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Behavioral health care

D2.VII.3 National Quality

Forum (NQF) number

3488

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

Program-specific rate

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

Medicaid Adult and Child

Core Sets

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

period: Date range

No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

78.6%

Tufts Health Unify

81.9%

United Healthcare Connected

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Follow-up After Emergency Department Visit 8 / 23 for Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse or Dependence (7 days)

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Behavioral health care

D2.VII.3 National Quality Forum (NQF) number

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

Program-specific rate

3489

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

Medicaid Adult and Child period: Date range

Core Sets

No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

25.6%

Tufts Health Unify

13.6%

United Healthcare Connected

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.

Complete

D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Follow-up After Hospitalization for Mental Illness (7 days)

9 / 23

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Behavioral health care

D2.VII.3 National Quality Forum (NQF) number

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

Program-specific rate

0576

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

period: Date range

Medicaid Adult and Child

Core Sets

No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

45.2%

Tufts Health Unify

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Follow-up After Hospitalization for Mental

10 / 23

Illness (30 days)

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Behavioral health care

D2.VII.3 National Quality

Forum (NQF) number

0576

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

Program-specific rate

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

Medicaid Adult and Child

Core Sets

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

period: Date range

No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

65.7%

Tufts Health Unify

70.7%

United Healthcare Connected

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Initiation and Engagement of Alcohol, Opioid, 11 / 23 or Other Drug Abuse or Dependence Treatment - Initiation Total

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Behavioral health care

D2.VII.3 National Quality Forum (NQF) number

0004

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

Program-specific rate

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

period: Date range

No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

Medicaid Adult Core Set

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

40.4%

Tufts Health Unify

38.0%

United Healthcare Connected

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Initiation and Engagement of Alcohol, Opioid, 12 / 23 or Other Drug Abuse or Dependence Treatment - Engagement Total

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Behavioral health care

D2.VII.3 National Quality Forum (NQF) number

0004

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

Program-specific rate

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

period: Date range Medicaid Adult Core Set

No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

11.7%

Tufts Health Unify

13.3%

United Healthcare Connected

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Transitions of Care: Medication Reconciliation13 / 23 **Post-Discharge**

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Primary care access and preventative care

D2.VII.3 National Quality

Forum (NQF) number

Program-specific rate

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

HEDIS

N/A

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

period: Date range

No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

52.6%

Tufts Health Unify

28.2%

United Healthcare Connected

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Persistence of Beta-Blocker Treatment After 14 / 23 **Heart Attack**

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Care of acute and chronic conditions

D2.VII.3 National Quality Forum (NQF) number

Program-specific rate

N/A

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

HEDIS

period: Date range

No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

94.8%

Tufts Health Unify

Not Available

United Healthcare Connected

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Use of Spirometry Testing in the Assessment 15 / 23 and Diagnosis of COPD

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Care of acute and chronic conditions

D2.VII.3 National Quality Forum (NQF) number

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

Program-specific rate

577

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

HEDIS

period: Date range

No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

16.0%

Tufts Health Unify

22.5%

United Healthcare Connected

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Plan All-Cause Readmission (observed to expected ratio) 1

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Primary care access and preventative care

D2.VII.3 National Quality Forum (NQF) number

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

16 / 23

Program-specific rate

1768

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

period: Date range

Medicaid Adult Core Set

No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

1.3304

Tufts Health Unify

1.3725

United Healthcare Connected

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Influenza Vaccination

17 / 23

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Primary care access and preventative care

D2.VII.3 National Quality Forum (NQF) number

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

Program-specific rate

N/A

D2.VII.6 Measure Set D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

Medicaid Adult Core Set period: Date range

No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

75.0%

Tufts Health Unify

69.0%

United Healthcare Connected

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Getting Needed Care

18 / 23

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Health plan enrollee experience of care

D2.VII.3 National Quality Forum (NQF) number

Medicare Advantage

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

Program-specific rate

N/A

D2.VII.6 Measure Set D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

period: Date range

CAHPS No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

79%

Tufts Health Unify

77%

United Healthcare Connected

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Getting Appointments and Care Quickly

19 / 23

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Health plan enrollee experience of care

D2.VII.3 National Quality

Forum (NQF) number

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

Program-specific rate

N/A

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

Medicare Advantage

period: Date range

CAHPS

No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

78%

Tufts Health Unify

74%

United Healthcare Connected

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Rating of Health Care Quality

20 / 23

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Health plan enrollee experience of care

D2.VII.3 National Quality Forum (NQF) number

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

Program-specific rate

N/A

D2.VII.6 Measure Set D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

Medicare Advantage period: Date range

CAHPS No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

85%

Tufts Health Unify

Not available

United Healthcare Connected

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.



D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Rating of Health Plan

21 / 23

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Health plan enrollee experience of care

D2.VII.3 National Quality Forum (NQF) number

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

Program-specific rate

N/A

D2.VII.6 Measure Set D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

Medicare Advantage period: Date range

CAHPS No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

N/A

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	Tufes Health Heif.					
	-	Tufts Health Unify				
	8770	87%				
	United Healthcare Conn					
	Not available - new pla	an, first data report will by MY 2022.				
	D2.VII.1 Measure Name:	Customer Service	22 / 23			
Complete		customer service	22, 23			
	D2.VII.2 Measure Domain	vianas af asys				
	Health plan enrollee expe	rience of care				
	D2.VII.3 National Quality	D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs				
	Forum (NQF) number N/A	Program-specific rate				
	IVA					
	D2.VII.6 Measure Set	D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting period: Date range				
	Medicare Advantage CAHPS	No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021				
	D2.VII.8 Measure Description	1				
	N/A					
	Measure results					
	Commonwealth Care Alliance					
	90%					
	Tufts Health Unify					
	90%					
	United Healthcare Conn	ected				
		an, first data report will by MY 2022.				
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Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance



23 / 23



D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Health plan enrollee experience of care

D2.VII.3 National Quality Forum (NQF) number

Program-specific rate

N/A

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting

D2.VII.4 Measure Reporting and D2.VII.5 Programs

period: Date range

Medicare Advantage

No, 01/01/2021 - 12/31/2021

CAHPS

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

N/A

Measure results

Commonwealth Care Alliance

83%

Tufts Health Unify

Not available

United Healthcare Connected

Not available - new plan, first data report will by MY 2022.

Topic VIII. Sanctions

Describe sanctions that the state has issued for each plan. Report all known actions across the following domains: sanctions, administrative penalties, corrective action plans, other. Include any pending or unresolved actions.

42 CFR 438.66(e)(2)(viii) specifies that the MCPAR include the results of any sanctions or corrective action plans imposed by the State or other formal or informal intervention with a contracted MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM entity to improve performance.



D3.VIII.1 Intervention type: Compliance letter

1/14

D3.VIII.2 Plan performance

D3.VIII.3 Plan name

issue

Commonwealth Care Alliance

Timely access

D3.VIII.4 Reason for intervention

Call Center Monitoring Timeliness Study (Q1 2022): Pharmacy Hold Time: 3:55 (threshold 2 minutes)

Sanction details

D3.VIII.5 Instances of non-

D3.VIII.6 Sanction amount

compliance

N/A

8

D3.VIII.7 Date assessed

D3.VIII.8 Remediation date noncompliance was corrected

06/09/2022

Yes 06/09/2022

D3.VIII.9 Corrective action plan

Nο



D3.VIII.1 Intervention type: Compliance letter

2/14

D3.VIII.2 Plan performance D3.VIII.3 Plan name

issue

Commonwealth Care Alliance

Timely access

D3.VIII.4 Reason for intervention

CCA's delay in issuing ID cards and welcome packets beyond regulatory timeframes impacted 158 members' ability to access plan benefits. CMS identified the issue through beneficiary complaints to CMS that began on January 2, 2022. CCA did not identify the root cause nor appropriately address this issue until March 11, 2022.

Sanction details

D3.VIII.5 Instances of noncompliance

D3.VIII.6 Sanction amount

N/A

8

D3.VIII.7 Date assessed

11/22/2022

D3.VIII.8 Remediation date noncompliance was corrected

No

D3.VIII.9 Corrective action plan

No



D3.VIII.1 Intervention type: Compliance letter

3/14

D3.VIII.2 Plan performance

D3.VIII.3 Plan name

issue

Commonwealth Care Alliance

Timely access

D3.VIII.4 Reason for intervention

CCA's service provider that connects CCA's data center to the internet and transfers the calls in and out, experienced a regional outage which impacted telecom, internet, and VPN services. This resulted in CCA's call center being unavailable between the hours of 12:22 p.m. and 4:39 p.m. CCA was therefore unable to maintain call center operations during usual business hours.

Sanction details

D3.VIII.5 Instances of non-

compliance

D3.VIII.6 Sanction amount

N/A

D3.VIII.7 Date assessed

11/22/2022

D3.VIII.8 Remediation date noncompliance was corrected

Yes 11/22/2022

D3.VIII.9 Corrective action plan

No



D3.VIII.1 Intervention type: Compliance letter

4/14

D3.VIII.2 Plan performance D3.VIII.3 Plan name

issue

Commonwealth Care Alliance

Timely access

D3.VIII.4 Reason for intervention

Call Center Monitoring Timeliness Study (Q2 2022): Part C Disconnect Percentage Rate: 5.56% (threshold 5%) Part D Disconnect Percentage Rate: 5.56% (threshold 5%)

Sanction details

D3.VIII.5 Instances of non-

D3.VIII.6 Sanction amount

compliance

N/A

8

D3.VIII.7 Date assessed

D3.VIII.8 Remediation date non-

12/08/2022

compliance was corrected

Yes 12/08/2022

D3.VIII.9 Corrective action plan

No



D3.VIII.1 Intervention type: Compliance letter

5/14

D3.VIII.2 Plan performance D3.VIII.3 Plan name

issue

United Healthcare Connected

Reporting

D3.VIII.4 Reason for intervention

Missing protected class drug(s) during monthly formulary file submission window.

Sanction details

D3.VIII.5 Instances of non-

D3.VIII.6 Sanction amount

compliance

N/A

6

D3.VIII.7 Date assessed

D3.VIII.8 Remediation date noncompliance was corrected

06/07/2022

Yes 06/07/2022

D3.VIII.9 Corrective action plan

No



D3.VIII.2 Plan performance D3.VIII.3 Plan name

issue United Healthcare Connected

Timely access

D3.VIII.4 Reason for intervention

United was referred to the Division of Compliance Enforcement (DCE) in order to determine whether the results of UnitedHealth's 2022 Program Audit should result in an enforcement action. DCE completed their review and determined that UnitedHealth's non-compliance did not warrant an enforcement action.

Sanction details

D3.VIII.5 Instances of non- D3.VIII.6 Sanction amount

compliance

N/A

6

D3.VIII.7 Date assessed D3.VIII.8 Remediation date non-

09/02/2022 compliance was corrected

Yes 09/02/2022

D3.VIII.9 Corrective action plan

No



D3.VIII.1 Intervention type: Compliance letter

7/14

D3.VIII.2 Plan performance D3.VIII.3 Plan name

issue United Healthcare Connected

Reporting

D3.VIII.4 Reason for intervention

Failure to attest to agent/broker compensation data

Sanction details

D3.VIII.5 Instances of non- D3.VIII.6 Sanction amount

compliance

N/A

6

D3.VIII.7 Date assessed D3.VIII.8 Remediation date non-

08/24/2022 compliance was corrected

Yes 08/24/2022

D3.VIII.9 Corrective action plan



D3.VIII.1 Intervention type: Compliance letter

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D3.VIII.2 Plan performance D3.VIII.3 Plan name

issue

United Healthcare Connected

Timely access

D3.VIII.4 Reason for intervention

2022 Accuracy and Accessibility Study: Part D Accuracy: 87.43% (threshold

90%)

Sanction details

D3.VIII.5 Instances of non-

D3.VIII.6 Sanction amount

compliance

N/A

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D3.VIII.7 Date assessed

D3.VIII.8 Remediation date noncompliance was corrected

10/25/2022

Yes 10/25/2022

D3.VIII.9 Corrective action plan

No



D3.VIII.1 Intervention type: Compliance letter

9/14

D3.VIII.2 Plan performance D3.VIII.3 Plan name

issue

United Healthcare Connected

Timely access

D3.VIII.4 Reason for intervention

2022 Accuracy and Accessibility Study: Part C Interpreter Availability: 58.33% (threshhold 80%) Part D Interpreter Availability: 79.17% (threshold 80%)

Sanction details

D3.VIII.5 Instances of non-

D3.VIII.6 Sanction amount

compliance

N/A

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D3.VIII.7 Date assessed

D3.VIII.8 Remediation date noncompliance was corrected

10/25/2022 Yes 10/25/2022

D3.VIII.9 Corrective action plan

No



D3.VIII.1 Intervention type: Compliance letter

10 / 14

D3.VIII.2 Plan performance D3.VIII.3 Plan name

issue

United Healthcare Connected

Timely access

D3.VIII.4 Reason for intervention

2022 Accuracy and Accessibility Study: Part C TTY Functionality: 75.00% (threshold 80%)

Sanction details

D3.VIII.5 Instances of non-

D3.VIII.6 Sanction amount

compliance

N/A

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D3.VIII.7 Date assessed

D3.VIII.8 Remediation date noncompliance was corrected

10/25/2022

Yes 10/25/2022

D3.VIII.9 Corrective action plan

No



D3.VIII.1 Intervention type: Compliance letter

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D3.VIII.2 Plan performance D3.VIII.3 Plan name

issue

Tufts Health Unify

Reporting

D3.VIII.4 Reason for intervention

Failure to meet MMCO reporting requirements.

Sanction details

D3.VIII.5 Instances of noncompliance

D3.VIII.6 Sanction amount

N/A

D3.VIII.7 Date assessed

02/02/2022

D3.VIII.8 Remediation date noncompliance was corrected

Yes 02/02/2022

D3.VIII.9 Corrective action plan

No

Complete

D3.VIII.1 Intervention type: Compliance letter

12/14

D3.VIII.2 Plan performance D3.VIII.3 Plan name

issue

Tufts Health Unify

Reporting

D3.VIII.4 Reason for intervention

Missing protected class drug(s) during monthly formulary file submission window.

Sanction details

D3.VIII.5 Instances of non-

compliance

N/A

D3.VIII.7 Date assessed

06/07/2022

D3.VIII.8 Remediation date noncompliance was corrected

D3.VIII.6 Sanction amount

Yes 06/07/2022

D3.VIII.9 Corrective action plan

No



D3.VIII.1 Intervention type: Compliance letter

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D3.VIII.2 Plan performance D3.VIII.3 Plan name

issue

Tufts Health Unify

Reporting

D3.VIII.4 Reason for intervention

Failure to attest to agent/broker compensation data.

Sanction details

D3.VIII.5 Instances of non-

compliance

D3.VIII.6 Sanction amount

N/A

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D3.VIII.7 Date assessed

08/24/2022

D3.VIII.8 Remediation date noncompliance was corrected

Yes 08/24/2022

D3.VIII.9 Corrective action plan

No



D3.VIII.1 Intervention type: Compliance letter

14/14

D3.VIII.2 Plan performance D3.VIII.3 Plan name

Tufts Health Unify

Timely access

issue

D3.VIII.4 Reason for intervention

2022 Accuracy and Accessibility Study: Part C Interpreter Availability: 70.21% (threshold 80%) Part D Interpreter Availability: 77.08% (threshold 80%)

Sanction details

D3.VIII.5 Instances of non-

D3.VIII.6 Sanction amount

compliance

N/A

4

D3.VIII.7 Date assessed

10/25/2022

D3.VIII.8 Remediation date noncompliance was corrected

Yes 10/25/2022

D3.VIII.9 Corrective action plan

No

Topic X. Program Integrity

Number	Indicator	Response
D1X.1	Dedicated program integrity staff Report or enter the number of dedicated program integrity staff for routine internal monitoring and compliance risks. Refer to 42 CFR 438.608(a)(1)(vii).	Commonwealth Care Alliance 6 Tufts Health Unify 43 United Healthcare Connected 3
D1X.2	Count of opened program integrity investigations How many program integrity investigations have been opened by the plan in the past year?	Commonwealth Care Alliance 198 Tufts Health Unify 27 United Healthcare Connected 0
D1X.3	Ratio of opened program integrity investigations to enrollees What is the ratio of program integrity investigations opened by the plan in the past year per 1,000 beneficiaries enrolled in the plan on the first day of the last month of the reporting year?	Commonwealth Care Alliance 6.71:1,000 Tufts Health Unify 5.55:1,000 United Healthcare Connected 0:1,000
D1X.4	Count of resolved program integrity investigations How many program integrity investigations have been resolved by the plan in the past year?	Commonwealth Care Alliance 148 Tufts Health Unify 46 United Healthcare Connected 0

D1X.5

Ratio of resolved program integrity investigations to enrollees

What is the ratio of program integrity investigations resolved by the plan in the past year per 1,000 beneficiaries enrolled in the plan at the beginning of the reporting year?

Commonwealth Care Alliance

5.17:1,000

Tufts Health Unify

9.45:1,000

United Healthcare Connected

0:1,000

D1X.6

Referral path for program integrity referrals to the state

What is the referral path that the plan uses to make program integrity referrals to the state? Select one.

Commonwealth Care Alliance

Makes some referrals to the SMA and others directly to the MFCU

Tufts Health Unify

Makes some referrals to the SMA and others directly to the MFCU

United Healthcare Connected

Makes some referrals to the SMA and others directly to the MFCU

D1X.7

Count of program integrity referrals to the state

Enter the count of program integrity referrals that the plan made to the state in the past year. Enter the count of referrals made to the SMA and the MFCU in aggregate.

Commonwealth Care Alliance

12

Tufts Health Unify

27

United Healthcare Connected

0

D1X.8

Ratio of program integrity referral to the state

What is the ratio of program integrity referral listed in the previous indicator made to the state in the past year per 1,000 beneficiaries, using the plan's total enrollment as of the first day of the last month of the reporting year (reported in indicator D1.I.2) as the denominator.

Commonwealth Care Alliance

0.41:1,000

Tufts Health Unify

5.55:1,000

United Healthcare Connected

0:1,000

D1X.9 Plan overpayment reporting to the state

Describe the plan's latest annual overpayment recovery report submitted to the state as required under 42 CFR 438.608(d)(3). Include, for example, the following information:

- The date of the report (rating period or calendar year).
- The dollar amount of overpayments recovered.
- The ratio of the dollar amount of overpayments recovered as a percent of premium revenue as defined in MLR reporting under 438.8(f)(2).

Commonwealth Care Alliance

2022 calendar year \$0 recovered 0% overpayment amount recorded

Tufts Health Unify

Report covering CY 2022. \$181,774.91 recovered. As a % of premium revenue: 0.14 %

United Healthcare Connected

Report covering CY 2022. \$0.00 recovered. As a % of premium revenue: 0%

D1X.10 Changes in beneficiary circumstances

Select the frequency the plan reports changes in beneficiary circumstances to the state.

Commonwealth Care Alliance

Daily

Tufts Health Unify

Daily

United Healthcare Connected

Daily

Section E: BSS Entity Indicators

Topic IX. Beneficiary Support System (BSS) Entities

Per 42 CFR 438.66(e)(2)(ix), the Managed Care Program Annual Report must provide information on and an assessment of the operation of the managed care program including activities and performance of the beneficiary support system. Information on how BSS entities support program-level functions is on the Program-Level BSS page.

What type of entity was contracted to perform each BSS activity? Check all that apply. Refer to 42 CFR 438.71(b). My Ombudsman (MYO) Ombudsman Program Other Community-Based Organize Automated Health Systems (AH Enrollment Broker Maximus Enrollment Broker Maximus Enrollment Broker Serving the Health Insurance Note (SHINE) Enrollment Broker/Choice Counse (SHINE)	Number	Indicator	Response
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