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# 1. Medical Assistance With Smoking and Tobacco Use Cessation (MSC) Core Measure – Screenshots

## 1.1 Are you reporting on this measure?

### Medical Assistance With Smoking and Tobacco Use Cessation (MSC)

CMS-10434 OMB 0938-1188

Medicaid Adult Core Quality Measure - ZZ - 2017

[Request System Help](#)

[REQUEST TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE](#) [CLEAR](#) [VIEW ALL RESPONSES](#)

Are you reporting on this measure?\*

- Yes
- No

[View Implementation Guide](#)

Figure 1: Are you reporting on this measure?

## 1.2 Measurement Specification – Path 1

### Measurement Specification

- National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA) / Healthcare Effectiveness Data and Information Set (HEDIS)
- Other

Specify version of HEDIS used\*

Select Year

HEDIS: Healthcare Effectiveness Data and Information Set

+/-

Figure 2: Measurement Specification – 1

## 1.3 Measurement Specification – Path 2

### Measurement Specification

- National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA) / Healthcare Effectiveness Data and Information Set (HEDIS)
- Other

Explain \*

+/-

Figure 3: Measurement Specification – 2

## 1.4 Data Source

### Data Source

- CAHPS 5.0
- CAHPS 5.0H
- Other

Explain \*

+/-

Figure 4: Data Source

# 1.5 Performance Measure – Path 1

## Performance Measure

+/-

A rolling average represents the percentage of Medicaid enrollees age 18 and older who were current smokers or tobacco users and who received medical assistance with smoking and tobacco use cessation during the measurement year. The three components of this measure assess different facets of providing medical assistance with smoking and tobacco use cessation and are reported as three separate rolling averages:

- Advising Smokers and Tobacco Users to Quit - A rolling average represents the percentage of Medicaid enrollees age 18 and older who were current smokers or tobacco users and who received advice to quit during the measurement year
- Discussing Cessation Medications - A rolling average represents the percentage of Medicaid enrollees age 18 and older who were current smokers or tobacco users and who discussed or were recommended cessation medications during the measurement year
- Discussing Cessation Strategies - A rolling average represents the percentage of Medicaid enrollees age 18 and older who were current smokers or tobacco users and who discussed or were provided cessation methods or strategies during the measurement year

Enter rate values to one decimal place (XX.X). If your rate ends in .0, note that the .0 will not be retained on the screen and the whole number will be displayed instead.

### Advising Smokers and Tobacco Users to Quit

Age Range: 18-64

Please explain why data was not entered for this numerator/denominator/rate set \*

Character count: 0/4000

Age Range: 65 and Older

Please explain why data was not entered for this numerator/denominator/rate set \*

Figure 5: Performance Measure – 1

### Discussing Cessation Medications

Age Range: 18-64

Please explain why data was not entered for this numerator/denominator/rate set \*

Character count: 0/4000

Age Range: 65 and Older

Please explain why data was not entered for this numerator/denominator/rate set \*

Character count: 0/4000

### Discussing Cessation Strategies

Age Range: 18-64

Please explain why data was not entered for this numerator/denominator/rate set \*

Character count: 0/4000

Figure 6: Performance Measure – 2

Age Range: 65 and Older

**Please explain why data was not entered for this numerator/denominator/rate set \***

Character count: 0/4000

**Percentage of Current Smokers and Tobacco Users – Supplemental Calculation**

Age Range: 18-64

**Please explain why data was not entered for this numerator/denominator/rate set \***

Character count: 0/4000

Age Range: 65 and Older

**Please explain why data was not entered for this numerator/denominator/rate set \***

Character count: 0/4000

**Figure 7: Performance Measure – 3**

## 1.6 Performance Measure – Path 2

**Performance Measure** +/-

A rolling average represents the percentage of Medicaid enrollees age 18 and older who were current smokers or tobacco users and who received medical assistance with smoking and tobacco use cessation during the measurement year. The three components of this measure assess different facets of providing medical assistance with smoking and tobacco use cessation and are reported as three separate rolling averages:

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- Discussing Cessation Strategies – A rolling average represents the percentage of Medicaid enrollees age 18 and older who were current smokers or tobacco users and who discussed or were provided cessation methods or strategies during the measurement year

Enter rate values to one decimal place (XX.X). If your rate ends in .0, note that the .0 will not be retained on the screen and the whole number will be displayed instead.

**Advising Smokers and Tobacco Users to Quit**

Age Range: 18-64

Numerator	Denominator	Rate
0	0	0

Age Range: 65 and Older

Numerator	Denominator	Rate
0	0	0

The option "Denominator includes Medicare and Medicaid Dually-Eligible population" was not selected in the "Definition of Population Included in the Measure." Is the Medicare and Medicaid Dually-Eligible population included in this denominator?

**Figure 8: Performance Measure – 4**

Dually-Eligible population included in this denominator?

Yes  
 No

**"Denominator includes Medicare and Medicaid Dually-Eligible Population" was not selected, please explain why: \***

Character count: 0/4000

**Discussing Cessation Medications**

Age Range: 18-64

Numerator	Denominator	Rate
0	0	0

Age Range: 65 and Older

Numerator	Denominator	Rate
0	0	0

The option "Denominator includes Medicare and Medicaid Dually-Eligible population" was not selected in the "Definition of Population Included in the Measure." Is the Medicare and Medicaid Dually-Eligible population included in this denominator?

Yes  
 No

**"Denominator includes Medicare and Medicaid Dually-Eligible Population" was not selected, please explain why: \***

**Figure 9: Performance Measure – 5**

**Discussing Cessation Strategies**

Age Range: 18-64

Numerator	Denominator	Rate
0	0	0

Age Range: 65 and Older

Numerator	Denominator	Rate
0	0	0

The option "Denominator includes Medicare and Medicaid Dually-Eligible population" was not selected in the "Definition of Population Included in the Measure." Is the Medicare and Medicaid Dually-Eligible population included in this denominator?

Yes  
 No

**"Denominator includes Medicare and Medicaid Dually-Eligible Population" was not selected, please explain why: \***

Character count: 0/4000

**Percentage of Current Smokers and Tobacco Users - Supplemental Calculation**

Age Range: 18-64

Numerator	Denominator	Rate
0	0	0

**Figure 10: Performance Measure – 6**

Age Range: 65 and Older

Numerator	Denominator	Rate
0	0	0

The option "Denominator includes Medicare and Medicaid Dually-Eligible population" was not selected in the "Definition of Population Included in the Measure." Is the Medicare and Medicaid Dually-Eligible population included in this denominator?

Yes  
 No

**"Denominator includes Medicare and Medicaid Dually-Eligible Population" was not selected, please explain why: \***

Character count: 0/4000

Figure 11: Performance Measure – 7

## 1.7 Deviations from Measurement Specifications

### Deviations from Measurement Specifications +/-

Did your calculation of the measure deviate from the measure specification in any way? \*

Yes  
 No

Please select and explain the deviation(s)

Advising Smokers and Tobacco Users to Quit

Age Range: 18-64

Numerator

**Explain \***

Denominator

**Explain \***

Other

**Explain \***

Figure 12: Deviations from Measurement Specifications – 1

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other	Explain *
<b>Age Range: 65 and Older</b>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Numerator	Explain *
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Denominator	Explain *
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other	Explain *

**Figure 13: Deviations from Measurement Specifications – 2**

Discussing Cessation Medications	
<b>Age Range: 18-64</b>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Numerator	Explain *
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Denominator	Explain *
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other	Explain *
<b>Age Range: 65 and Older</b>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Numerator	Explain *

**Figure 14: Deviations from Measurement Specifications – 3**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Denominator	Explain *
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other	Explain *
Discussing Cessation Strategies Age Range: 18-64 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Numerator	Explain *
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Denominator	Explain *

Figure 15: Deviations from Measurement Specifications – 4

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other	Explain *
Age Range: 65 and Older <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Numerator	Explain *
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Denominator	Explain *
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other	Explain *

Figure 16: Deviations from Measurement Specifications – 5

Percentage of Current Smokers and Tobacco Users – Supplemental Calculation

**Age Range: 18-64**

Numerator

Explain \*

Denominator

Explain \*

Other

Explain \*

**Age Range: 65 and Older**

Numerator

Explain \*

**Figure 17: Deviations from Measurement Specifications – 6**

Denominator

Explain \*

Other

Explain \*

**Figure 18: Deviations from Measurement Specifications – 7**

## 1.8 Optional Measure Stratification

*Note: Same N/D/R sets are displayed under each of the stratification categories.*

### Optional Measure Stratification +/-

If this measure is also reported by additional classifications/sub-categories, e.g. racial, ethnic, sex, language, disability status, or geography, complete the following as applicable.

Enter rate values to one decimal place (XX.X). If your rate ends in .0, note that the .0 will not be retained on the screen and the whole number will be displayed instead.

**Check all that apply**

Race (Non-Hispanic)  White

**Advising Smokers and Tobacco Users to Quit**

Classification/Sub-category	Numerator	Denominator	Rate	
Age Range: 18-64	0	0	0	Clear Row
Age Range: 65 and Older	0	0	0	Clear Row

+ Additional/Alternative Classification/Sub-category

**Discussing Cessation Medications**

Classification/Sub-category	Numerator	Denominator	Rate	
Age Range: 18-64	0	0	0	Clear Row
Age Range: 65 and Older	0	0	0	Clear Row

+ Additional/Alternative Classification/Sub-category

**Figure 19: Optional Measure Stratification – 1**

**Discussing Cessation Strategies**

Classification/Sub-category	Numerator	Denominator	Rate	
Age Range: 18-64	0	0	0	Clear Row
Age Range: 65 and Older	0	0	0	Clear Row

+ Additional/Alternative Classification/Sub-category

**Percentage of Current Smokers and Tobacco Users – Supplemental Calculation**

Classification/Sub-category	Numerator	Denominator	Rate	
Age Range: 18-64	0	0	0	Clear Row
Age Range: 65 and Older	0	0	0	Clear Row

+ Additional/Alternative Classification/Sub-category

Black or African American  
 American Indian or Alaska Native  
 Asian  
 Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander  
 + Additional Race(s)

Ethnicity

Hispanic or Latino  
 Not Hispanic or Latino

+ Additional Ethnicity(ies)

**Figure 20: Optional Measure Stratification – 2**

Sex

- Male
- \*  Female

Primary Spoken Language

- English
- \*  Spanish
- + Additional Primary Spoken Language(s)

Disability Status

- SSI
- \*  Non-SSI
- + Additional Disability Status(es)

Geography

- Urban
- \*  Rural
- + Additional Geographies

Adult Eligibility Group (ACA Expansion Group)

**Advising Smokers and Tobacco Users to Quit**

Classification/Sub-category	Numerator	Denominator	Rate	
Age Range: 18-64	0	0	0	Clear Row
Age Range: 65 and Older	0	0	0	Clear Row

+ Additional/Alternative Classification/Sub-category

**Figure 21: Optional Measure Stratification – 3**

**Discussing Cessation Medications**

Classification/Sub-category	Numerator	Denominator	Rate	
Age Range: 18-64	0	0	0	Clear Row
Age Range: 65 and Older	0	0	0	Clear Row

+ Additional/Alternative Classification/Sub-category

**Discussing Cessation Strategies**

Classification/Sub-category	Numerator	Denominator	Rate	
Age Range: 18-64	0	0	0	Clear Row
Age Range: 65 and Older	0	0	0	Clear Row

+ Additional/Alternative Classification/Sub-category

**Percentage of Current Smokers and Tobacco Users – Supplemental Calculation**

Classification/Sub-category	Numerator	Denominator	Rate	
Age Range: 18-64	0	0	0	Clear Row
Age Range: 65 and Older	0	0	0	Clear Row

+ Additional/Alternative Classification/Sub-category

**Figure 22: Optional Measure Stratification – 4**

## Appendix A: Acronyms

Table 1: Acronyms

Acronym	Literal Translation
<b>AQM</b>	Adult Quality Measure
<b>PRA</b>	Paper Reduction Act of 1995