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Dear AmeriHealth Caritas Pennsylvania (PA) Primary Care Provider,

AmeriHealth Caritas PA is making the following changes to the Quality Enhancement Program (QEP) for the 2023 Program.

The Quality Performance component will now consist of the following eight HEDIS® based measures:

- Child and Adolescent Well Care Visits [ages 3-21] (WCV)
- Asthma Medication Ratio
- Plan All Cause Readmission – Count of Expected/Observed Ratio
- Well Child visits in the First 30 Months of Life (ages 0-15mo)
- Lead Screening for Children
- Controlling High Blood Pressure <140/90 mm Hg
- Developmental Screening in the First Three Years of Life
- Hemoglobin A1c Control for Patients with Diabetes (>9%) (HBD)

Existing Performance Components:

1. **Total Cost of Care Component** (this component will only include non-Pediatric practices/groups)
2. **Top Performer Component** (this component will only include Pediatric practices/groups)
3. **Health Equity Component**
4. **Electronic Submission of CQM**
5. **Improvement Component**

An updated QEP manual is currently being developed. We will notify you when it is available and posted on the Provider website.

**Please note providers will be evaluated on these HEDIS® measures through the 2023 calendar year. The program will continue to be settled following this schedule:

Settlement	Enrollment	Claims Paid Through	Payment Date
2023a	Q1	6/30/2023	9/1/2023
2023b	Q2	9/30/2023	12/1/2023
2023c	Q3	12/31/2023	3/1/2024
2023d	Q4	3/31/2024	6/1/2024

If you have any questions regarding this program, please contact your Provider Account Executive. Thank you for your continued partnership with AmeriHealth Caritas PA in the service of our members, and for your critical role in providing and coordinating care for them.

Sincerely,



Stephen Orndorff, Director Provider Network Management