

Managed Care Program Annual Report (MCPAR) for Iowa: Dental Wellness Plan

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Indicator	Response
Exclusion of CHIP from MCPAR 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.	Selected

Section A: Program Information

Point of Contact



Number	Indicator	Response
A1	State name Auto-populated from your account profile.	Iowa
A2a	Contact name 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.	Jennifer Steenblock
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A3a	Submitter name CMS receives this data upon submission of this MCPAR report.	Kurt Behrens
A3b	Submitter email address CMS receives this data upon submission of this MCPAR report.	kbehren@dhs.state.ia.us
A4	Date of report submission CMS receives this date upon submission of this MCPAR report.	12/21/2023

Reporting Period



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Number	Indicator	Response
A5a	Reporting period start date Auto-populated from report dashboard.	07/01/2022
A5b	Reporting period end date Auto-populated from report dashboard.	06/30/2023
A6	Program name Auto-populated from report dashboard.	Dental Wellness Plan

Add plans (A.7)

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



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Indicator	Response
Plan name	Delta Dental of Iowa MCNA

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 [42 CFR 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 Independent Living (CIL), Legal Assistance Organization, Community-based Organization, Subcontractor, Enrollment Broker, Consultant, or Academic/Research Organization.

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Indicator	Response
BSS entity name	MAXIMUS Health Services, Inc. Managed Care Ombudsman

Section B: State-Level Indicators

Topic I. Program Characteristics and Enrollment



Number	Indicator	Response
BI.1	Statewide Medicaid enrollment Enter the average number of individuals enrolled in Medicaid per month during the reporting year (i.e., average member months). Include all FFS and managed care enrollees and count each person only once, regardless of the delivery system(s) in which they are enrolled.	769,684
BI.2	Statewide Medicaid managed care enrollment Enter the average number of individuals enrolled in any type of Medicaid managed care per month during the reporting year (i.e., average member months). Include all managed care programs and count each person only once, even if they are enrolled in multiple managed care programs or plans.	759,383

Topic III. Encounter Data Report



Number	Indicator	Response
BIII.1	Data validation entity 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.	State Medicaid agency staff Other state agency staff State actuaries EQRO Other third-party vendor Proprietary system(s)
BIII.2	HIPAA compliance of proprietary system(s) for encounter data validation Were the system(s) utilized fully HIPAA compliant? Select one.	Not answered

Topic X: Program Integrity



Number	Indicator	Response
BX.1	<p>Payment risks between the state and plans</p> <p>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.</p>	<p>In SFY2023, numerous analytic projects and work was completed focused on the managed care programs. 1. SURS Reports – Peer to peer comparisons to identify outliers and anomalies (e.g. overutilization) of providers 2. Vulnerability Assessment – More than 100 algorithms were delivered through this FWA reporting service including algorithms addressing dental vulnerabilities. 3. Algorithms – examples listed below: a. Duplicate Billing b. Other activities to note are: i. Continued work on encounter data quality to allow for improved monitoring in areas such as: 1. Ordering, referring and prescribing providers submitted on encounters as appropriate 2. Missing billing provider NPI on encounters ii. Annual audits on the PAHPs. 1. The PAHP audits are reviewing credentialing, compliance plan, and overpayment recoveries.</p>
BX.2	<p>Contract standard for overpayments</p> <p>Does the state allow plans to retain overpayments, require the return of overpayments, or has established a hybrid system? Select one.</p>	<p>State has established a hybrid system</p>
BX.3	<p>Location of contract provision stating overpayment standard</p> <p>Describe where the overpayment standard in the previous indicator is located in plan contracts, as required by 42 CFR 438.608(d)(1)(i).</p>	<p>1.7.07.4 Recovery of Payments</p>
BX.4	<p>Description of overpayment contract standard</p> <p>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.</p>	<p>The managed care plans are allowed to retain any overpayments they collect as a result of their identified overpayments.</p>

BX.5	<p>State overpayment reporting monitoring</p> <p>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? 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.</p>	<p>The managed care plans report overpayment recoveries on a monthly basis. The Department tracks timeliness, accuracy, performance, and completeness of report. The Department reviews the report for the identified overpayments to collect, the monthly amount collected, and the total to date collected. The Department audits the managed care plans to ensure the reported overpayments collected were reported correctly and the overpayments were collected by the managed care plans.</p>
BX.6	<p>Changes in beneficiary circumstances</p> <p>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).</p>	<p>The Department runs a reconciliation of the managed care enrollment files with the incarceration, deceased, and HIPP files to determine if there were capitations payments made for those members. If there were capitation payments made, the Department will pull back capitation payments in the amount identified as being paid in error.</p>
BX.7a	<p>Changes in provider circumstances: Monitoring plans</p> <p>Does the state monitor whether plans report provider “for cause” terminations in a timely manner under 42 CFR 438.608(a)(4)? Select one.</p>	<p>Yes</p>
BX.7b	<p>Changes in provider circumstances: Metrics</p> <p>Does the state use a metric or indicator to assess plan reporting performance? Select one.</p>	<p>No</p>
BX.8a	<p>Federal database checks: Excluded person or entities</p> <p>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</p>	<p>No</p>

of the MCO, PIHP, PAHP, PCCM or PCCM entity, any subcontractor, as well as any 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** No

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.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).

The most recent Encounter Data Validation Report can be found here:
https://hhs.iowa.gov/sites/default/files/IA2022_EQR-TR_Report_F1.pdf MLR Audit will be posted when available.

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.	Dental Wellness Plan PAHP Contract
N/A	Enter the date of the contract between the state and plans participating in the managed care program.	07/01/2018
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://hhs.iowa.gov/programs/welcome-iowa-medicaid/medicaid-contracts
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.	Prepaid Ambulatory Health Plan (PAHP)
C11.4a	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-for-service should not be listed here.	Dental
C11.4b	Variation in special benefits What are any variations in the availability of special benefits within the program (e.g. by	N/A

service area or population)?
Enter "N/A" if not applicable.

C11.5 **Program enrollment** 759,383

Enter the average number of individuals enrolled in this managed care program per month during the reporting year (i.e., average member months).

C11.6 **Changes to enrollment or benefits** Due to PHE, continuous eligibility was still in place for SFY2023.

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	<p>Uses of encounter data</p> <p>For what purposes does the state use encounter data collected from managed care plans (MCPs)? Select one or more.</p> <p>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)).</p>	<p>Rate setting</p> <p>Quality/performance measurement</p> <p>Monitoring and reporting</p> <p>Contract oversight</p> <p>Program integrity</p> <p>Policy making and decision support</p>
C1III.2	<p>Criteria/measures to evaluate MCP performance</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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).</p>	<p>Timeliness of initial data submissions</p> <p>Use of correct file formats</p> <p>Provider ID field complete</p> <p>Overall data accuracy (as determined through data validation)</p> <p>Other, specify – External Quality Review studies are completed. In addition, ad hoc analysis of the encounter data is performed to identify data quality issues which are remediated with the managed care plans.</p>
C1III.3	<p>Encounter data performance criteria contract language</p> <p>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.</p>	<p>Section K. Health Information Systems and Enrollee Data.</p>
C1III.4	<p>Financial penalties contract language</p> <p>Provide reference(s) to the contract section(s) that</p>	<p>Section 3.1 (Performance Measure subjected to 2% withhold) Within ninety days (90) of the end of each quarter the Contractor's accepted encounter data shall match the Contractor's</p>

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.

submitted financial information within 98% using reporting criteria set forth in the financial reporting template.

C1III.5

Incentives for encounter data 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.

Within ninety days (90) of the end of each quarter the Contractor's accepted encounter data shall match the Contractor's submitted financial information within 98% using reporting criteria set forth in the financial reporting template.

C1III.6

Barriers to 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.

A key barrier to validating encounter data are related to manual validation processes.

Topic IV. Appeals, State Fair Hearings & Grievances



Number	Indicator	Response
C1IV.1	<p>State's definition of "critical incident," as used for reporting purposes in its MLTSS program</p> <p>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.</p>	N/A
C1IV.2	<p>State definition of "timely" resolution for standard appeals</p> <p>Provide the state's definition of 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.</p>	Per PAHP Contract Section H.7.01 Contractor shall resolve each appeal and provide notices, as expeditiously as the enrollee's health condition requires, within 30 calendar days from the day other Contractor receives the appeal.
C1IV.3	<p>State definition of "timely" resolution for expedited appeals</p> <p>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 timeframe for timely resolution of expedited appeals that is no longer than 72 hours after the MCO, PIHP or PAHP receives the appeal.</p>	Per PAHP Contract Section H.7.07 Contractor shall resolve each expedited appeal and provide notices, as expeditiously as the enrollee's health condition requires, within Agency-established timeframes not to exceed 72 hours after the Contractor receives the expedited appeal request.
C1IV.4	<p>State definition of "timely" resolution for grievances</p> <p>Provide the state's definition of timely resolution for grievances in the managed care program.</p>	The Contractor resolves one hundred (100%) of grievances within thirty (30) calendar days or receipt.

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 day the MCO, PIHP or PAHP receives the grievance.

Topic V. Availability, Accessibility and Network Adequacy

Network Adequacy



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C1_Program_Set

Number	Indicator	Response
C1V.1	<p>Gaps/challenges in network adequacy</p> <p>What are the state's biggest challenges? Describe any challenges MCPs have maintaining adequate networks and meeting standards.</p>	<p>Rural areas with fewer dental providers and lack of dentists who will accept new Medicaid members due to low legislative reimbursement rates are two of Iowa's biggest network adequacy challenges.</p>
C1V.2	<p>State response to gaps in network adequacy</p> <p>How does the state work with MCPs to address gaps in network adequacy?</p>	<p>Iowa Medicaid works with dental and medical stakeholders, including the Iowa Dental Association and Iowa Public Policy Center to determine best practices and hear barriers experienced by providers to determine policy and payment practices that can be improved within the Medicaid program. Iowa Medicaid has Network Adequacy as a measurement in the contract and Dental Quality Strategy Plan which describes in further detail, activities which Iowa Medicaid is participating in to increase and improve Network Adequacy in collaboration with the PAHPs. The capitation rates are reviewed on a yearly basis to allow the PAHPs to reimburse dental providers above the fee schedule; both PAHPs reimbursed providers at a rate higher than 100% of the fee schedule.</p>

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.



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C2_Program_State

Access measure total count: 2



Complete

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

1 / 2

C2.V.2 Measure standard

30 minutes or miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider

Dental and Oral
Health Services

C2.V.5 Region

Urban

C2.V.6 Population

Adult and pediatric

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Geomapping, Plan provider roster review, Review of grievances related to access

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Quarterly



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

2 / 2

C2.V.2 Measure standard

60 minutes or miles

C2.V.3 Standard type

Maximum time or distance

C2.V.4 Provider

Dental and Oral
Health Services

C2.V.5 Region

Rural

C2.V.6 Population

Adult and pediatric

C2.V.7 Monitoring Methods

Geomapping

C2.V.8 Frequency of oversight methods

Quarterly

Topic IX: Beneficiary Support System (BSS)



Number	Indicator	Response
C1IX.1	<p>BSS website</p> <p>List the website(s) and/or email address that beneficiaries use to seek assistance from the BSS through electronic means. Separate entries with commas.</p>	<p>Iowa Medicaid Member Services provides enrollment broker and choice counseling services. Information is provided at the following website: https://hhs.iowa.gov/ime/about/contacts/member-services Ombudsman: Beneficiaries are able to access services to the Managed Care Ombudsman program through the website and email address provided below. https://iowaaging.gov/state-long-term-care-ombudsman/managed-care-ombudsman-program ManagedCareOmbudsman@iowa.gov</p>
C1IX.2	<p>BSS auxiliary aids and services</p> <p>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, in-person, and via auxiliary aids and services when requested.</p>	<p>Iowa Medicaid Member Services: Inquiries can be made by contacting Member Services call center by phone, mail or email. Iowa Medicaid Member Services (Monday to Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.) 1-800-338-8366 (Toll Free) 515-256-4606 (Des Moines Area) 515-725-1351 (Fax) Email: IMEMemberServices@dhs.state.ia.us For telephone accessibility assistance if you are deaf, hard-of-hearing, deaf-blind, or have difficulty speaking, call Relay Iowa TTY at 1-800-735-2942. Ombudsman: Inquires can be made by contacting the Managed Care Ombudsman's office and representatives are available to beneficiaries, even those with disabilities, in person or via-mail to our Des Moines location, via phone, the internet or through our Managed Care Ombudsman email inbox that goes directly to a representative. Beneficiaries can also directly file a complaint or concern with their Managed Care Organization and submit it online: https://iowaaging.gov/state-long-term-care-ombudsman/filing-complaint See contact information below. Managed Care Ombudsman 510 E 12th St., Ste. 2 Des Moines, IA 50319 (866) 236-1430 ManagedCareOmbudsman@iowa.gov</p>
C1IX.3	<p>BSS LTSS program data</p> <p>How do BSS entities assist the state with identifying, remediating, and resolving</p>	<p>Reports can be found at this link: https://iowaaging.gov/state-long-term-care-ombudsman/managed-care-ombudsman-program ManagedCareOmbudsman@iowa.gov</p>

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).

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?	Enrollment Broker: Information and Choice Counseling, enrollment, disenrollment, RFI, maintain data, escalated member issues are monitored by the state contract manager. The Managed Care Ombudsman program is established in state legislation and is an independent, separate entity from the state Medicaid agency.
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Topic X: Program Integrity



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Number	Indicator	Response
C1X.3	Prohibited affiliation disclosure 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).	No

Section D: Plan-Level Indicators

Topic I. Program Characteristics & Enrollment



Number	Indicator	Response
D11.1	Plan enrollment Enter the average number of individuals enrolled in the plan per month during the reporting year (i.e., average member months).	Delta Dental of Iowa 472,580 MCNA 286,803
D11.2	Plan share of Medicaid What is the plan enrollment (within the specific program) as a percentage of the state's total Medicaid enrollment? <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Numerator: Plan enrollment (D1.I.1)• Denominator: Statewide Medicaid enrollment (B.I.1)	Delta Dental of Iowa 61.4% MCNA 37.3%
D11.3	Plan share of any Medicaid managed care What is the plan enrollment (regardless of program) as a percentage of total Medicaid enrollment in any type of managed care? <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Numerator: Plan enrollment (D1.I.1)• Denominator: Statewide Medicaid managed care enrollment (B.I.2)	Delta Dental of Iowa 62.2% MCNA 37.8%

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.	Delta Dental of Iowa 85.2%
		MCNA 81.6%
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.	Delta Dental of Iowa Program-specific statewide
		MCNA 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.	Delta Dental of Iowa N/A
		MCNA 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?	Delta Dental of Iowa Yes
		MCNA

Yes

N/A

Enter the start date.

Delta Dental of Iowa

07/01/2021

MCNA

07/01/2021

N/A

Enter the end date.

Delta Dental of Iowa

06/30/2022

MCNA

06/30/2022

Topic III. Encounter Data



Number	Indicator	Response
D1III.1	<p>Definition of timely encounter data submissions</p> <p>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.</p>	<p>Delta Dental of Iowa</p> <p>Per PAHP Contract Section KS.01 Reporting Format and Batch Submission Scheduled The Contractor shall submit encounter claims in an electronic format that adheres to the data Specifications set forth by the Agency and in any State or federally mandated electronic claims submission standards. The Agency will have all of the remedies provided to it under the Contract, including liquidated damages, for failure to comply with these requirements. Encounter data shall be submitted by the 20th of the month subsequent to the month for which data are reflected. All corrections to the monthly encounter data submission shall be finalized within forty-five (45) days from the date the initial error report for the month was sent to the Contractor of fifty-nine (59) days from the date the initial encounter data were due. The error rate for encounter data cannot exceed one percent (1%). The source of the error can be identified by system edits and/or analysis of the encounter data. The Agency will notify the Contractor of changes made to calculate encounter data timeliness, accuracy, and quality sixty (60) days prior to implementation.</p> <p>MCNA</p> <p>Per PAHP Contract Section KS.01 Reporting Format and Batch Submission Scheduled The Contractor shall submit encounter claims in an electronic format that adheres to the data Specifications set forth by the Agency and in any State or federally mandated electronic claims submission standards. The Agency will have all of the remedies provided to it under the Contract, including liquidated damages, for failure to comply with these requirements. Encounter data shall be submitted by the 20th of the month subsequent to the month for which data are reflected. All corrections to the monthly encounter data submission shall be</p>

finalized within forty-five (45) days from the date the initial error report for the month was sent to the Contractor of fifty-nine (59) days from the date the initial encounter data were due. The error rate for encounter data cannot exceed one percent (1%). The source of the error can be identified by system edits and/or analysis of the encounter data. The Agency will notify the Contractor of changes made to calculate encounter data timeliness, accuracy, and quality sixty (60) days prior to implementation.

D1III.2	Share of encounter data submissions that met state's timely submission requirements	Delta Dental of Iowa
		96.84%
	<p>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.</p>	MCNA 99%
D1III.3	Share of encounter data submissions that were HIPAA compliant	Delta Dental of Iowa
		100%
	<p>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.</p>	MCNA 100%

Topic IV. Appeals, State Fair Hearings & Grievances

Appeals Overview



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D1_Plan_Set

Number	Indicator	Response
D1IV.1	<p>Appeals resolved (at the plan level)</p> <p>Enter the total number of appeals resolved during the reporting year.</p> <p>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.</p>	<p>Delta Dental of Iowa</p> <p>119</p> <p>MCNA</p> <p>62</p>
D1IV.2	<p>Active appeals</p> <p>Enter the total number of appeals still pending or in process (not yet resolved) as of the end of the reporting year.</p>	<p>Delta Dental of Iowa</p> <p>13</p> <p>MCNA</p> <p>0</p>
D1IV.3	<p>Appeals filed on behalf of LTSS users</p> <p>Enter the total number of appeals filed during the reporting year by or on behalf of LTSS users. Enter "N/A" if not applicable.</p> <p>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).</p>	<p>Delta Dental of Iowa</p> <p>N/A</p> <p>MCNA</p> <p>N/A</p>
D1IV.4	<p>Number of critical incidents filed during the reporting period by (or on behalf of) an</p>	<p>Delta Dental of Iowa</p>

LTSS user who previously filed an appeal

N/A

For managed care plans that cover LTSS, enter the number of critical incidents filed within the reporting period by (or on behalf of) LTSS users who previously filed appeals in the reporting year. If the managed care plan does not cover LTSS, enter "N/A".

MCNA

N/A

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

Delta Dental of Iowa

115

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

MCNA

71

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

D1IV.5b	Expedited appeals for which timely resolution was provided	Delta Dental of Iowa
	Enter the total number of expedited appeals for which timely resolution was provided by plan during the reporting period. See 42 CFR §438.408(b)(3) for requirements related to timely resolution of standard appeals.	0
		MCNA
		4
D1IV.6a	Resolved appeals related to denial of authorization or limited authorization of a service	Delta Dental of Iowa
	Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to the plan's denial of authorization for a service not yet rendered or limited authorization of a service. (Appeals related to denial of payment for a service already rendered should be counted in indicator D1.IV.6c).	89
		MCNA
		23
D1IV.6b	Resolved appeals related to reduction, suspension, or termination of a previously authorized service	Delta Dental of Iowa
	Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to the plan's reduction, suspension, or termination of a previously authorized service.	0
		MCNA
		0
D1IV.6c	Resolved appeals related to payment denial	Delta Dental of Iowa
	Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to the plan's denial, in whole or in part, of payment for a service that was already rendered.	30
		MCNA
		53
D1IV.6d	Resolved appeals related to service timeliness	Delta Dental of Iowa
	Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that	0
		MCNA

were related to the plan's failure to provide services in a timely manner (as defined by the state).

0

D1IV.6e

Resolved appeals related to lack of timely plan response to an appeal or grievance

Delta Dental of Iowa

0

Enter the total number of 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.

MCNA

0

D1IV.6f

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

Delta Dental of Iowa

0

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).

MCNA

0

D1IV.6g

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

Delta Dental of Iowa

0

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.

MCNA

0

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.



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D1_Plan_Set

Number	Indicator	Response
D1IV.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".	Delta Dental of Iowa N/A MCNA N/A
D1IV.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".	Delta Dental of Iowa N/A MCNA N/A
D1IV.7c	Resolved appeals related to inpatient behavioral health services Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan	Delta Dental of Iowa N/A MCNA

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".

N/A

D1IV.7d

Resolved appeals related to outpatient behavioral health services

Delta Dental of Iowa

N/A

Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan 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".

MCNA

N/A

D1IV.7e

Resolved appeals related to covered outpatient prescription drugs

Delta Dental of Iowa

N/A

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".

MCNA

N/A

D1IV.7f

Resolved appeals related to skilled nursing facility (SNF) services

Delta Dental of Iowa

N/A

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".

MCNA

N/A

D1IV.7g

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

Delta Dental of Iowa

N/A

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

MCNA

N/A

services. If the managed care plan does not cover LTSS services, enter "N/A".

D1IV.7h	Resolved appeals related to dental services Enter the total number of appeals resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to dental services. If the managed care plan does not cover dental services, enter "N/A".	Delta Dental of Iowa 119 MCNA 76
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".	Delta Dental of Iowa N/A MCNA N/A
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".	Delta Dental of Iowa N/A MCNA N/A

State Fair Hearings



Find in the Excel Workbook

D1_Plan_Set

Number	Indicator	Response
D1IV.8a	State Fair Hearing requests Enter the total number of State Fair Hearing requests filed during the reporting year with the plan that issued an adverse benefit determination.	Delta Dental of Iowa 3 MCNA 1
D1IV.8b	State Fair Hearings resulting in a favorable decision for the enrollee Enter the total number of State Fair Hearing decisions rendered during the reporting year that were partially or fully favorable to the enrollee.	Delta Dental of Iowa 0 MCNA 0
D1IV.8c	State Fair Hearings resulting in an adverse decision for the enrollee Enter the total number of State Fair Hearing decisions rendered during the reporting year that were adverse for the enrollee.	Delta Dental of Iowa 2 MCNA 0
D1IV.8d	State Fair Hearings retracted prior to reaching a decision Enter the total number of State Fair Hearing decisions retracted (by the enrollee or the representative who filed a State Fair Hearing request on behalf of the enrollee) during the reporting year prior to reaching a decision.	Delta Dental of Iowa 0 MCNA 1
D1IV.9a	External Medical Reviews resulting in a favorable decision for the enrollee If your state does offer an external medical review process, enter the total number of external medical review	Delta Dental of Iowa N/A MCNA

decisions rendered during the reporting year that were partially or fully favorable to the enrollee. If your state does 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). N/A

D1IV.9b	External Medical Reviews resulting in an adverse decision for the enrollee	Delta Dental of Iowa
		N/A
	If your state does offer an external medical review process, enter the total number of external medical review decisions rendered during the reporting year that were adverse to the enrollee. If your state does not offer an external medical review process, enter "N/A".	MCNA
	External medical review is defined and described at 42 CFR §438.402(c)(i)(B).	N/A

Grievances Overview



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D1_Plan_Set

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.	Delta Dental of Iowa 634 MCNA 3,844
D1IV.11	Active grievances Enter the total number of grievances still pending or in process (not yet resolved) as of the end of the reporting year.	Delta Dental of Iowa 65 MCNA 0
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.	Delta Dental of Iowa N/A MCNA N/A
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	Delta Dental of Iowa N/A MCNA N/A

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	Delta Dental of Iowa
		634
	Enter the number of grievances for which timely resolution was provided by plan during the reporting period.	MCNA 3,844

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

Grievances by Service

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



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D1_Plan_Set

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".	Delta Dental of Iowa N/A MCNA N/A
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".	Delta Dental of Iowa N/A MCNA N/A
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	Delta Dental of Iowa N/A MCNA N/A

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

D1IV.15d	Resolved grievances related to outpatient behavioral health services	Delta Dental of Iowa
		N/A
	Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to outpatient mental health and/or substance use services. If the managed care plan does not cover this type of service, enter "N/A".	MCNA N/A

D1IV.15e	Resolved grievances related to coverage of outpatient prescription drugs	Delta Dental of Iowa
		N/A
	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".	MCNA N/A

D1IV.15f	Resolved grievances related to skilled nursing facility (SNF) services	Delta Dental of Iowa
		N/A
	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".	MCNA N/A

D1IV.15g	Resolved grievances related to long-term services and supports (LTSS)	Delta Dental of Iowa
		N/A
	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".	MCNA N/A

D1IV.15h	Resolved grievances related to dental services	Delta Dental of Iowa
	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 not cover this type of service, enter "N/A".	634 MCNA 3,844
D1IV.15i	Resolved grievances related to non-emergency medical transportation (NEMT)	Delta Dental of Iowa
	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".	N/A MCNA N/A
D1IV.15j	Resolved grievances related to other service types	Delta Dental of Iowa
	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".	N/A MCNA N/A

Grievances by Reason

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



Find in the Excel Workbook

D1_Plan_Set

Number	Indicator	Response
D1IV.16a	Resolved grievances related to plan or provider customer service	Delta Dental of Iowa 8
	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 Member Services department, provider offices or facilities, plan marketing agents, or any other plan or provider representatives.	MCNA 0
D1IV.16b	Resolved grievances related to plan or provider care management/case management	Delta Dental of Iowa 2
	Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to plan or provider care management/case management. Care management/case management grievances include complaints about the timeliness of an assessment or complaints about the plan or provider care or case management process.	MCNA 0

D1IV.16c	Resolved grievances related to access to care/services from plan or provider	Delta Dental of Iowa
		593
	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 in-network providers, excessive travel or wait times, or other access issues.	MCNA
		3,733
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D1IV.16d	Resolved grievances related to quality of care	Delta Dental of Iowa
		28
	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.	MCNA
		15
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D1IV.16e	Resolved grievances related to plan communications	Delta Dental of Iowa
		1
	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.	MCNA
		1
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D1IV.16f	Resolved grievances related to payment or billing issues	Delta Dental of Iowa
		1
	Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were filed for a reason related to payment or billing issues.	MCNA

D1IV.16g	Resolved grievances related to suspected fraud	Delta Dental of Iowa
	Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to suspected fraud.	0
	Suspected fraud grievances include suspected cases of financial/payment fraud perpetrated 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.	MCNA
		0
D1IV.16h	Resolved grievances related to abuse, neglect or exploitation	Delta Dental of Iowa
	Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were related to abuse, neglect or exploitation.	0
	Abuse/neglect/exploitation grievances include cases involving potential or actual patient harm.	MCNA
		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)	Delta Dental of Iowa
	Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan 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).	0
		MCNA
		0

D1IV.16j	Resolved grievances related to plan denial of expedited appeal	Delta Dental of Iowa
		0
	Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan 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.	MCNA
		0
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D1IV.16k	Resolved grievances filed for other reasons	Delta Dental of Iowa
		1
	Enter the total number of grievances resolved by the plan during the reporting year that were filed for a reason other than the reasons listed above.	MCNA
		75
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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.



Find in the Excel Workbook

D2_Plan_Measures

Quality & performance measure total count: 5



Complete

D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Access to Any Dental Services

1 / 5

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Dental and oral health services

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

Contract Measure

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

Program-specific rate

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

State-specific

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting period: Date range

Yes

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

Number of unique DWP Adult Members 6+ Month Coverage Accessed Care Preventative Exam]/[Unique DWP Adult Members Members 6+ Month Coverage Accessed Care

Measure results

Delta Dental of Iowa

36.71%

MCNA

23.36%



Complete

D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Members Who Received Preventive Dental Care- Adults

2 / 5

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Dental and oral health services

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

Contract Measure

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

Program-specific rate

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

State-specific

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting period: Date range

Yes

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

Denominator: Number of unique DWP child adult members ages 19+, with 6+ month consecutive coverage who received any dental service

Numerator: Number of unique DWP adult members age 19+ with 6+ month consecutive coverage accessing any care and receiving a preventive exam

Measure results**Delta Dental of Iowa**

67%

MCNA

58%



Complete

D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Members Who Received Preventive Dental Care- Kids

3 / 5

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Dental and oral health services

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

Contract Measure

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

Program-specific rate

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

State-specific

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting period: Date range

Yes

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

Number of unique DWP child members ages 0-18, with 6+ month coverage, accessing any care and receiving a preventive exam

Measure results**Delta Dental of Iowa**

52%

MCNA

40%



Complete

D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Continued Preventive Utilization- Adults

4 / 5

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Dental and oral health services

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

Contract Measure

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

Program-specific rate

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

State-specific

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting period: Date range

Yes

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

Unique DWP adult members with 6+ months consecutive coverage accessing an oral eval and 6-12 month prior accessed oral eval within a 12 month of consecutive coverage period.

Measure results

Delta Dental of Iowa

70%

MCNA

51%



Complete

D2.VII.1 Measure Name: Providers Seeing Patients

5 / 5

D2.VII.2 Measure Domain

Dental and oral health services

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

Contract Measure

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

Program-specific rate

D2.VII.6 Measure Set

State-specific

D2.VII.7a Reporting Period and D2.VII.7b Reporting period: Date range

Yes

D2.VII.8 Measure Description

Numerator: credentialed network providers (excluding provider within a teaching facility - identified by location within monthly reporting) who render any dental service to at least 5 distinct DWP Kids patients within the fiscal year. Denominator: all credentialed network providers (excluding provider within a teaching facility - identified by location within monthly reporting)

Measure results**Delta Dental of Iowa**

88%

MCNA

62%

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.



Find in the Excel Workbook

D3_Plan_Sanctions**Sanction total count:****0 - No sanctions entered**

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).	Delta Dental of Iowa 3 MCNA 3
D1X.2	Count of opened program integrity investigations How many program integrity investigations were opened by the plan during the reporting year?	Delta Dental of Iowa 21 MCNA 1
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?	Delta Dental of Iowa 45:1,000 MCNA 0.004:1,000
D1X.4	Count of resolved program integrity investigations How many program integrity investigations were resolved by the plan during the reporting year?	Delta Dental of Iowa 26 MCNA 6
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?	Delta Dental of Iowa 56:1,000 MCNA 0.023:1,000

<p>D1X.6</p>	<p>Referral path for program integrity referrals to the state</p> <p>What is the referral path that the plan uses to make program integrity referrals to the state? Select one.</p>	<p>Delta Dental of Iowa</p> <p>Makes referrals to the State Medicaid Agency (SMA) and MFCU concurrently</p> <p>MCNA</p> <p>Makes referrals to the State Medicaid Agency (SMA) and MFCU concurrently</p>
<p>D1X.7</p>	<p>Count of program integrity referrals to the state</p> <p>Enter the total number of program integrity referrals made during the reporting year.</p>	<p>Delta Dental of Iowa</p> <p>2</p> <p>MCNA</p> <p>0</p>
<p>D1X.8</p>	<p>Ratio of program integrity referral to the state</p> <p>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.1) as the denominator.</p>	<p>Delta Dental of Iowa</p> <p>4:1,000</p> <p>MCNA</p> <p>0:1,000</p>
<p>D1X.9</p>	<p>Plan overpayment reporting to the state</p> <p>Describe the plan's latest annual overpayment recovery report submitted to the state as required under 42 CFR 438.608(d)(3). Include, at minimum, the following information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 42 CFR 438.8(f)(2). 	<p>Delta Dental of Iowa</p> <p>Date of the report: 7/30/2023 Dollar amount recovered: \$7,629.34 Ratio: 7,629.34/82341491 = 0.0093%</p> <p>MCNA</p> <p>Program Integrity/Special Investigations overpayment recovery is reported on the PI3 tab of the PI1-Pi7 report on a monthly basis to Iowa Medicaid, using the provided template. Report Date: 7/21/2023, period reviewed 6/1/2023 - 6/30/2023 (This report is cumulative for the State Fiscal Year) Dollar Amount Recovered: \$9,757.96</p>
<p>D1X.10</p>	<p>Changes in beneficiary circumstances</p> <p>Select the frequency the plan reports changes in beneficiary</p>	<p>Delta Dental of Iowa</p> <p>Daily</p>

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.



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E_BSS_Entities

Number	Indicator	Response
EIX.1	<p>BSS entity type</p> <p>What type of entity was contracted to perform each BSS activity? Check all that apply. Refer to 42 CFR 438.71(b).</p>	<p>MAXIMUS Health Services, Inc.</p> <p>Enrollment Broker</p> <p>Managed Care Ombudsman</p> <p>Ombudsman Program</p>
EIX.2	<p>BSS entity role</p> <p>What are the roles performed by the BSS entity? Check all that apply. Refer to 42 CFR 438.71(b).</p>	<p>MAXIMUS Health Services, Inc.</p> <p>Enrollment Broker/Choice Counseling</p> <p>Other, specify – Information and Choice Counseling, enrollment, disenrollment, RFI, maintain data, escalate member issues.</p> <p>Managed Care Ombudsman</p> <p>Beneficiary Outreach</p> <p>LTSS Complaint Access Point</p> <p>LTSS Grievance/Appeals Education</p> <p>LTSS Grievance/Appeals Assistance</p> <p>Review/Oversight of LTSS Data</p> <p>Other, specify – Beneficiary Outreach; LTSS Complaint Access Point; LTSS Grievance/Appeals Education; LTSS Grievance/Appeals Assistance; Review/Oversight of LTSS Data.</p>