

ATTACHMENT D – QUALITY MEASURES

Category	Measure	Target Level
Use of preventive dental services: Adult	<p>Percentage of enrollees age 21 and older who had at least one preventive dental service during the year.</p> <p><i>Excludes:</i> Enrollees who have been enrolled for less than 9 months of the measurement year</p>	<p>Goal: 12% Current: 6.6%</p> <p>Year 1 Target: 8.4% Year 2 Target: 10.2% Year 3 Target: 12%</p>
Use of preventive dental services: Child (under age 21)	<p>Percentage of enrollees under age 21 who had at least one preventive dental service during the year.</p> <p><i>Excludes:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enrollees who have been enrolled for less than 9 months of the measurement year. • Enrollees under one year of age at the mid-point of the measurement year. 	<p>Goal: 64%¹ Current: 54%</p> <p>Year 1: 57.3% Year 2: 60.6% Year 3: 64%</p>
Sealants for children	<p>Percentage of beneficiaries ages 6-14 who had at least one sealant service on one of the permanent first molars during the measurement year.</p> <p><i>Excludes:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enrollees who have been enrolled for less than 9 months of the measurement year. • Enrollees who have previously had all their applicable teeth sealed, restored, or extracted. 	<p>Goal: 24%² Current: 12%</p> <p>Year 1: 16% Year 2: 20% Year 3: 24%</p>
Dental emergencies	<p>Per capita emergency room visits during the measurement year for dental care</p> <p><i>Excludes:</i> Enrollees who have been enrolled for less than 9 months of the measurement year.</p>	<p>Goal: 5.5 visits/1,000 Current: 6.72 visits/1,000³</p> <p>Year 1: 6.32 visits/1,000 Year 2: 5.92 visits/1,000 Year 3: 5.5 visits/1,000</p>

¹ Identical to highest performance for children with Medicaid coverage. American Dental Association, The Oral Health Care System: A State-by-State Analysis, 2016.

² Identical to highest performance for children ages 6-14 with Medicaid coverage. American Dental Association, The Oral Health Care System: A State-by-State Analysis, 2016.

³ National average in 2013 was 6.72 dental emergency department visits per 1,000 people. T. Wall & M. Vujcic, Research Brief: Emergency Department Visits for Dental Conditions, American Dental Association, February 2016.