



Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinics (CCBHC) Quality Incentive Program

General Information on the CCBHC Quality Incentive Program (QIP)

The CCBHC QIP represents a pay for-performance program for Minnesota's public behavioral health care system. CCBHCs are eligible for a quality incentive payment based on reaching specific numeric thresholds on performance metrics identified by DHS. These quality incentive payments are in addition to payments made under the daily bundled payment rate. Eligible providers receive payment 12 months after the measurement year.

CCBHCs must meet targets and minimum thresholds on 6 measures to qualify for a bonus payment. In order to make thresholds fair and attainable, performance thresholds will be capped at 95%. This means, clinics will be considered to have met performance expectations on a measure at 95%. Please see the [CCBHC Evaluation Manual](#) for more information on measure specifications.

DHS will publish quality measures and numeric thresholds on the [CCBHC website](#), as well as notify each CCBHC of the criteria for receiving an incentive payment in writing, prior to the start of the measurement year. CCBHCs will provide preliminary data mid-year and be notified of their final performance on the QIP measures by the 12th month following the end of each measurement year.

Currently, 6 clinics are still operating under the Section 223 Federal Demonstration and all other clinics are operating under Minnesota's State Plan Amendment (SPA). Clinics who are part of the demonstration operate under a fiscal year measurement year, known as the demonstration year. Clinics who are part of the SPA operate under a calendar year measurement year.

Demonstration Year 4 (DY4) runs from July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021 and Demonstration Year 5 (DY5) runs from July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022. Calendar Year 2021 (CY21) runs from January 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021 and Calendar Year 2022 (CY22) runs from January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022.

Table 1. CCBHC Required Measures

Acronym	Measure
SRA – BH – C	Child and Adolescent Major Depressive Disorder (MDD): Suicide Risk Assessment
SRA – A	Adult Major Depressive Disorder (MDD): Suicide Risk Assessment
SAA – BH	Adherence to Antipsychotics for Individuals with Schizophrenia
FUH – BH – C	Follow Up After Hospitalization for Mental Illness (child/adolescent)
FUH – BH – A	Follow Up After Hospitalization for Mental Illness (adult)
IET – BH	Initiation and Engagement of Alcohol and Other Drug Dependence Treatment

*Measures in light gray are clinic-led measures

DY4 and DY5 Benchmarks

Tables 2 through 7. DY4 and DY5 Benchmarks for Section 223 Demonstration Clinics

Demonstration Year 4 (DY4) July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021

Demonstration Year 5 (DY5) July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022

Benchmarks for DY4 were calculated using the average of DY3 and DY4 preliminary results for HEDIS measures and final DY3 and DY4 data for clinic-led measures. Benchmarks for DY5 were calculated using the average of DY3 and DY4 preliminary results for HEDIS measures and final DY3 and DY4 data for clinic-led measures plus one percentage point. Each benchmark is clinic and measure specific. Performance thresholds will be capped at 95%. Benchmarks for clinics who have not submitted clinic-led data for DY4 are noted with an asterisk in lieu of a numeric threshold. Results will be updated once data has been submitted.

Table 2. Clinic A Benchmarks

Acronym	DY4	DY5
SRA-C	*	*
SRA-A	*	*
SAA	59.98	60.98
FUH-A 7 Day	19.23	20.23
FUH-A 30-Day	52.83	53.83
FUH-C 7-Day	22.45	23.45
FUH-C 30-Day	79.13	80.13
IET 1	47.93	48.93
IET 2	11.48	12.48

*Measures in light gray are clinic-led measures

*Benchmarks will be updated once clinic-led data for DY4 has been received

Table 3. Clinic B Benchmarks

Acronym	DY4	DY5
SRA-C	95.00	95.00
SRA-A	95.00	95.00
SAA	66.75	67.75
FUH-A 7 Day	34.96	35.96
FUH-A 30-Day	69.48	70.48
FUH-C 7-Day	23.53	24.53
FUH-C 30-Day	74.51	75.51
IET 1	51.28	52.28
IET 2	15.03	16.03

Table 4. Clinic C Benchmarks

Acronym	DY4	DY5
SRA-C	9.96	10.96
SRA-A	79.59	80.59
SAA	59.60	60.60
FUH-A 7 Day	19.40	20.40
FUH-A 30-Day	55.40	56.40
FUH-C 7-Day	23.03	24.03
FUH-C 30-Day	77.94	78.94
IET 1	61.45	62.45
IET 2	15.93	16.93

*Measures in light gray are clinic-led measures

Table 5. Clinic D Benchmarks

Acronym	DY4	DY5
SRA-C	46.42	47.42
SRA-A	67.48	68.48
SAA	63.53	64.53
FUH-A 7 Day	16.06	17.06
FUH-A 30-Day	56.38	57.38
FUH-C 7-Day	17.60	18.60
FUH-C 30-Day	72.04	73.04
IET 1	50.91	51.91
IET 2	16.68	17.68

Table 6. Clinic E Benchmarks

Acronym	DY4	DY5
SRA-C	25.14	26.14
SRA-A	45.63	46.63
SAA	65.50	66.50
FUH-A 7 Day	17.68	18.68
FUH-A 30-Day	60.12	61.12
FUH-C 7-Day	13.75	14.75
FUH-C 30-Day	74.99	75.99
IET 1	52.11	53.11
IET 2	15.52	16.52

*Measures in light gray are clinic-led measures

Table 7. Clinic F Benchmarks

Acronym	DY4	DY5
SRA-C	59.73	60.73
SRA-A	73.81	74.81
SAA	72.09	73.09
FUH-A 7 Day	26.40	27.40
FUH-A 30-Day	80.46	81.46
FUH-C 7-Day	15.64	16.64
FUH-C 30-Day	70.00	71.00
IET 1	41.50	42.50
IET 2	8.86	9.86

* Measures in light gray are clinic-led measures