

## ***UNDERSTANDING YOUR QEP SCORE CARD***

### **1 - PRACTICE INFORMATION**

This is basic information about your practice; including your practice name, your Tax ID and/or Group ID number.

**MEASUREMENT PERIOD-** This time frame represents the current incentive bonus payment cycle, which represents the claim dates-of-service used to determine your practice ranking in the program.

**TOTAL MEMBER MONTHS-** Represents every month of eligibility of members attributed to the Practice during the Measurement Period.

**PANEL AVG ENROLLMENT-** Total Member Months divided by the number of months in the Measurement period. Practice Panels must average 200 or more to qualify for this QEP Program.

### **2- TOTAL COST OF CARE**

The calculations in this section leverage the 3M Clinical Risk Grouper (CRG) platform to determine the expected medical and pharmacy cost of the members attributed to your practice. Each member is assigned to a clinical risk group (CRG) based on the presence of disease and their corresponding severity level, as well as additional information that informs their clinical risk. The Expected Medical and Pharmacy cost for each member is the average cost observed for all members within each clinical risk group. *\*See your QEP Program Provider Manual for more detail.*

**EFFICIENT USE OF SERVICES-** Defined as having Actual Medical and Pharmacy cost less than the Expected Medical and Pharmacy cost in the Measurement Period. The Actual vs Expected Cost Factor should be less than 100% to qualify as an Efficient Use of Services.

**PERFORMANCE MEASURES SHARED SAVINGS FUNDING-** A Shared Savings Pool is available to the Practice whose panel population is demonstrating an Efficient Use of Services relative to the overall population.

**MAX POTENTIAL POOLS-** The Payable Savings Percentage is capped at 10%, so the Max Potential Core Pool reflects 10% of the Practices claims expense for the period. The Max Potential Elite Pool is 3 times the Max Potential Core Pool. This represents what the Practice could potentially earn when there is efficient use of services and sufficient performance in the Quality and Utilization measures.

### **3- PERFORMANCE MEASURE COMPONENTS**

The Shared Savings Pool, if any, will be distributed across four performance components. Each of these four components has three target rates or incentive tiers. Practices that achieve the minimum performance target in a component will be assigned the Core tier. Incentive tiers increase as the Premium tier or Elite tier target rates are met.

**HEDIS QUALITY MEASURES-** The Practice's Percentile (PCT) Rank is determined by performance on each measure relative to the QEP peer practices. The overall score is the average PCT Rank across included measures.

Payout Percent of Core Pool by Score		
Quality Tier	Practice Rank	Percent of Core Earned
Improvement	5% Improvement	40.0%
Core	50.0%	40.0%
Premium	55.0%	80.0%
Elite	60.0%	120%

**HOSPITAL UTILIZATION MEASURES-** Comprised of (3) performance components; Incentive payment is based on practice performance compared to AmeriHealth Caritas District of Columbia's overall network average.

Payout percent of Core Pool by Rate Reduction		
TIER	% Reduction of NW Rate	Percent of Core Earned
Improvement	5% Improvement	20%
Core	5%	20%
Premium	10%	40%
Elite	15%	60%

**4 – PERFORMANCE COMPONENT INCENTIVE EARNED**

This is the total amount the Practice earned of their Shared Savings Pool for their Quality and Utilization performance.

**5 – SUPPLEMENT MEASURES**

There are two Supplemental Measures that are funded separately from, and in addition to any Shared Savings Pool, where the Practice is eligible to earn an incentive for the Supplemental Measures regardless of their Performance Component measures above.

**SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH (SDoH)-** A PMPM incentive will be earned when the Practice submits claims with any appropriate ICD-10 codes that identify social determinants of health.

**PULSE SATISFACTION SURVEY-** Practices are eligible for a PMPM incentive under this measure for maintaining a high level of favorable member feedback.

**6- SUPPLEMENTAL MEASURE INCENTIVE EARNED**

This is the total Supplemental Incentive earned.

**7- TOTAL PROGRAM PAYOUT**

Total earned for the Performance Component and any eligible Supplemental Measure Incentives.