

Anchor Update 7/6/18

Good Morning Region 10 Providers,

A few updates for you this week:

Category C Specs Questions

- HHSC will be holding calls during the week of July 23 - 26 to answer measure specification questions. Please see the schedule below for the calls being held for groups of Measure Bundles or provider categories. Measure bundle I1 is not included in a call due the small number of providers who chose that bundle, but providers may submit questions about I1 measures to be answered in writing.
- Providers should submit their questions to their Anchor, and **the Anchor will submit their region's questions to HHSC by COB Monday, July 16.** Providers may submit questions they have already submitted to the waiver mailbox that have not yet been answered.
- Before submitting questions, please review all available resources for answers first, including the Category C Specifications Introduction, the Category C Specifications FAQ, the Cat C Baseline Reporting Companion, etc. HHSC cannot answer questions related to MSLC's Data Support Guide.
- HHSC will follow-up after the calls with answers in writing.
- HHSC will make every effort to answer submitted questions, but we may not be able to answer them all by July 26th prior to early baseline submission.
- HHSC will send out additional information (conference lines, etc.) about the Cat C specs calls to the provider distribution list after the webinar today.

Measure Bundles	Call Date	Call Time
D1, D3, D4, D5	July 23, 2018	2:00 - 2:45 PM
A1, A2	July 23, 2018	3:00 - 4:00 PM
H1, H2, H3, H4, G1	July 24, 2018	10:00 - 10:45 AM
B1, B2, E1, J1	July 24, 2018	11:00 AM - 12:00 PM
LHDs	July 25, 2018	2:00 - 2:45 PM
C1, C2, C3, F1, F2	July 25, 2018	3:00 - 4:00 PM
CMHCs	July 26, 2018	10:00 - 10:45 AM

K1, K2	July 26, 2018	11:00 AM - 12:00 PM
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Recent Updates to the DSRIP Bulletin Board

- Category C Baseline Reporting
 - HHSC has posted the Category C Early Baseline Reporting Template and Companion to the bulletin board, as well as the Modification Request form. All of these documents are also attached to this email. Deadlines for the Modification Request form are included in the Category C Baseline Reporting Companion.
- Waiver Renewal
 - Additional MSLC Category C Data Support FAQ questions were posted this week, as well as an updated risk-adjusting template. Both can be found under the "MSLC Guidance for DY7 and DY8" section.
 - HHSC updated the Category C Goal Calculator to make minor changes that were impacting how some measures were displaying in the template. The updated calculator can be found under the "Category C Measure Specifications & FAQ" section.

A reminder that HHSC will have a Category C Baseline Reporting webinar **TODAY, July 9th at 10:00AM**. Details for the webinar are posted on the bulletin board under Category C Baseline Reporting.