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Directed Payment Programs Quality Update

CHIRP, TIPPS, DPP BHS, RAPPS

Delivery System Quality & Innovation

Texas Medicaid DPPs SFY 2023



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CHIRP

Comprehensive
Hospital Increased
Reimbursement
Program

\$5.2 Billion

406 Hospitals

2nd Year

STAR
STAR+PLUS

QIPP

Quality Incentive
Payment Program

\$1.1 Billion

951 Nursing
Facilities

6th Year

STAR+PLUS

TIPPS

Texas Incentive for
Physicians and
Professional
Services

\$738 Million

61 Physician
Groups

2nd Year

STAR
STAR+PLUS
STAR Kids

DPP BHS

Directed Payment
Program for
Behavioral Health
Services

\$253 Million

40 Behavioral
Health Centers

2nd Year

STAR
STAR+PLUS
STAR Kids

RAPPS

Rural Access to
Primary and
Preventive Services

\$31 Million

160 Rural
Health Clinics

2nd Year

STAR
STAR+PLUS
STAR Kids

Quality Reporting & Evaluation Measurement Periods

	Complete
	In Process
	Planning Phase

Program Year	Eval Plan Due to CMS	Performance Measures Prelim Data	Structure Measures Implemented by	Performance Measures Final Data	EQRO Evaluation Data	Prelim Eval Due to CMS	Final Eval Due to CMS
SFY 22	Feb 21	Jan – Jun 21	Aug 31, 21	Jan – Dec 21	Jan – Dec 21	Feb 22	Feb 23
SFY 23	Feb 22	Jan – Jun 22	Aug 31, 22	Jan – Dec 22	Jan – Dec 22	Feb 23	Feb 24
SFY 24	Feb 23	Jan – Jun 23	Aug 31, 23	Jan – Dec 23	Jan – Dec 23	Feb 24	Feb 25
SFY 25	Feb 24	Jan – Jun 24	Aug 31, 24	Jan – Dec 24	Jan – Dec 24	Feb 25	Feb 26

Included in Prelim Eval



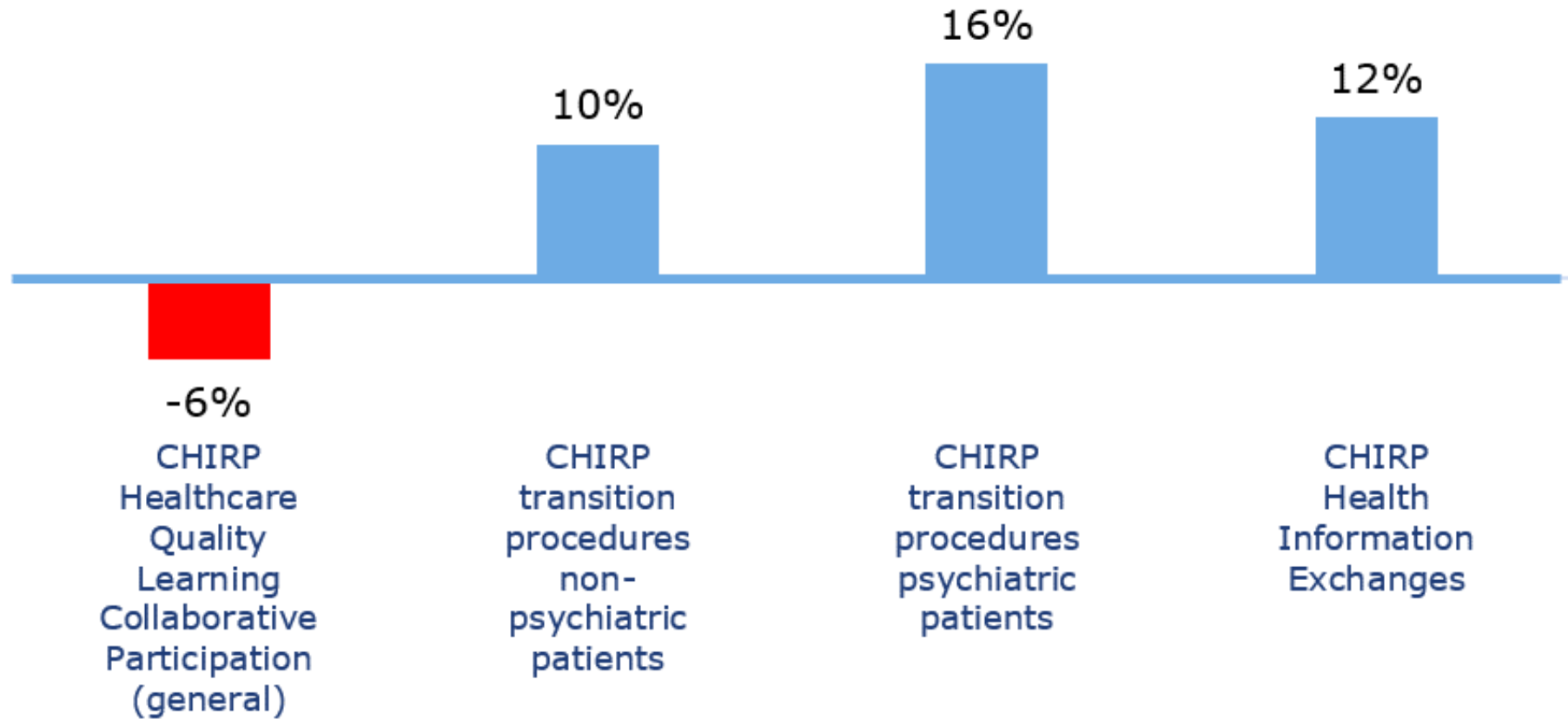
Included in Final Eval



Changes in the adoption of structure measures by hospitals SFY22 - 23

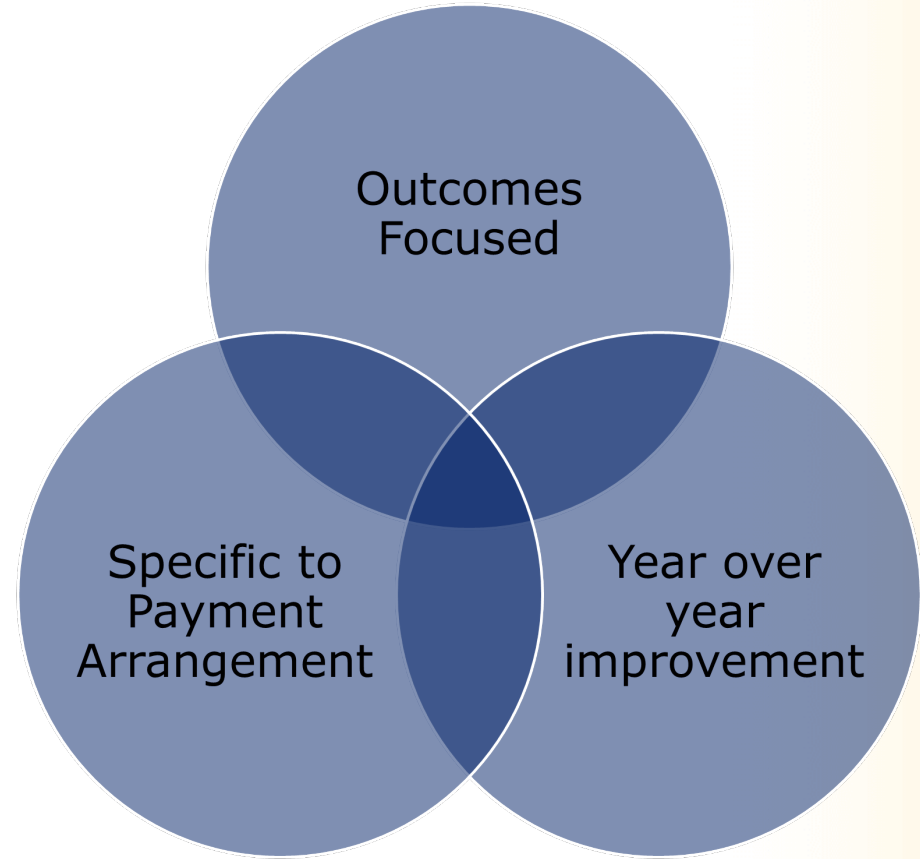


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Program Changes: CMS Quality Requirements

- HHSC submits an application (preprint) to CMS for approval of a directed payment program.
- The application shows how the program aligns with the Medicaid Managed Care Quality Strategy AND CMS quality priorities.



Source: Section 438.6(c) Preprint January 2021

Program Changes: Framework for Assessing Measure Value



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Program

Focus on quality improvements that benefit populations served by Texas Medicaid



Member

Demonstrate a connection to improvement in health outcomes or experience of care



Provider

Alignment with provider priorities and capabilities



The Public

Accuracy and transparency of reported data



Program Changes in SFY2024



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Stakeholder Workgroups

- HHSC worked with stakeholders starting in November 2022 to review progress, prioritize focus areas, and explore potential changes.
- Workgroups included providers and MCOs.

Program changes

- ✓ Reducing the number of measures reported by providers
- ✓ Increasing the number of measures tracked by the External Quality Review Organization
- ✓ Health Information Exchange and non-medical drivers of health across (NMDOH) reporting across all programs

DPPs and the Quality Strategy SFY2024



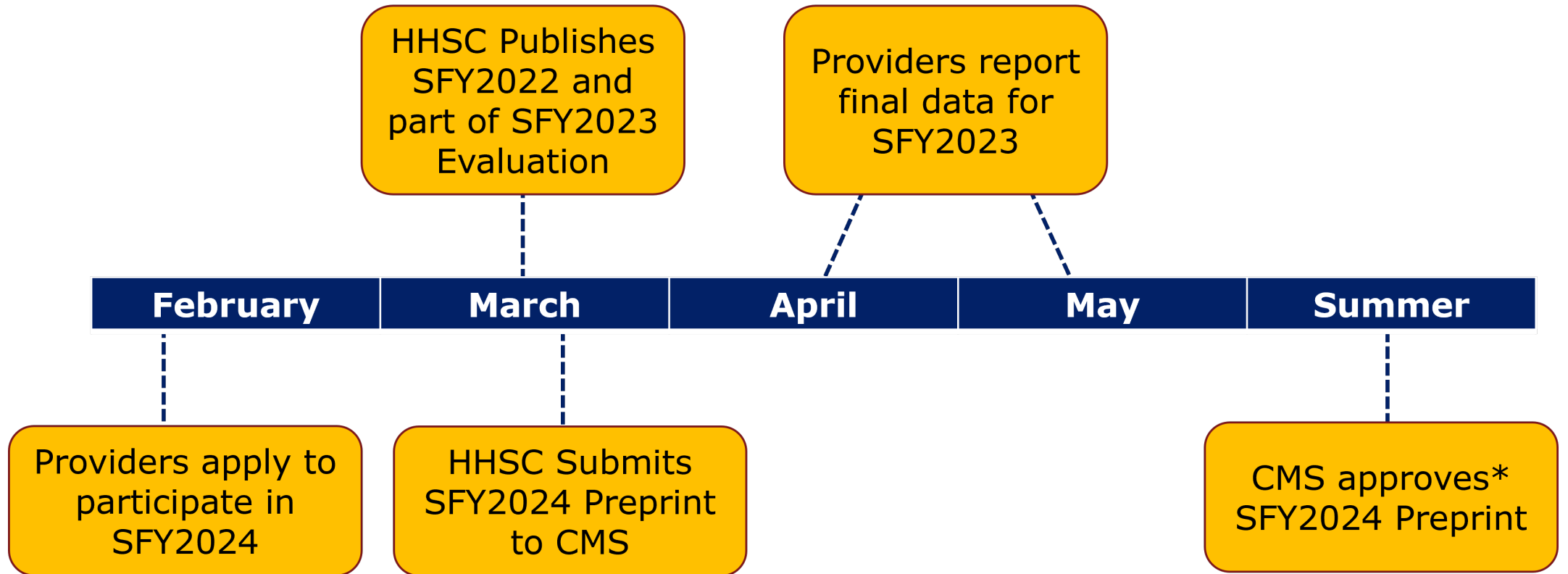
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Quality Strategy Goal	CHIRP	QIPP	TIPPS	DPP BHS	RAPPS
Promoting optimal health for Texans	✓		✓	✓	✓
Providing the right care in the right place at the right time	✓		✓	✓	✓
Keeping patients free from harm	✓	✓			
Promoting effective practices for people with chronic, complex, and serious conditions	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Attracting and retaining high-performing Medicaid providers to participate in team based, collaborative, and coordinated care	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Next Steps for DPPs



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**Target approval date,
subject to change*



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Questions about DPPs?

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