



MEDICARE-MEDICAID COORDINATION OFFICE

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TO: Medicare-Medicaid Plans in Michigan
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SUBJECT: Michigan Quality Withhold Measure Technical Notes for Demonstration Years 2 through 10

The purpose of this memorandum is to announce the release of updated Demonstration Years (DY) 2 through 10 state-specific quality withhold technical notes for MI Health Link, the Michigan capitated model demonstration under the Medicare-Medicaid Financial Alignment Initiative. The document provides additional details and benchmarks for the state-specific quality withhold measures that Michigan Medicare-Medicaid Plans (MMPs) are responsible for under the demonstration. These state-specific measures directly supplement the [Medicare-Medicaid Capitated Financial Alignment Model CMS Core Quality Withhold Technical Notes for DY 2 through 12](#).

CMS and the state revised the Michigan Quality Withhold Measure Technical Notes to retire measure MIW10 – Antidepressant Medication Management – Effective Acute Phase Treatment for DY 10. We are retiring this measure because the measure steward (NCQA) has retired the measure for measurement year 2025.

Please contact the Medicare-Medicaid Coordination Office at mmcocapsmodel@cms.hhs.gov if you have any questions.