

**PMAC Cost, Utilization, and Experience Subcommittee Meeting #1**  
**June 28, 2019**  
**Meeting Summary**

**Meeting Attendees**

Name	Title	Organization
Sharron Burton	Deputy Executive Director, Office of Legal Services	Kentucky Personnel Cabinet
Stephanie Clouser	Data Scientist	Kentuckiana Health Collaborative
Randa Deaton	Corporate Director	UAW/Ford Community Healthcare Initiative
DeAnna Hall	Manager Corporate Health and Wellness	LG&E-KU
Wendy Ferrell-Smith	Value-Based Performance Director	St. Elizabeth Physicians
Kayla Rose	Project Manager	Kentucky Health Information Exchange

**Meeting Items**

Introductions

Each attendee introduced themselves to the group.

PMAC Portal Review

Stephanie Clouser introduced the PMAC Portal designed for committee members on the KHC website. In addition to the meeting resources and summaries that were already on there, this year, the PMAC Packet with measure information has been included in a clickable tab format on the portal itself. This should make finding resources easier and members always have the most up-to-date information.

Link to PMAC Portal: [www.KHCollaborative.org/pmacportal](http://www.KHCollaborative.org/pmacportal)

Password: kchms

Rubric Review

Stephanie went through the rubric and how to use it, as a refresher.

Current Measures Review

Subcommittee members used the rubric to discuss the chronic and acute measures currently up for review on the 2018 KY Core Healthcare Measures Set:

- Plan All-Cause Readmissions
- Use of Imaging Studies for Low Back Pain

The committee approved together filled out the rubric for both of the measures above, agreeing that they both are still appropriate for the KY Core Healthcare Measures Set. The scores were as follows:

- Plan All-Cause Readmissions: 13 Total Points
  1. Supports Clinical Guidelines: 2 Points
  2. Valid, Reliable, and Sufficient Volume: 2 Points
  3. Data Readily Available: 2 Points
  4. MIPS/Medicaid Alignment: 1 Point
  5. Cost Impact: 2 Points
  6. Health Impact: 2 Points
  7. Performance Gap: 1 Point
  8. Provider Ability to Impact: 1 Point
- Use of Imaging Studies for Low Back Pain: 11 Total Points
  1. Supports Clinical Guidelines: 1 Point
  2. Valid, Reliable, and Sufficient Volume: 2 Points
  3. Data Readily Available: 2 Points
  4. MIPS/Medicaid Alignment: 0 Points
  5. Cost Impact: 2 Points
  6. Health Impact: 1 Point
  7. Performance Gap: 2 Points
  8. Provider Ability to Impact: 1 Point

### Potential Measures Review

The group discussed measures to be considered for addition to the 2019 KCHMS. This included:

- Non-recommended Cervical Cancer Screening in Adolescent Females
  - The group felt mixed about this measure, but agreed to include it in evaluations for meeting #2
- CG-CAHPS
  - The group agreed to include this measure in evaluations for meeting #2
- Total Per Capita Costs
  - This measure is part of MIPS cost calculation
- Proportion of patients with a chronic condition that have a potentially avoidable complication during a calendar year (NQF #0709)
  - The group agreed to include this measure in evaluations for meeting #2
- Admits Per Thousand
  - The group will not review this, as it's not a standard quality measure
- ED Utilization
  - The group will not review this, as it's not a standard quality measure

### Next Steps

The next and final meeting will be on July 12. In the meantime, Stephanie will send a worksheet of the measures up for discussion for committee members to assess and score. The results will be used at the July 9 meeting.