

MiPCT Dashboard: Release Notes

Release 19.00

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This document lists the updates included in Release 19.00 of the MiPCT Dashboard.

Data Updates

This release includes the following data updates:

- Six months of data was added for this release (Previous releases contained three months of additional data)
- Paid claims data through September 2016
- Eligibility data through June 2016
- Patients from the June 2016 attribution lists
- Updated measurement period of July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016
- A tenth trend point on the Trends page (July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016)
- Improvement to methodology for identifying members with chronic ADHD.
- Identified and corrected an inconsistency in the construction of Inpatient Admissions (that started with Release 18)

This inconsistency stemmed from a change to the inclusion criteria for Inpatient Admissions that caused very few Emergency Department claims to be identified as being part of an Admission. It did not change the Inpatient Admission rates appreciably, but did decrease ED Utilization rates since more ED claims were being excluded from being part of an Admission. With this release, you will now see a more consistent and even trending of ED Utilization across time.

Known Issues

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- Asthma ED Visits (Adult & Children) exhibited a significant and unexpected drop in rates. Our analysis
 determined the cause was a coding change implemented by BCN. MDC is working with leadership to
 determine the impact.
- **Exporting to Excel from Quality tables** When you export to Excel from the Quality tables, some rows are duplicated and the grand totals are missing. MDC has reported the problem to our Dashboard vendor, but we do not have a timeline for this issue to be resolved. MDC will track this issue internally and include it in a future release notes document if a solution from our vendor is provided.

Resolved Issues

The following known issue was addressed in this release:

• **Medicaid Drug Data** –CHEAR resolved the data extraction issue and all historical data from June 2015 forward was received by MDC and incorporated into measures that require it.

Documentation

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The documentation for the Dashboard can be found on the MDC Website's Support page.