

Outcomes reporting 2012

Pilot reporting of outcomes for Observation period 2 (January 1, 2012 –December 31, 2012) is slightly different because of changes in pilot populations. At the start of the pilot, it was agreed that if plans change the pilot population, data would still be collected for the remainder of the pilot on the populations that were eligible initially. Therefore when calculating outcomes for the second observation period it will be the role of the health plans to distinguish between the initial pilot population and the attributed contracted populations.

Aetna and Premera currently use a template to provide data to Milliman for outcomes results. These templates have been updated to include one table for attributed patients in the pilot and a second table to follow initial pilot populations. CHPW, Molina, GHC, Regence and CIGNA use Milliman for data calculations. These plans must inform the pilot and Milliman of any change in pilot populations in order for Milliman to correctly collect data.

Definition:

Attributed patients – These are patients that are attributed to the practice for the observation period. Data collected on attributed patients counts towards performance results that affect pilot payments.

Initial population – These are populations initially allowed to enter the pilot. The data collected on these patients are for evaluation purposes. The populations represent groups of patients that may be part of an administrative services only plan, or insurance product line, or all members that are under a different payment arrangement with the pilot clinic. The populations are not limited to the distinct patients that started the pilot but rather the populations initially allowed to enter the pilot.

Data reporting process for Outcomes reports due 7/1/2013:

Process starts 5/1/2013

Aetna and Premera use **Aetna and Premera outcome submission template v 1-17-13.**

Aetna uses tab marked “Obs 2 Aetna”

Premera uses tab marked “Obs 2 Premera”

Molina has no change in process of data submission to Milliman.

Use all previously specified data measures and timelines for the pilot