

## The 2026 Pay for Performance Program

The YouthCare Pay for Performance (P4P) Program rewards contracted partners in care for delivering quality preventive services such as children's and adolescent's immunizations, and well-child visits.

**For 2026, there are three P4P incentive target levels** for YouthCare Primary Care providers to reward incremental advancement.

### Updates for 2026

- There are more Child and Adolescent Well-Care Visits (WCV) incentive categories to better represent childhood development
- Many healthcare services can be completed via telehealth. See measures noted with a star ★

Please contact your YouthCare Quality Practice Advisor, Associate Quality Practice Advisor, your Provider Relations Representative at [ILProviderRelations@mhplan.com](mailto:ILProviderRelations@mhplan.com), or Provider Services at 844-289-2264 with questions.

**The quickest way to access updated program information is via the YouthCare [secure provider portal](#).** After logging in, view updated **performance data**, **target percentile status**, and **payments earned year to date**.

Primary Care Provider (PCP) Incentives*							
Measure Abbreviation	Measure Name	Target 1 (50th Percentile)	Payment 1	Target 2 (75th Percentile)	Payment 2	Target 3 (90th Percentile)	Payment 3
★ADD – Initiation	Follow-up care for Children Prescribed ADHD Medication – Initiation Phase	47%	\$5	51%	\$10	58%	\$20
★ADD – Continuation & Maintenance	Follow-up care for Children Prescribed ADHD Medication – Continuation & Maintenance Phase	56%	\$10	61%	\$20	66%	\$40
CIS – Combo 10	Childhood Immunization Status – Combination 10	24%	\$15	29%	\$30	35%	\$60
CIS – Flu	Childhood Immunization Status – Influenza	36%	\$5	42%	\$10	50%	\$20
IMA – HPV	Immunizations for Adolescents – (2-3 HPV dose series)	36%	\$10	42%	\$20	49%	\$40
★WCC – BMI	Weight Assessment and Counseling for Nutrition and Physical Activity for	85%	\$5	90%	\$10	92%	\$20

	Children/Adolescents – BMI Percentile						
★WCC – Nutrition	Weight Assessment and Counseling for Nutrition and Physical Activity for Children/Adolescents – Nutrition Counseling	74%	\$5	82%	\$10	86%	\$20
★WCC – Physical Activity	Weight Assessment and Counseling for Nutrition and Physical Activity for Children/Adolescents – Physical Activity	70%	\$5	79%	\$10	84%	\$20
WCV	Child and Adolescent Well-Care Visits – Ages 3 - 11	62%	\$5	68%	\$10	84%	\$20
WCV	Child and Adolescent Well-Care Visits – Ages 12 - 17	55%	\$5	62%	\$10	67%	\$20
WCV	Child and Adolescent Well-Care Visits – Ages 18 - 21	33%	\$5	38%	\$10	47%	\$20
<b>Rendering Provider Incentives**</b> <b>Provider may be PCP, Behavioral Health, or another qualified provider</b>							
★IET – Engagement	Engagement of substance use: Treatment — 2 services within 34 days of initiating treatment	\$100 per compliant visits, no target to meet					
★FUH – 7	Follow-up after hospitalization for mental illness—7-day total	\$50 per compliant visit, no target to meet					

Incentives are paid after completion of all qualifying services in compliance with HEDIS® 2026 guidelines. A complete list of covered codes is in the [HEDIS Quick Reference Guide](#) on the YouthCare [website](#).

★Indicates a measure can be completed via a telehealth visit

\*Incentives are paid to the Primary Care Provider at the provider TIN level. Payments will be made for Q1/Q2 2026, Q3 2026, and final 2026 performance throughout 2026 and 2027.

\*\* Incentives are paid to the provider who rendered the service(s) at the provider TIN level. Claims must be submitted by 12/31/2026. Payment will be made in Q1 2027.

YouthCare maintains the right to modify or discontinue the P4P program and will notify providers of changes or program alterations.