

**MEASURE SUMMARY
CHIPRA Core Set Candidate Measures**

A. **Control #:** PHP-9

B. **Measure Name:** WCV in the first 15 months of life

C. **Measure Definition**

a. **Numerator:** Children in the denominator sample who received 0,1,2,3,4,5,6 or more well child-care visits with a primary care provider.

b. **Denominator:** Children who turned 15 months during the measurement year

D. **Measure Type:** Process Outcome Structure Efficiency

E. **Measure collected using:** EMR CPOE Other HIT N/A NR

VALIDITY

F. **Evidence of measure validity submitted?** Yes No

G. **Level of evidence supporting the measure (if submitted):** (see Oxford University CEBM Levels of Evidence)

Oxford CEBM = 2 (Cohort studies; Un-published data – please do not cite or quote – cohort study using data from Hawaii’s largest insurer found that for children with chronic illness, risk of an ambulatory care sensitive hospitalization (ACSH) was 1.9 times higher for children attending $\leq 25\%$ of the AAP recommended visits in the first 2 years of life and 1.5 times higher for children attending 50% or fewer of the recommended visits; In a second population (Group Health in WA State) for healthy children risk of ACSH increased 1.9 times with $\leq 25\%$ visit adherence and 3.4 times for children with chronic illness attending $\leq 25\%$ of recommended visits.

H. **USPSTF Grade** if applicable:

FEASIBILITY

I. **Measure Specifications Submitted?** Yes No Yes, but insufficient detail provided

J. **Data Source:**

Admin MR Survey Other (specify): NR

K. **Evidence of measure reliability submitted?** Yes No

L. **List of entity types currently using measure:**

IMPORTANCE

M. **Addresses area of care mandated in legislation?**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes (specify): prevention, health promotion	<input type="checkbox"/> No
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N. **Documented variation in performance (by race/ethnicity, language spoken, insurance type, etc)?**

Yes No NR

2007: 65.11% of children had 6 or more visits in the first 15 mos of life. 10th percentile, 65.11%, 90th percentile 78.94%. the next largest group was 5 visits. Only 5.68% had 0 visits.

O. **Measure used/data are collected in racial/ethnic populations other than non-Hispanic white?**

Yes No NR