

STAR, STAR Kids, STAR+PLUS: Medicaid Managed Care ATLIS for Client Health Outcomes Program Final Data Reporting Tools - SFY2025

Background:

Managed care organizations (MCOs) submitted their lists of in-network hospitals using the "Aligning Technology by Linking Interoperable Systems (ATLIS) Data Reporting Tool" on Oct. 15, 2024. According to the initially published timeline for ATLIS, HHSC expected to validate and update the lists of in-network hospitals and send those lists back to MCOs by Nov. 15, 2024, along with the number of encounters by each of the participating hospitals.

However, HHSC determined additional review was needed to validate each MCO's list of in-network participating hospitals. HHSC has obtained input from hospitals to verify network statuses as of Oct. 1, 2024, and confirmed the network statuses with MCOs.

Key Details:

Attached to this notice, HHSC is including the final blank ATLIS Data Reporting Tool, which contains the final network statuses for State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2025. Each MCO must select their name on the In Network Hospital Survey Tool tab in cell C1 to auto-fill their network statuses and encounters. The network statuses are locked and MCOs cannot modify them for the SFY 2025 program period.

Please note that the "Year 1 Achievement Milestone Achievement: Potential MCO incentive pool by Service Delivery Area, Hospital, and Medicaid Managed Care program percentages" in the "Milestones" tab of the Data Reporting Tool workbook were also updated. The ATLIS percentages included in the Data Reporting Tool attached to this notice replace the percentages previously provided in the "Milestones" tab of the [Uniform Managed Care Manual, Chapter 6.2.17](#). As a result, some MCOs will be eligible to earn funding related to certain hospital class data collection in SDAs that were not previously eligible for funding; please check these updates carefully to ensure the MCO reports for all eligible SDAs.

The deadline for MCOs to submit the first Qualitative Assessment has been extended to Feb. 3, 2025. MCOs must use the ATLIS Data Reporting Tool attached to this notice to complete the submission to HHSC.

MCOs are encouraged to contact HHSC with any questions about this update at pfd_hospitals@hhsc.state.tx.us

Action:

Attached to this notice is the "UMCM 6.2.17 ATLIS Program Data Reporting Tool – 1.10.25". This file contains the locked network statuses and encounters for the ATLIS SFY 2025 program year.

MCOs must select their name in cell C1 of the In Network Hospital Survey Tool tab of the workbook to populate the network statuses and encounters. MCOs must complete and submit this file to HHSC **by Feb. 3, 2025**. Please submit the Data Reporting Tool to

MCOHub in the MCO/PHI/DELIV folder, attach the Data Reporting Tool via email, and send it to MCCO MCCO@hhs.texas.gov, Provider Finance pfd_hospitals@hhsc.state.tx.us, and Quality Data Analytics and Reporting HPCS_UMCC_Provisions@hhsc.state.tx.us.

Resource:

UMCM 6.2.17 ATLIS Program Data Reporting Tool -1.10.2025 (attached)

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