

PCMH ENHANCED REIMBURSEMENT SUMMARY

The department will provide enhanced reimbursement to primary care practices that qualify for PCMH status to help offset the costs of becoming, maintaining and operating as a PCMH for HUSKY Health Plan recipients. The enhanced reimbursements are:

- PCMH Participation Fee Differential Payments
- Per Member Per Month (PMPM) Performance Payments

PCMH Participation Fee Differential Payments in accordance with the practice type (Independent Practice or Hospital Clinic) will be applied to the current Medicaid fee schedule and will be limited to primary care services. Glide Path practices will receive a portion of the PCMH Participation Fee Differential Payment. If the practice continues along the Glide Path and achieves full qualification as a PCMH, it will receive a full PCMH participation fee differential payment. Payments will cease if the practice no longer meets the Department's requirements for continued Glide Path participation. Click here to view a list of the [primary care codes](#) and here for the [PCMH Participation Fee Differential Payments](#) available.

The Department intends to base **Per Member Per Month (PMPM) Performance Payments** on the aggregate performance of fully qualified PCMH Practices. Glide Path Practices will not qualify for Performance Payments. PMPM Performance Payments are calculated by measuring actual performance against the adult and pediatric measures and are based on recipients attributed or assigned to the practice during the performance period. Recipients' assignments for the purpose of performance payments may differ somewhat from the assignments established in the monthly roster.

Both the Incentive and Improvement Payments for qualified PCMH Practices are awarded based on the annualized number of continuously enrolled Medicaid members attributed to a practice for the measurement year. To help you with monitoring your patient panel, a list of members and the names of their primary care practitioners are provided to you via a monthly Patient Panel Report. It is important that you maintain your physician roster to ensure practitioners are added and removed timely as this is crucial when attributing members to your practitioners. The Patient Panel Report is only one of many provider portal reports available to help you with the management of HUSKY patients attributed to your practice. All portal reports are located on the HUSKY Health secure provider portal. Primary care practices must sign up for secure portal access to view these reports. To download the instructions on how to set up a provider portal account and request report access [click here](#).

There are two types of PMPM performance payments: (1) an Incentive Payment (for PCMH qualified practices for a full calendar year; and (2) an Improvement Payment beginning the second year a practice operates as a fully qualified PCMH, and annually thereafter. The methodology for calculating the performance payments is available on the HUSKY Health website by selecting [PCMH Performance-Based Payment Program](#).