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Dear PRIME Entities:

The benchmarks for the QIP PY 3.5 PRIME Transition Metrics remain unchanged from DY 15 with the exceptions of 1.3.3 – Influenza Immunization and 2.1.6 – Postpartum Care. Those two benchmark sets are addressed in the attached document. Please refer to the PRIME DY 15 Benchmarks v.4 posted on PRIMEone for all other QIP PRIME Transition Metrics.

Also, as a reminder to entities reporting on 2.1.6 – You will need to report the Postpartum Care metric data using two methods for DY15 Mid-Year reporting. This will establish your PY 3.5 baseline and allow DHCS to develop 2.1.6 benchmarks for PY 3.5.

Instructions:

- In the numerator and denominator fields, use the HEDIS 2019 spec in the “PRIME DY15 Reporting Manual” to report and determine an achievement value (AV) in DY15. The AV will be automated in the platform.
- In the narrative field for data capture methodology, use the HEDIS 2020 spec in the “QIP PY3.5 PRIME Transition Metrics Reporting Manual Project 2.1” to report on this metric.

Please reach out to your PRIME liaison for any questions or concerns.

Thank you,

**The PRIME Team**

