

Follow-Up After Hospitalization for Mental Illness (FUH)

Mobile Crisis Response providers

Follow-Up After Hospitalization for Mental Illness (FUH) is a Healthcare Effectiveness Data and Information Set (HEDIS®) measure that focuses on successful engagement in aftercare and ongoing treatment for individuals hospitalized due to a mental illness or mental health disorder. Research shows there is a significant risk for re-hospitalization within the first seven days post-discharge. Meridian recognizes that as our partner you play a significant role in helping our members achieve favorable post-discharge and long-term health outcomes.

This HEDIS® measure evaluates the percentage of members six years and older who were hospitalized for treatment of selected mental health disorders and who had an outpatient visit with a mental health provider. Two measurements are tracked and reported:



- Percentage of discharges for which the member received follow-up within **seven days** of discharge



- Percentage of discharges for which the member received follow-up within **30 days** of discharge

As a Meridian-contracted Mobile Crisis Response (MCR) provider, you play a critical role in this process, which includes the following activities:

- Collaborating with the admitting hospital to initiate discharge planning efforts and identify potential barriers to successful follow-up as soon as possible
- Scheduling the seven-day and 30-day follow-up appointments with the patient and family prior to discharge and communicating the importance of follow-up care
- Identifying if transportation is needed for follow-up appointments and, if necessary, help schedule transportation or request assistance from Meridian
- Ensuring that discharge planning is comprehensive (refer to the Meridian Transition of Care form as a guide if necessary), including:
 - Scheduled follow-up appointment within seven days
 - Member has access to medications post-discharge and all prior authorizations are completed
 - Primary care provider has been notified of discharge plan and medications
 - Crisis Safety Plan is completed and the patient/family has a physical copy
 - Discharge plan has been reviewed with patient/family and a hard copy provided

If you experience any challenges during this process, please contact the Meridian Behavioral Health Care Coordination team as soon as possible at **866-606-3700**.



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For one completed qualifying follow-up visit within:



- Seven days of discharge, providers are eligible to receive a **\$50 incentive payment**



- Thirty days of discharge, providers are eligible to receive a **\$25 incentive payment**

Each incentive payment pays once per member, per year for in-network providers. For more information about provider HEDIS® measures and incentive payments, please contact **866-606-3700**.

| Code Information for FUH | |
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| ICD-10 Qualifying Codes | F03.90, F03.91, F20.0-F20.3, F20.5, F20.81, F20.89, F20.9, F21-F24, F25.0-F25.1, F25.8-F25.9, F28-F34, F39-F45, F48, F50-F53, F59-F60, F63-F66, F68-F69, F80-F82, F84, F88-F91, F93-F95, F98-F99 |
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| Place of Service | 03, 05, 07, 09, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 20, 22, 24, 33, 49, 50, 52, 53, 71, 72 |