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Statewide Medicaid Managed Care (SMMC) Policy Transmittal

Policy Transmittal: 18-15

Applicable to:
- Comprehensive Long-term Care (LTC) Plan
- Managed Medical Assistance Health Maintenance Organization
- Managed Medical Assistance Provider Service Network
- Managed Medical Assistance Specialty Plan
- Children’s Medical Services (CMS) Plan

Applicable to enrollees in:
- Managed Medical Assistance (MMA)
- Long-term Care (LTC)

Re: Annual PIP Submission

The Statewide Medicaid Managed Care Contract requires the managed care plan to submit ongoing Performance Improvement Projects (PIP) annually by August 1 to the Agency for review and approval. (Attachment II, Section VII.C.3.a.1) The managed care plan is also required to submit the Agency-approved PIP validation form to the External Quality Review Organization (EQRO) upon its request for validation. (Attachment II, Section VII.C.3.c.2) The purpose of this policy transmittal is to inform managed care plans that the annual PIP submission is not required to be submitted to the Agency by August 1, 2018. The managed care plan will also not be required to submit the PIP to the EQRO for the remainder of this contract term.

If you have any questions, please contact your Agency contract manager at (850) 412-4004.

Sincerely,

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1 The citation for the CMS Plan is Attachment I, Section VII.C.3.a.
2 The citation for the CMS Plan is Attachment I, Section VII.C.3.c.