

Emergency Care Project Summaries

#	Provider	Project Option	Sub-category	Cat 3 Measure	Description	QPI - Individuals or encounters	QPI Metric Description	QPI Target DY3	QPI Target DY4	QPI Target DY5	CUMULATIVE DY5 QPI	Total Incentive Payment DY2-5 Cat 1 or 2
1	Memorial Hermann Northwest Hospital	1.13.1	Behavioral Health	• IT 9.2 Reduce Emergency Department(ED)visits for Ambulatory Care Sensitive Conditions(ACSC) per 100,000	• Develop a crisis stabilization clinic that would provide rapid access to initial psychiatric treatment and outpatient services. • Identify consumers with behavioral health needs that can be addressed and avoid unnecessary use of emergency departments, hospitalization or incarceration.	Individual	Utilization of appropriate crisis alternatives	not specified	3100	5400	8500	\$16,559,854.00
2	City of Houston Department of Health and Human Services	1.7.7	ER Diversion	• IT 9.2.a Emergency Department(ED) visits per 100,000	• Implement remote patient monitoring programs for diagnosis and/or management of care for EMS services: Emergency Tele Health and Navigation (ETHAN) • Use telecommunications technologies and connectivity to triage patients with non-life threatening, mild or moderate illnesses via telemedicine with an emergency physician at the City of Houston EMS base station.	Individual	Improved access to health care services for residents of communities that did not have such services locally before the program.	3600	3780	3960	11340	\$10,411,456.63
3	The University of Texas Health Science Center - Houston	1.6.2	ER Diversion	• IT 1.34 Appropriate Testing for Children With Pharyngitis	• Implement UT Health Nurse-line Medical Triage Call Center • Expand access to medical advice and guidance to the appropriate level of care in order to reduce emergency department use for non-emergent conditions • Increase patient access to health care by implementing a nurse-line medical triage call center that will be staffed 24/7/365.	Encounters	Utilization of nurse advice line	10,000	50000	70000	130000	\$17,944,670.60
4	Harris Health System	2.8.6	ER Triage	• IT 9.8 Care Transition: Records with specified Elements received by discharged patients(Emergency Department discharged to ambulatory care[Home/Self Care] or Home Health Care) • IT 9.10.a Median Time from ED Arrival to ED Departure for Discharged ED Patients • IT 9.6 Emergency Department(ED) visits where patients left without being seen	• Improve emergency center throughput and reduce inappropriate use of emergency centers in the system through the implementation of a provider-in-triage model.	Individual	Number or percent of all clinical cases that meet target/goal	not specified	2000	3000	5000	\$10,042,122.00
5	Memorial Medical Center	2.4.3	ER Triage	• IT 9.10c Median time from ED arrival to time of departure from the ER for patients admitted to the facility from the ED • IT 6.1.iii HCAHPS Responsiveness of Hospital Staff • IT 6.1.a.x HCAHPS likelihood to Recommend	• Increased patient satisfaction - Due to the healthcare provider shortage, patients needing admission through the Emergency Department often experience delay in care.	Individual	Reduce wait times from the Emergency Department to Inpatient admissions by ten minutes for 600 admissions Reduce wait times from the Emergency Department to Inpatient admissions by twenty minutes for 600 admissions in DY5 for total patient impact of 1200 by end of DY5.	not specified	600	600	1200	\$1,334,452.00
6	Rice Medical Center	1.6.1	Urgent Care Clinic	• IT 9.10 ED through measure bundle	• Establish a new urgent care clinic in Colorado county. This new clinic will be an outpatient clinic and will be physically located in Rice's hospital facility. Non-emergent patients who present at Rice's Emergency Department will be directed to this new urgent care clinic.	Encounters	Documentation of increased number of unique patients served by innovative program.	not specified	1000	1400	2400	\$2,132,194.00
Total Incentive Payment Amount for											\$57,090,297.23	

Emergency Care Project Sub-categories	Total Projects in the Sub-category	Total Subcategory Incentive Payment Amount
Behavioral Health	1	\$ 16,559,854
ER Diversion	2	\$ 28,356,127
ER Triage	2	\$ 10,042,122
Urgent Care Clinic	1	\$ 2,132,194
TOTAL	6	\$57,090,297

QPI Grouping Type	Total QPI Target per HHSC: DY3	Total QPI Target per HHSC: DY4	Total QPI Target per HHSC: DY5	Cumulative total for QPI measures
Encounters	10000	51000	71400	132400
Individual	3600	9480	12960	26040
Grand Total	13600	60480	84360	158440

