



Virginia Department of Corrections CQI Public Meeting June 17, 2025, at 11:00 A.M.


In Person Meeting

Location: 6900 Atmore Drive
Richmond, VA 23225

Agenda:

- I. Call to order – Paul Targonski, MD
- II. Roll Call of Committee Members– Paul Targonski, MD
- III. Instructions/housekeeping for in-person meeting- Distarti Whitehead
- IV. Old Business/Recap of Last Meeting - Dr. Herrick
- V. New Business
 - a. Health Services Unit- ACA Healthcare Outcome Measure Review 3rd and 4th Quarter 2024- Distarti Whitehead
- VI. Public Comment-2 minutes each up to 5 members of the public
- VII. Actions for next quarter-Dr. Herrick/Dr. Targonski
- VIII. Adjournment – Dr. Targonski, MD



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HSU CQI Meeting 3rd & 4th Quarters 2024 Date: June 17, 2025

Distarti Whitehead RN, MSN/Ed
HSU Quality Improvement Specialist

Health Care Outcomes

The below facilities passed the ACA audit during the 2nd quarter

- Indian Creek Correctional Center- May 2024
- St. Brides Correctional Center-May 2024

Health Care Outcomes

The below facilities passed the ACA audit during the 3rd quarter

- Keen Mountain Correctional Center- July 2024
- Coffeewood Correctional Center Sept. 2024
- Cold Springs Correctional Unit- Sept. 2024
- Cold Springs CCAP- Sept. 2024
- Appalachian CCAP- Sept. 2024

Standard 1A

- Number of inmates diagnosed with MRSA
- Number of inmates diagnosed with active tuberculosis
- Number of inmates who are new converters on a TB test that indicates newly acquired TB infection
- Number of inmates who completed treatment for latent tuberculosis infection
- Number of inmates diagnosed with Hepatitis C viral infection (at any given time)
- Number of inmates diagnosed with HIV infection (at any given time)

Standard 1A

- Number of inmates with HIV infection who are being treated with HAART (at any given time)
- Number of selected inmates with HIV infection who have been on antiretroviral therapy for at least six months with a viral load of less than 50 cps/ml (at any given time)
- Number of inmates with an active individualized services/treatment plan for a diagnosed mental disorder(excluding sole diagnosis of substance abuse) (at any given time)

Standard 1A

- Number of inmate admissions to off-site hospitals
- Number of inmates transported off-site for treatment of emergency health conditions
- Number of inmate specialty consults completed
- Number of selected hypertensive inmates with a B/P reading >140mm hg/>90 mm hg (at any given time)
- Number of selected diabetic inmates who are under treatment for at least six months with a hemoglobin A1C level measuring greater than 9 percent (at any given time)
- The number of completed dental treatment plans

Standard 2A

- Number of health care staff with lapsed licensure or certification
- Number of new health care staff that completed orientation training prior to undertaking their job
- Number of occupational exposures to blood or other potentially infectious material
- Number of direct care staff with a conversion of a TB test that indicates newly acquired TB infection

Standard 3A

- Number of inmate grievances related to health care services found in favor of the offender
- Number of inmate grievances related to safety or sanitation
- Number of adjudicated inmate lawsuits related to the delivery of health care found in favor of the inmate

Standard 4A

- Number of problem identified by quality assurance program that were corrected
- Number of high-risk events or adverse outcomes identified by the quality assurance program
- Number of inmate suicide attempts
- Number of suicides
- Number of unexpected natural deaths
- Number of serious medication errors

Standard 4C

- Number of suicide attempts
- Number of resident suicides
- Number of resident grievances regarding access to health care
- Number of resident health care access complaints that are found to have merit
- Number of court suits filed against the facility challenging access to health care
- Number of health care access court cases decided against the facility

Cold Spring CCAP

Appalachian CCAP

Standard 1A

- Number of illnesses requiring medical attention as a result of the physical environment of the facility
- Number of physical injuries or emotional trauma requiring treatment as a result of the physical environment of the facility

Standard 1C

- Number of injuries requiring medical attention that result from emergencies that were not caused by forces external to the facility

Standard 4A

- Number of documented resident illnesses attributed to food services operations

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Appalachian CCAP

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