

Texas Managed Care Program Features, as of 2017 (1 of 3)

Features	STAR Health	STAR	STAR Kids
Program type	Comprehensive MCO	Comprehensive MCO	Comprehensive MCO + MLTSS
Statewide or region-specific?	Statewide	Statewide	Statewide
Federal operating authority	1915(a)	1115(a) (Medicaid demonstration waivers)	1115(a) (Medicaid demonstration waivers), 1945 Health Homes
Program start date	04/01/2008	12/11/2011	11/01/2016
Waiver expiration date (if applicable)		09/30/2022	09/30/2022
If the program ended in 2017, indicate the end date			
Populations enrolled: Low-income adults <u>not covered</u> under ACA Section VIII (excludes pregnant women and people with disabilities)		Mandatory	
Populations enrolled: Low-income adults <u>covered</u> under ACA Section VIII (excludes pregnant women and people with disabilities)			
Populations enrolled: Aged, Blind or Disabled Children or Adults		Mandatory	Mandatory
Populations enrolled: Non-Disabled Children (excludes children in foster care or receiving adoption assistance)		Mandatory	
Populations enrolled: Individuals receiving Limited Benefits (excludes partial duals)			
Populations enrolled: Full Duals	Voluntary		Mandatory
Populations enrolled: Partial Duals			
Populations enrolled: Children with Special Health Care Needs			
Populations enrolled: Native American/Alaskan Natives	Exempt	Mandatory	Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Foster Care and Adoption Assistance Children	Mandatory	Mandatory	Mandatory

Features	STAR Health	STAR	STAR Kids
Populations enrolled: Enrollment choice period	Other	15 days	15 days
Populations enrolled: Enrollment broker name (if applicable)	Maximus	Maximus	Maximus
Populations enrolled: Notes on enrollment choice period	Members are auto-enrolled by the enrollment broker.		
Benefits covered: Inpatient hospital physical health	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Inpatient hospital behavioral health (MH and/or SUD)	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Outpatient hospital physical health	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Outpatient hospital behavioral health (MH and/or SUD)	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Partial hospitalization	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Physician	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Nurse practitioner	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Rural health clinics and FQHCs	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Clinic services	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Lab and x-ray	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Prescription drugs and prosthetic devices	X	X	X
Benefits covered: EPSDT	X	X	X
Benefits covered: Case management	X	X	X
Benefits covered: SSA Section 1945-authorized health home			X
Benefits covered: Health home care (services in home)			X
Benefits covered: Family planning	X	X	
Benefits covered: Dental services (medical/surgical)	X		X

Features	STAR Health	STAR	STAR Kids
Benefits covered: Dental (preventative or corrective)	X		X
Benefits covered: Personal care (state plan option)	X		X
Benefits covered: HCBS waiver services			X
Benefits covered: Private duty nursing	X	X	X
Benefits covered: ICF-IDD			X
Benefits covered: Nursing facility services			X
Benefits covered: Hospice care	X		X
Benefits covered: Non-Emergency Medical Transportation	X		X
Benefits covered: Institution for Mental Disease inpatient treatment for people ages 21-64 defined by 42 CFR §438.6(e) as an 'in lieu of benefit			
Benefits covered: Other (e.g., nurse midwife services, freestanding birth centers, podiatry, etc.)	Diagnostic Services, Podiatrist Services, Medical Supplies, Non-Prescription Drugs, Eye Glasses, Preventive Services, Nurse Midwife Services, and Pediatric or Family Nurse Practitioner Services	Diagnostic Services, Podiatrist Services, Medical Supplies, Non-Prescription Drugs, Eye Glasses, Preventive Services, Nurse Midwife Services, and Pediatric or Family Nurse Practitioner Services	Diagnostic Services, Podiatrist Services, Medical Supplies, Non-Prescription Drugs, Eye Glasses, Preventive Services, Nurse Midwife Services, and Pediatric or Family Nurse Practitioner Services
Quality assurance and improvement: HEDIS data required?	Yes	Yes	Yes
Quality assurance and improvement: CAHPS data required?	Yes	Yes	Yes
Quality assurance and improvement: Accreditation required?	No, but accreditation considered in plan selection criteria	No, but accreditation considered in plan selection criteria	No, but accreditation considered in plan selection criteria
Quality assurance and improvement: Accrediting organization	NCQA, URAC	NCQA, URAC	NCQA, URAC
Quality assurance and improvement: EQRO contractor name (if applicable)	Institute for Child Health Policy	Institute for Child Health Policy	Institute for Child Health Policy

Features	STAR Health	STAR	STAR Kids
Performance incentives: Payment bonuses/differentials to reward plans	X		
Performance incentives: Preferential auto-enrollment to reward plans			
Performance incentives: Public reports comparing plan performance on key metrics		X	X
Performance incentives: Withholds tied to performance metrics			
Performance incentives: MCOs/PHPs required or encouraged to pay providers for value/quality outcomes	X	X	X
Participating plans: Plans in Program	Superior Health Plan	Aetna; BlueCross BlueShield; Christus; Community First Health Plan; Amerigroup Texas, Inc.; Superior Health Plan; El Paso First; United Healthcare Community Plan; Texas Children's Health Plan; Molina Healthcare of Texas; Driscoll Children's Health Plan; Parkland Community Health Plan; Cook Children's Health Plan; Community Health Choice; Seton Health Plan; Sendero; FirstCare; Scott & White Health Plan	Amerigroup; Superior HealthPlan; Aetna; Community First Health Plans; United Healthcare - Texas; Texas Children's Health Plan; Driscoll Children's Health Plan; Cook Children's Health Plan; BlueCross BlueShield; Children's Medical Center

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Notes: Program notes	<p>Enrollment in the STAR Health Program is voluntary for the following population categories: 1) Children and young adults in DFPS conservatorship; 2) Emancipated minors or members age 18-22 who voluntarily agree to continue in foster placement; 3) Young adults age 18-21 who have exited care and are participating in the Medicaid for Transitional Foster Care Youth (MTFCY) or Former Foster Care Children (FFCC) program; 4) Young adults age 21 through the month of their 23rd birthday who are not eligible for the Former Foster Care Children program, but are enrolled in an institute of higher education Adoption Assistance Children are not enrolled in this program.</p>	<p>STAR population also includes pregnant women. Dental benefits covered by the STAR program are administered by Dental Maintenance Organizations.</p>	<p>1115 and 1915 (c) waivers are applied to this program.</p>

Texas Managed Care Program Features, as of 2017 (2 of 3)

Features	STAR+PLUS	Children's Medicaid Dental Services	Texas Medicaid Wellness Program
Program type	Comprehensive MCO + MLTSS	Dental only (PAHP)	Primary Care Case Management (PCCM)
Statewide or region-specific?	Statewide	Statewide	Statewide
Federal operating authority	1115(a) (Medicaid demonstration waivers)	1115(a) (Medicaid demonstration waivers)	1915(b)
Program start date	12/11/2011	12/12/2011	03/01/2011
Waiver expiration date (if applicable)	09/30/2022	09/30/2022	
If the program ended in 2017, indicate the end date			
Populations enrolled: Low-income adults <u>not covered</u> under ACA Section VIII (excludes pregnant women and people with disabilities)			Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Low-income adults <u>covered</u> under ACA Section VIII (excludes pregnant women and people with disabilities)			
Populations enrolled: Aged, Blind or Disabled Children or Adults	Voluntary	Mandatory	Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Non-Disabled Children (excludes children in foster care or receiving adoption assistance)		Mandatory	Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Individuals receiving Limited Benefits (excludes partial duals)			
Populations enrolled: Full Duals	Mandatory		Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Partial Duals			
Populations enrolled: Children with Special Health Care Needs			
Populations enrolled: Native American/Alaskan Natives	Voluntary	Voluntary	Exempt
Populations enrolled: Foster Care and Adoption Assistance Children		Exempt	

Features	STAR+PLUS	Children's Medicaid Dental Services	Texas Medicaid Wellness Program
Populations enrolled: Enrollment choice period	15 days	15 days	N/A
Populations enrolled: Enrollment broker name (if applicable)	Maximus	Maximus	
Populations enrolled: Notes on enrollment choice period			
Benefits covered: Inpatient hospital physical health	X		
Benefits covered: Inpatient hospital behavioral health (MH and/or SUD)	X		
Benefits covered: Outpatient hospital physical health	X		
Benefits covered: Outpatient hospital behavioral health (MH and/or SUD)	X		
Benefits covered: Partial hospitalization			
Benefits covered: Physician	X		
Benefits covered: Nurse practitioner	X		
Benefits covered: Rural health clinics and FQHCs	X		
Benefits covered: Clinic services	X		
Benefits covered: Lab and x-ray	X		
Benefits covered: Prescription drugs and prosthetic devices	X		
Benefits covered: EPSDT		X	
Benefits covered: Case management	X		X
Benefits covered: SSA Section 1945-authorized health home			
Benefits covered: Health home care (services in home)			
Benefits covered: Family planning	X		
Benefits covered: Dental services (medical/surgical)	X		

Features	STAR+PLUS	Children's Medicaid Dental Services	Texas Medicaid Wellness Program
Benefits covered: Dental (preventative or corrective)		X	
Benefits covered: Personal care (state plan option)	X		
Benefits covered: HCBS waiver services	X		
Benefits covered: Private duty nursing			
Benefits covered: ICF-IDD			
Benefits covered: Nursing facility services	X		
Benefits covered: Hospice care	X		
Benefits covered: Non-Emergency Medical Transportation	X		
Benefits covered: Institution for Mental Disease inpatient treatment for people ages 21-64 defined by 42 CFR §438.6(e) as an 'in lieu of benefit			
Benefits covered: Other (e.g., nurse midwife services, freestanding birth centers, podiatry, etc.)	Diagnostic Services, Podiatrist Services, Medical Supplies, Non-Prescription Drugs, Eye Glasses, Preventive Services, Nurse Midwife Services, and Pediatric or Family Nurse Practitioner Services		
Quality assurance and improvement: HEDIS data required?	Yes	Yes	Yes
Quality assurance and improvement: CAHPS data required?	Yes	Yes	Yes
Quality assurance and improvement: Accreditation required?	No, but accreditation considered in plan selection criteria	No, but accreditation considered in plan selection criteria	Yes
Quality assurance and improvement: Accrediting organization	NCQA, URAC	NCQA, URAC	NCQA, URAC
Quality assurance and improvement: EQRO contractor name (if applicable)	Institute for Child Health Policy	Institute for Child Health Policy	

Features	STAR+PLUS	Children's Medicaid Dental Services	Texas Medicaid Wellness Program
Performance incentives: Payment bonuses/differentials to reward plans	X	X	
Performance incentives: Preferential auto-enrollment to reward plans			
Performance incentives: Public reports comparing plan performance on key metrics	X		
Performance incentives: Withholds tied to performance metrics	X		
Performance incentives: MCOs/PHPs required or encouraged to pay providers for value/quality outcomes	X	X	
Participating plans: Plans in Program	Amerigroup; Cigna - HealthSpring; Molina Healthcare of Texas; Superior Health Plan; United Healthcare - Texas	MCNA Dental; DentaQuest	Multiple Primary Care Providers
Notes: Program notes			There is no enrollment period since the program is voluntary. A member can elect to enroll in the Wellness Program at any time as long as they are eligible for the program.

Texas Managed Care Program Features, as of 2017 (3 of 3)

Features	PACE	Medical Transportation Program
Program type	Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE)	Non-Emergency Medical Transportation
Statewide or region-specific?	Statewide	Statewide
Federal operating authority	PACE	1915(b)
Program start date	06/01/2001	09/01/2014
Waiver expiration date (if applicable)		03/31/2022
If the program ended in 2017, indicate the end date		
Populations enrolled: Low-income adults <u>not covered</u> under ACA Section VIII (excludes pregnant women and people with disabilities)		Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Low-income adults <u>covered</u> under ACA Section VIII (excludes pregnant women and people with disabilities)		
Populations enrolled: Aged, Blind or Disabled Children or Adults	Voluntary	Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Non-Disabled Children (excludes children in foster care or receiving adoption assistance)		Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Individuals receiving Limited Benefits (excludes partial duals)		Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Full Duals	Voluntary	Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Partial Duals	Voluntary	Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Children with Special Health Care Needs		Voluntary
Populations enrolled: Native American/Alaskan Natives	Voluntary	Exempt
Populations enrolled: Foster Care and Adoption Assistance Children	Exempt	

Features	PACE	Medical Transportation Program
Populations enrolled: Enrollment choice period	N/A	Pre-assigned
Populations enrolled: Enrollment broker name (if applicable)		
Populations enrolled: Notes on enrollment choice period		
Benefits covered: Inpatient hospital physical health	X	
Benefits covered: Inpatient hospital behavioral health (MH and/or SUD)	X	
Benefits covered: Outpatient hospital physical health	X	
Benefits covered: Outpatient hospital behavioral health (MH and/or SUD)	X	
Benefits covered: Partial hospitalization	X	
Benefits covered: Physician	X	
Benefits covered: Nurse practitioner	X	
Benefits covered: Rural health clinics and FQHCs	X	
Benefits covered: Clinic services	X	
Benefits covered: Lab and x-ray	X	
Benefits covered: Prescription drugs and prosthetic devices	X	
Benefits covered: EPSDT		
Benefits covered: Case management	X	
Benefits covered: SSA Section 1945-authorized health home		
Benefits covered: Health home care (services in home)	X	
Benefits covered: Family planning		
Benefits covered: Dental services (medical/surgical)	X	

Features	PACE	Medical Transportation Program
Benefits covered: Dental (preventative or corrective)	X	
Benefits covered: Personal care (state plan option)	X	
Benefits covered: HCBS waiver services	X	
Benefits covered: Private duty nursing	X	
Benefits covered: ICF-IDD		
Benefits covered: Nursing facility services	X	
Benefits covered: Hospice care	X	
Benefits covered: Non-Emergency Medical Transportation	X	X
Benefits covered: Institution for Mental Disease inpatient treatment for people ages 21-64 defined by 42 CFR §438.6(e) as an 'in lieu of benefit		
Benefits covered: Other (e.g., nurse midwife services, freestanding birth centers, podiatry, etc.)	<p>Adult day care/adult foster care, Nursing, Restorative Therapies: Physical, Occupational, and Recreational Therapies, Meals and Nutrition Counseling, Social work/social services, Medical supplies/adaptive aids and minor home modifications, Transportation to and from medical appointments, Medical specialists, such as audiology, dentistry, optometry, podiatry, speech therapy, respite care, Medical care provided by a PACE physician familiar with the history, needs, and preferences of each participant, Restorative Therapies: Physical, occupational and recreational therapies, Meals and nutritional counseling, Social work/social services.</p>	

Features	PACE	Medical Transportation Program
Quality assurance and improvement: HEDIS data required?	No	No
Quality assurance and improvement: CAHPS data required?	No	No
Quality assurance and improvement: Accreditation required?	No	No
Quality assurance and improvement: Accrediting organization		
Quality assurance and improvement: EQRO contractor name (if applicable)		
Performance incentives: Payment bonuses/differentials to reward plans		
Performance incentives: Preferential auto-enrollment to reward plans		
Performance incentives: Public reports comparing plan performance on key metrics		
Performance incentives: Withholds tied to performance metrics		
Performance incentives: MCOs/PHPs required or encouraged to pay providers for value/quality outcomes		
Participating plans: Plans in Program	Bienvivir Senior Health Services (El Paso); Silver Star Health Network (Lubbock); The Basics at Jan Werner (Amarillo)	Logisticare; Medical Transportation Management; American Medical Response; Project Armistad
Notes: Program notes		Based on the client's county of residence, the client is assigned to the single broker in the region.