ARIES Users Group Training Webinar

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Care Branch

Office of AIDS (OA) Quality Management Measures

- Management memo for HIV/AIDS providers
 - o 5 medical indicators and 3 non-clinical indicators
- Webinars between the Office of AIDS and medical providers



HIV Care Program (HCP)

- Provides funding for programs that offer medical and support services for people diagnosed with HIV/AIDS
- Quality Management program required by HRSA
 - Monitor and analyze data provided by contractor
 - **Assess findings**
 - **▼**Use data to improve outcomes

HCP

Office of AIDS is implementing a comprehensive QM plan

 Each Medical Provider should have Quality Management plan

Today, Measure 1

HIV/AIDS Bureau (HAB) Indicator 1: Medical Visits

PERCENTAGE OF CLIENTS WITH HIV INFECTION WHO HAD TWO OR MORE MEDICAL VISITS IN AN HIV CARE SETTING IN THE MEASUREMENT YEAR

Measure 1: Why it's Needed

- Schedule routine medical visits for HIV-infected patients who are clinically stable.
- Measure signals an aspect of care that directly influences morbidity and mortality
- Improved experience for primary providers*
- Measure is practical and evidenced-based

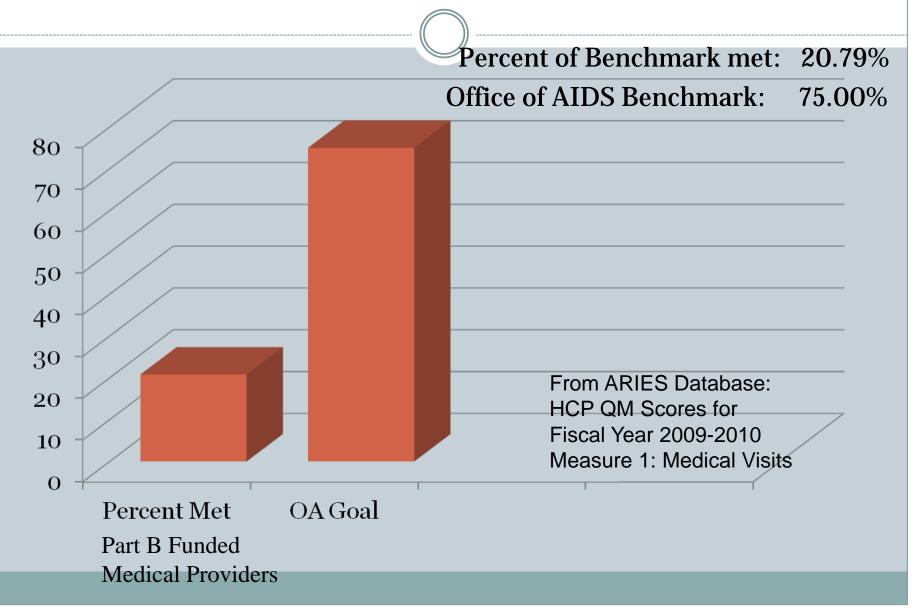
Reference--http://hab.hrsa.gov/special/habmeasures.htm

*Kitahata, M., Van Rompaey, S., et al. Primary care delivery is associated with greater physician experience and improved survival among persons with AIDS. *Gen Intern Med.* Feb 2003;18(2):157-8.

HAB Measure 1: Why it's Needed

- Better health outcomes for patients
 - **x** Better survival rate
 - *Decreased emergency room visits/hospitalizations
 - **Cost effective**
 - **Increased patient compliance to therapy**

HAB Measure 1: Where we stand

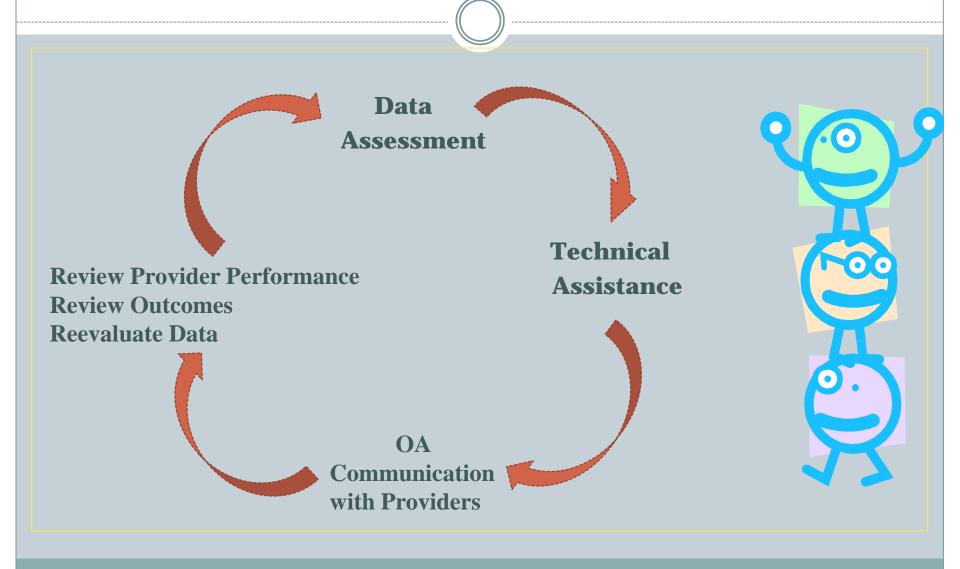


HAB Measure 1 Reports

- OA will continue to monitor data collection
- Check your own statistics
 75% benchmark
- PDSA Cycle-PLAN, DO, STUDY, ACT



PDSA Cycle



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- <u>http://habhrsa.gov/special/habmeasures.htm</u>
- National Quality Center-
- http://www.nationalqualitycenter.org/index.cfm
- HIVQUAL-
- http://hab.hrsa.gov/deliverhivaidscare/hivqual.html