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YEAR 3 TI AHCCCS ONLINE APPLICATION PORTAL

The Year 3 AHCCCS Online TI 2.0 Application Portal will open in 2026. All participating organizations are required to complete an application through the AHCCCS Online TI 2.0 Application Portal for each program year to be considered for participation and payment. When the Portal is open and ready to accept Year 3 applications, AHCCCS will notify participants via email. At that time, participants will be provided an application timeframe to apply including selection of their Year 3 participating clinics, uploading of Year 3 Milestone documentation, and submission of Year 3 attestations. These activities will be required to be conducted within the timeframe provided in the notification.

To ensure a smooth experience when the Portal opens, participants should log into the TI Portal at least once every 30 days using their AHCCCS Online Username and Password to keep their account active and ensure continued access.

YEAR 3 APPLICATION DOCUMENT STANDARDS AND PREPARATION

- TI 2.0 applicants must upload their organization's policies and procedures that govern the required processes with the application.
- Uploaded documents must be final policies as required in the Milestone; each uploaded document must include a label as appropriate (e.g., Policy; Procedure; Protocol).
- Uploaded documents must contain/address all elements specified in the Milestone and Document Validation documents.
- Applicants are strongly encouraged to circle or highlight the areas that address each Milestone element prior to uploading the document.
- Each uploaded document must include the provider organization's name and/or Logo in the header.
- Applicants should highlight or clearly annotate the exact portions of each uploaded document that meet the specific Milestone requirements. This helps reviewers quickly locate the required elements and ensures a smoother audit process.
- Each uploaded document must be a PDF, less than 10MB.
- AHCCCS will not accept documents that contain the following:
 - PHI—no examples are requested
 - Tracked Changes or comments—must be final policies, protocols, and procedures as a PDF
 - Photographs of documents—must be scanned, legible, PDF

These documents will be rejected from the system and will not count as credit for that requirement

Targeted Investments 2.0 participants must keep all information related to the TI 2.0 program for a period of seven years after the program ends due to the potential for post-pay audit.

Clinic Selection

- Identify all of the participating clinics in advance.

- Prepare clinic address information including suite numbers if applicable, and any other relevant identifiers to ensure accuracy and completeness.
- Validate that all sites participating have the consistent information across as the NPI registry, APEP portal, licensure information (if applicable).
- Ensure all clinics participating are matched to the correct provider type(s) for the Area of Concentration (BH, PCP, Justice). Review the Eligible Provider Type on the [TI Program website](#).
- Organizations cannot add a new area of concentration in Year 3. If you are adding a new clinic, review the provider type and make sure it aligns with an Area of Concentration that your TIN is already participating in.

Authorized Users and Delegates

- Before the Year 3 Application Portal launches, identify your TI organization's (TINs) primary contacts. Once the portal is live, only one **Authorized User** and four **Delegates** will serve as official contacts. These Individuals will be responsible for receiving Payment Information on behalf of the organization (TIN), in addition to responding to AHCCCS inquiries or audits if applicable. Previous contact types (e.g., Billing/Credentialing, Project Manager, General Contacts) will be discontinued. Organizations will be able to update contact information in the Portal at any time.

Note: Signed TI Participant User Acceptance Agreement Forms will no longer be uploaded to the portal.

YEAR 3 APPLICATION OFFICE HOURS

AHCCCS-Led Office Hours are general meetings hosted by the Targeted Investments Program (TI 2.0) to address concerns, questions and comments regarding TI 2.0. For meeting information including meeting materials, contact the TI Team at the following email: targetedinvestments@azahcccs.gov.

AHCCCS anticipates scheduling at least two Office Hours dedicated to the Year 3 Application process. TI 2.0 Providers will be notified and sent registration links of the scheduled office hours via email, newsletter, and the AHCCCS web page.

SAVE THE DATE: APRIL AHCCCS-LED OFFICE HOURS

Date Time (AZ Time)	Registration Link
Friday, April 10, 2026 11 AM	Register
Monday, April 20, 2026 12 PM	Register

YEAR 4 PERFORMANCE MEASURES - NEW CODES & TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS UPDATES

ASU TIPQIC is upgrading from the HEDIS® MY 2023 technical specifications to the HEDIS® MY 2025 technical specifications for calculating TI 2.0 Year 4 performance measures. ASU TIPQIC will retrospectively calculate performance for all measures in accordance with the updated specifications and will use codes T1016, H0023, and 87626 as numerator-qualifying criteria for the respective measures noted in the table below. ASU TIPQIC will provide updated performance measure results in the April/May 2026 TIPQIC dashboard update (<https://tipqic.org/dashboard.html>).

Please direct any data-related questions to tipqic@asu.edu and include targetedinvestments@azahcccs.gov.

Code	Definition	Performance Measure(s)	AOC(s)
T1016	Case management > 8 minutes	FUH	Peds BH, Adult BH
		FUM	Adult BH, Justice
		FUA	Justice
H0023	BH outreach < 8 minutes	FUH	Peds BH, Adult BH
		FUM	Adult BH, Justice
		FUA	Justice
87626	Self-administered cervical cancer swab	CCS	Adult PCP

Refer to the ASU TIPQIC Performance Measure resources here: <https://tipqic.org/measures.html>

Refer to the AHCCCS TI Program website for Year 4 Milestone and Performance Measure resources: <https://www.azahcccs.gov/PlansProviders/TargetedInvestments/TI2.0/Milestones.html>

YEAR 4 – QUALITY IMPROVEMENT COLLABORATIVES (QICs) MEETINGS

Required Year 4 Quality Improvement Collaborative (QIC) meetings have now concluded. Moving forward, participation in QIC sessions will be optional for all TI 2.0 Participating Organizations. Since Year 4 QIC requirements have been completed, organizations are no longer required to attend these sessions for Year 4 Milestone attainment.

Optional April QIC Dates/Times

- **Peds PCP Session #4:** 4/7/26 from 12:00 to 1:00 PM - [Register here](#)
- **Peds BH AOC Session #4:** 4/9/26 from 12:00 to 1:00 PM - [Register here](#)
- **Justice AOC Session #4:** 4/15/26 from 12:00 to 1:00 PM - [Register here](#)
- **Adult PCP AOC Session #4:** 4/21/26 from 12:00 to 1:00 PM - [Register here](#)
- **Adult BH AOC Session #4:** 4/23/26 from 12:00 to 1:00 PM - [Register here](#)

For meeting information including meeting materials, contact the ASU Team at the following email: TIPQIC@asu.edu.

YEAR 4 MILESTONES AND PERFORMANCE MEASURES

Participating TI 2.0 organizations should review the updated resources available on the [Milestones Webpage](#) to ensure compliance and successful milestone completion.

These resources include:

- [Year 4 Milestones Requirements](#) – This document outlines key Year 4 Performance Measures and Milestones deliverables. Please ensure that you are referencing the document dated 09/25/2025.
- [Performance Measure Targets](#) – This document outlines specific quality improvement goals that participating organizations must meet during Year 4. Performance measure targets are available for each area of concentration.

For questions about Performance Measures or to schedule an appointment, please submit a request through ASU TIPQIC [Support Tickets](#) system.

NCQA HEALTH OUTCOMES ACCREDITATION

The AHCCCS TI 2.0 Program announces that 15 Organizations are pursuing NCQA Health Outcomes Accreditation (formerly NCQA Health Equity Accreditation) and have scheduled surveys.

Please note that the February NCQA-Led Office Hours meeting will be on **March 25, 2026 at 12pm AZ Time**.

For questions or support, contact the NCQA team at targetedinvestments@ncqa.org.

AREA OF CONCENTRATION CHANGES NO LONGER PERMITTED

In Year 1 and Year 2 of the Targeted Investments Program (TI 2.0), participating organizations (by TIN) were allowed to add additional Areas of Concentration (AOCs) during the annual application/attestation process. As the program progresses into Year 4 and Year 5, Organizations are **no longer permitted to add new AOCs**. The AOCs submitted in each Organization's Year 2 application will remain fixed for the remainder of the program. For questions, contact the TI team at targetedinvestments@azahcccs.gov.

REPORT ORGANIZATION CHANGES

Ensure your Organization's information is current by notifying the Targeted Investments Program (TI 2.0) Team. Organizations are encouraged to report changes to Authorized user(s) and Delegate staff, Organization (TIN) ownership changes, clinic closures, area of concentration changes, or program withdrawal updates. Submit a support ticket to the Team to report these organizational updates. Keeping this information up-to-date is **crucial** for ensuring that important program details such as payment information are communicated to the appropriate individuals.

[Submit A Ticket](#)

ASU TIPQIC DATA HARMONIZATION

The ASU TIPQIC team offers an AHCCCS member list reconciliation consultation process called Data Harmonization which can help boost performance measure outcomes. During this process, the ASU TIPQIC team will examine AHCCCS members or member events eligible for each Performance Measure and compare it to a member list generated by the participating TI Organization. Organizations will receive a summary report that includes member-level details for each measure explored. Results will help to:

- Explore and explain differences in denominators and performance to identify reporting gaps,
- Ensure consistent view of improved trends,
- Identify process errors, and
- Identify additional members each practice is held accountable for.

Learn more about Data Harmonization by visiting the [ASU TIPQIC Performance Improvement](#) webpage.

ASU TIPQIC DASHBOARDS

The ASU TIPQIC team has created three Tableau dashboards to help Organizations achieve their TI milestones. There are two PDF guides with step-by-step instructions on [accessing the dashboards](#) and [interpreting your data effectively](#) to help Organizations get started. If Organizations have any questions about their dashboards or need assistance accessing them, please email TIPQIC@asu.edu.

[View Dashboards](#)

CONTACT US

Stay connected with the TI Team by attending [Office Hour sessions](#), submit a [Support Ticket](#), or contact the AHCCCS TI team at targetedinvestments@azahcccs.gov.

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