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# 1. HIV Viral Load Suppression (HVL-AD) Core Measure Screenshots

## 1.1 Are you reporting on this measure?

The screenshot shows a web interface for the 'HIV Viral Load Suppression (HVL-AD)' measure. At the top, there is a navigation bar with 'News', 'Tasks (10)', 'Records', 'Reports', and 'Actions' (highlighted). A user profile icon for 'Appian' is in the top right. Below the navigation, the measure title 'HIV Viral Load Suppression (HVL-AD)' is displayed, along with the identifier 'CMS-10434 OMB 0938-1188'. The measure is identified as 'Medicaid Adult Core Quality Measure - PA - 2018'. On the right, there are buttons for 'REQUEST TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE', 'CLEAR', and 'VIEW ALL RESPONSES', along with a 'Request System Help' link and a 'View Implementation Guide' link. The main question is 'Are you reporting on this measure? \*', with radio buttons for 'Yes' (selected) and 'No'.

Figure 1: Are you reporting on this measure?

## 1.2 Measurement Specification – Path 1

The screenshot shows the 'Measurement Specification' section for Path 1. It features a title 'Measurement Specification' and a collapse icon '+/-'. Below the title, there are radio buttons for '(HRSA) Health Resources and Services Administration' (selected) and 'Other'.

Figure 2: Measurement Specification – Path 1

## 1.3 Measurement Specification – Path 2

The screenshot shows the 'Measurement Specification' section for Path 2. It features a title 'Measurement Specification' and a 'Collapse' link. Below the title, there are radio buttons for '(HRSA) Health Resources and Services Administration' and 'Other' (selected). To the right of the radio buttons, there is a text box with the instruction: 'Please describe the specifications that were used to calculate the measure and explain how they deviated from Core Set specifications. If you need additional space to describe your state's methodology, please attach a document to this report in the Report Documents section at the bottom of the screen. \*'. Below this instruction is a large empty text area for the user to provide details.

Figure 3: Measurement Specification – Path 2

## 1.4 Data Source

### Data Source Collapse

Administrative Data

Other

**What is the Administrative Data source?**  
Must select one or more

Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS)

Other

**Specify \***

Figure 4: Data Source

## 1.5 Performance Measure

### Performance Measure Collapse

The percentage of beneficiaries age 18 and older with a diagnosis of Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) who had a HIV viral load less than 200 copies/mL at last HIV viral load test during the measurement year.

Enter rate values to one decimal place (XX.X). If your rate ends in .0, note that the .0 will not be retained on the screen and the whole number will be displayed instead.

Ages 18-64

Numerator	Denominator	Rate
10	30	30

Ages 65 and Older

Numerator	Denominator	Rate
20	30	10

The option "Denominator includes Medicare and Medicaid Dually-Eligible population" was not selected in the "Definition of Population Included in the Measure." Is the Medicare and Medicaid Dually-Eligible population included in this denominator?

Yes

No

**"Denominator includes Medicare and Medicaid Dually-Eligible Population" was not selected, please explain why: \***

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Figure 5: Performance Measure

# 1.6 Deviations from Measurement Specifications

**Deviations from Measurement Specifications** Collapse

Did your calculation of the measure deviate from the measure specification in any way? \*

Yes  
 No

Please select and explain the deviation(s)

**Ages 18-64**

Numerator Explain \*

Denominator Explain \*

Other Explain \*

**Ages 65 and Older**

Numerator Explain \*

Denominator Explain \*

Other Explain \*

Figure 6: Deviations from Measurement Specifications

## 1.7 Optional Measure Stratification

Note: Same N/D/R sets are applicable under each of the stratification

[Collapse](#)

**Optional Measure Stratification**

If this measure is also reported by additional classifications/sub-categories, e.g. racial, ethnic, sex, language, disability status, or geography, complete the following as applicable.

Enter rate values to one decimal place (XX.X). If your rate ends in .0, note that the .0 will not be retained on the screen and the whole number will be displayed instead.

**Check all that apply**

Race (Non-Hispanic)

White

Classification/Sub-category	Numerator	Denominator	Rate	
Ages 18-64	20	25	70	Clear Row
Ages 65 and Older	10	20	20	Clear Row

[+ Additional/Alternative Classification/Sub-category](#)

Black or African American

American Indian or Alaska Native

Asian

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

[+ Additional Race\(s\)](#)

Ethnicity

Sex

Primary Spoken Language

Disability Status

Geography

Adult Eligibility Group (ACA Expansion Group)

Classification/Sub-category	Numerator	Denominator	Rate	
Ages 18-64	10	50	20	Clear Row
Ages 65 and Older	20	30	10	Clear Row

[+ Additional/Alternative Classification/Sub-category](#)

**Figure 7: Optional Measure Stratification**

## Appendix 1: Acronyms

Table 1: Acronyms

Acronym	Definition
<b>AQM</b>	Adult Quality Measures
<b>PRA</b>	Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995