

Improving CAMHS Care Pathway Journeys	
Indicator number	MH7 (Service specification reference: CO7)
Indicator name	Improving care pathway journeys
Indicator weighting (% of CQUIN scheme available)	<commissioner to complete>
Description of indicator	This CQUIN enables providers to better understand the admission and discharge elements of their service pathway. Data generated by the CQUIN will allow services to strengthen these elements of the pathway and inform “system wide” improvements via CQUINs in 2015/16
Numerator	Not applicable
Denominator	Not applicable
Rationale for inclusion	Secure Child and Adolescent Services form part of those services recognised as low volume and high cost. As such minimal reductions in length of stay, by reducing delayed discharges, and potential avoidance of admission can realise significant efficiency improvements whilst enhancing the young person’s experience of care. A robust gate keeping process will ensure that the young person can be cared for in the least restrictive care environment possible.
Data source	Provider
Frequency of data collection	Quarterly
Organisation responsible for data collection	Provider
Frequency of reporting to commissioner	Quarterly
Baseline period/date	Not applicable
Baseline value	Not applicable
Final indicator period/date (on which payment is based)	Q4 2015/16
Final indicator value (payment threshold)	Not applicable
Final indicator reporting date	Q4 2015/16
Are there rules for any agreed in-year milestones that result in payment?	Yes – see below

Are there any rules for partial achievement of the indicator at the final indicator period/date?	No
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Milestones

Date/period milestone relates to	Rules for achievement of milestones (including evidence to be supplied to commissioner)	Date milestone to be reported	Milestone weighting (% of CQUIN scheme available)
Quarter 1	<p>The provider must submit quarterly reports on the action plan to implement agreed recommendations, including delivery milestones by quarter.</p> <p>Provider demonstrates to commissioner delivery of programme milestones for Q1</p>	30 June 2015	25%
Quarter 2	Provider demonstrates to commissioner delivery of programme milestones for Q2	30 September 2015	25%
Quarter 3	Provider demonstrates to commissioner delivery of programme milestones for Q3	31 December 2016	25%
Quarter 4	Provider demonstrates to commissioner delivery of programme milestones for Q4	31 March 2016	25%