

Summary: Evaluation of Tarrant County Maternal Health Alternative Payment Model

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Footnotes

¹ For the evaluation, interviews were conducted with staff from MHMR and CCHP, and information and data were collected and evaluated on services, payments, and performance measures. The evaluation focuses on the APM between CCHP and MHMR for the Family Connects Program, and not on the efficacy of the Family Connects program which is a national evidence-based model.

² The source for information on the Family Connects model is [Family Connects International](#).

³ MHMR also received referrals of CCHP members from other sources (e.g., self-referrals, other services like Breast Pump Depot).

⁴ Source: [Medicaid Quality Performance Portal](#)

⁵ The contract performance goals increased from year 1 to year 3 and then remained the same for subsequent years.

⁶ The North Texas Maternal Health Accelerator is a multisectoral coalition of providers, researchers, and community partners with the shared goal to reduce severe obstetric complications in Dallas and Tarrant Counties.

⁷ The Perinatal Connections Program offers services to patients from conception to 12 months after pregnancy. Multidisciplinary providers (e.g., registered nurses, family support coaches, and mental health consultants) deliver services depending on evaluation of the patients' medical, mental health, and non-medical needs.