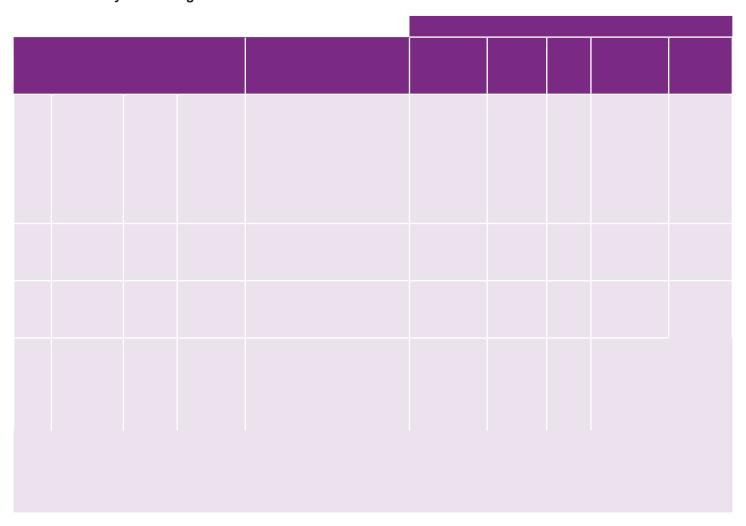Evaluation Highlight No.13, June 2015

Supplement to Evaluation Highlight No. 13: How did CHIPRA quality demonstration States employ learning collaboratives to improve children's health care quality?

Evaluation Highlight No. 13 is the 13th in a series that presents descriptive and analytic findings from the national evaluation of the Children's Health Insurance Program Reauthorization Act of 2009 (CHIPRA) Quality Demonstration Grant Program. The Highlight focuses on lessons learned from nine States—Alaska, Florida, Idaho, Maine, Massachusetts, North Carolina, Oregon, Utah, and West Virginia. These States implemented learning collaboratives and subsequently reported quantifiable improvements in medical home capacity and/or health care quality among the 137 child-serving primary care practices that participated in the CHIPRA quality demonstration. The analysis is based on work completed by States during the first 4.5 years of their 5-year demonstration projects. The full text of the *Highlight* is available on the National Evaluation of the CHIPRA Quality Demonstration Program Web page.

This supplement to the *Highlight* provides an overview of the learning collaboratives in each of the nine States included in this analysis. State learning collaboratives had many similarities, but also differed on a number of dimensions summarized in this supplement and described in the *Highlight*.

Table 1: Summary of Learning Collaborative Structure and Features in Nine States

State	Practices participating in LC	Duration of LC (months)	Frequency of in-person LC meetings (per year)	Topics addressed	Other learning collaborative features				
					Webinar and/or teleconference	Practice facilitation	PDSA cycles	Quality measurement and reporting support	Financial incentives
					3	3	3	3	3
				Identification of CYSHCN,	3	3	3	3	3
					3	3	3	3	
				maintenance of certification for the	3	3	3	3	

Abbreviations used in Appendix:

ADHD: Attention deficit hyperactivity disorder
BMI:
CG-CAHPS:
CYSHCN:
IT:
LC:
PCMH:
PDSA cycle:
QI:
URI: