

## Appendix – Measure Specification

### Reporting of CAHPS Data Regarding Availability of Specialist Care for Children on Medicaid

#### Description

This measure assesses the proportion of states that collect and report CAHPS data regarding whether parents easily get specialty care appointments for their Medicaid-enrolled children when needed.

Specifically, this measure assesses the proportion of states that sample their Medicaid populations and report the percentage of parents who responded “Usually” or “Always” to the specialist availability question from the CAHPS Health Plan Survey – ~~6/14/2015 (12-05-2015) (1-17-16) (15-10-16) (05-12-05) (1-6-16) (2-14-16)~~