

Quality Assurance & Quality Improvement (QA/QI)

COMMITTEE	MEMBERS	TASKS
Quality Committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA) quality staff • Staff from other Departments in the Agency of Human Services (AHS) • Co-chairs are the DVHA Medical Director & the Quality Improvement Administrator 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Writes an annual Quality Action Plan • Identifies required performance measures • Guides the implementation of planned improvement activities • Encourages staff to participate in quality activities • Reviews quality activities
Managed Care Medical Committee (MCMC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DVHA clinical staff • Staff from other AHS Departments with knowledge in subject matter, operations, and policy • Co-chairs are the DVHA Chief Medical Officer & the Director of the Quality Improvement & Clinical Integrity Unit 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develops and manages the clinical practice guidelines • Monitors the performance of clinical contracts and procedures • Approves the criteria used to approve Medicaid services • Reviews performance measure rates • Identifies areas for improvement projects
Compliance Committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DVHA compliance staff • Staff from other AHS Departments with knowledge in policy, program integrity and compliance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensures compliance with all state and federal requirements • Coordinates the review of operating procedures; • Tracks EQRO corrective action plans • Reviews partner Department's compliance plans, reporting and corrective action plans • Coordinates the managed care corrective action process for all AHS compliance issues related to managed care

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