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Re: Changes to Colorectal Cancer Screening Requirements

Dear Network Provider:

The NCQA is responsible for changes and updates to all HEDIS Measures, and has modified the Colorectal Cancer Screening measure to align with updated guidelines for the U. S. Preventive Services Taskforce. Please take note of the following changes that are **effective immediately**:

- The age range for this population has been revised from 50-75 years to 45-75 years
- Stratification for race and ethnicity is required

If you have any questions regarding this change, please contact Provider Support Services or your Provider Engagement Specialist at **330.996.8400** or **800.996.8401** or via email at contactproviderservices@summacare.com.

Sincerely,

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