

# AmeriHealth Caritas VIP Care Plus® specifications for gaps in care

## Asthma Medication Management

This measure identifies and tracks asthmatic members and determines if they had their asthma-related drug prescriptions appropriately filled during the measurement year.

<p><b>Which members are included?</b> (denominator)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Members actively covered by the health plan as of the last day of the reporting period.</li> <li>• Members ages 5 – 56 with a documented history of asthma.</li> </ul>
<p><b>What provider data is included?</b> (numerator)</p>	<p>Member had at least one asthma-related prescription filled during the reporting period.</p>
<p><b>Provider communication tools</b> (how providers receive the information)</p>	<p>All member claims data is evaluated monthly. In the event that there is no claim for this specific service, the system generates an automatic notice of care gap. Care gap status notification is provided by and accessible through NaviNet via:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Member eligibility pop-up alerts.</li> <li>• Care gap query reports.</li> <li>• Member clinical summary reports.</li> <li>• Monthly NaviNet report updates, which reflect gaps in care for primary care provider practice panel membership.</li> <li>• Panel membership results, which include indicators for this gaps in care measure as <b>Missing</b>, <b>Up-to-date</b>, or <b>Overdue</b>.</li> </ul>