

Table 1. HHCAHPS Patient-Mix Adjustment Factors for Linearized Scores (Four-Quarter Average for the July 2025 Public Reporting Period, January 2024 through December 2024 Home Health Patients)

Patient Mix Characteristic Patient Mix Level	Overall Rating	Willingness to Recommend	Care of Patients	Communication	Specific Care Issues
Proxy Proxy	0.129	0.035	-0.171	-0.381	0.658
Non-English survey response Non-English survey response	-1.834	-2.368	0.125	0.029	-3.326
Age 18–49	2.294	2.571	2.135	1.318	2.376
50–64	1.068	0.760	1.098	0.743	0.326
65–74	RC	RC	RC	RC	RC
75–84	-0.143	0.036	-0.233	0.215	1.550
85+	0.092	0.707	-0.068	0.760	3.473
Education < 8th grade	0.038	0.261	0.762	0.516	-2.312
Some high school	-0.414	-0.162	0.222	0.137	-1.601
High school graduate/GED	RC	RC	RC	RC	RC
Some college	0.815	0.511	0.385	0.458	1.562
College graduate or more	1.841	1.159	0.919	1.009	4.425
Residence status Patient lived alone	1.004	1.631	1.311	1.421	2.615
Self-reported health status Excellent	-3.496	-4.607	-2.014	-2.446	-6.665
Very good	-0.500	-0.346	-0.346	-0.351	-0.945
Good	RC	RC	RC	RC	RC
Fair	0.565	0.496	0.456	0.357	0.147
Poor	2.240	2.311	1.853	1.738	1.035
Mental/emotional status Excellent/very good	-1.127	-1.303	-0.810	-0.851	-0.332
Good	RC	RC	RC	RC	RC
Fair/poor	0.734	0.684	0.629	0.859	0.842
Diagnoses Schizophrenia	1.600	1.670	2.129	2.116	3.641
Dementia/cerebral degeneration	0.162	0.117	0.164	0.673	0.582

RC = reference category