

**Table 1. HHCAHPS Patient-Mix Adjustment Factors for Linearized Scores (Four-Quarter Average for the July 2022 Public Reporting Period, January 2021 through December 2021 Home Health Patients)**

Patient Mix Characteristic Patient Mix Level	Overall Rating	Willingness to Recommend	Care of Patients	Communication	Specific Care Issues
Proxy Proxy	0.029	-0.122	-0.330	-0.480	0.727
Non-English survey response Non-English survey response	-2.284	-2.136	-0.115	-0.100	-3.947
Age					
18–49	2.296	2.536	2.403	1.631	2.228
50–64	1.115	0.986	1.345	0.806	0.484
65–74	RC	RC	RC	RC	RC
75–84	-0.014	0.230	-0.118	0.282	1.804
85+	0.243	0.781	0.032	0.859	3.277
Education					
< 8th grade	-0.007	-0.015	0.644	0.490	-2.328
Some high school	-0.410	-0.303	0.206	0.106	-1.532
High school graduate/GED	RC	RC	RC	RC	RC
Some college	0.951	0.599	0.474	0.569	1.887
College graduate or more	2.068	1.393	1.122	1.263	4.921
Residence status					
Patient lived alone	1.244	1.804	1.465	1.579	2.657
Self-reported health status					
Excellent	-3.726	-4.832	-2.133	-2.569	-6.765
Very good	-0.555	-0.474	-0.339	-0.345	-1.005
Good	RC	RC	RC	RC	RC
Fair	0.623	0.576	0.473	0.489	0.298
Poor	2.225	2.240	1.887	1.684	1.246
Mental/emotional status					
Excellent/very good	-1.226	-1.278	-0.819	-0.886	-0.180
Good	RC	RC	RC	RC	RC
Fair/poor	0.745	0.675	0.670	0.825	0.738
Diagnoses					
Schizophrenia	1.618	1.938	2.258	2.361	3.767
Dementia/cerebral degeneration	0.314	0.169	0.263	0.708	0.763

RC = reference category