

**Table 1. HHCAHPS Patient-Mix Adjustment Factors for Linearized Scores (Four-Quarter Average for the April 2016 Public Reporting Period, October 2014 through September 2015 Home Health Patients)**

Patient Mix Characteristic Patient Mix Level	Overall Rating	Willingness to Recommend	Care of Patients	Communication	Specific Care Issues
Proxy Proxy	0.620	0.752	0.187	-0.023	0.618
Non-English survey response Non-English survey response	-1.467	-1.072	0.385	0.246	-2.817
Age					
18-49	2.944	2.768	2.910	1.594	2.316
50-64	1.032	0.935	1.269	0.783	0.124
65-74	RC	RC	RC	RC	RC
75-84	-0.078	0.236	-0.115	0.379	1.412
85+	0.214	0.640	0.038	0.969	2.729
Education					
< 8th grade	-0.142	-0.139	0.455	0.407	-2.069
Some high school	-0.648	-0.481	0.019	-0.015	-1.517
High school graduate/GED	RC	RC	RC	RC	RC
Some college	0.961	0.648	0.556	0.598	1.772
College graduate or more	2.040	1.246	1.125	1.237	4.590
Residence status					
Patient lived alone	0.954	1.456	1.218	1.380	2.277
Self-reported health status					
Excellent	-3.525	-4.157	-1.924	-2.251	-5.939
Very good	-0.518	-0.469	-0.368	-0.256	-0.807
Good	RC	RC	RC	RC	RC
Fair	0.444	0.419	0.357	0.319	-0.107
Poor	1.515	1.514	1.312	1.220	0.495
Mental/emotional status					
Excellent/very good	-1.265	-1.245	-0.878	-0.949	-0.122
Good	RC	RC	RC	RC	RC
Fair/poor	0.632	0.544	0.563	0.765	0.605
Diagnoses					
Schizophrenia	1.629	1.685	2.234	2.380	4.392
Dementia/cerebral degeneration	0.283	0.177	0.224	0.668	1.237

RC = reference category