

Table 1. HHCAHPS Patient-Mix Adjustment Factors for Linearized Scores (Four-Quarter Average for the April 2022 Public Reporting Period, October 2020 through September 2021 Home Health Patients)

Patient Mix Characteristic Patient Mix Level	Overall Rating	Willingness to Recommend	Care of Patients	Communication	Specific Care Issues
Proxy Proxy	0.030	-0.050	-0.298	-0.485	0.612
Non-English survey response Non-English survey response	-2.405	-2.363	-0.260	-0.151	-3.874
Age					
18–49	2.141	2.394	2.293	1.496	2.016
50–64	1.124	1.004	1.369	0.790	0.372
65–74	RC	RC	RC	RC	RC
75–84	-0.004	0.275	-0.060	0.310	1.871
85+	0.260	0.799	0.053	0.891	3.251
Education					
< 8th grade	0.042	0.091	0.687	0.562	-2.290
Some high school	-0.328	-0.276	0.264	0.126	-1.485
High school graduate/GED	RC	RC	RC	RC	RC
Some college	0.966	0.644	0.466	0.584	1.871
College graduate or more	2.033	1.367	1.077	1.229	4.829
Residence status					
Patient lived alone	1.207	1.784	1.466	1.581	2.615
Self-reported health status					
Excellent	-3.730	-4.824	-2.125	-2.580	-6.872
Very good	-0.508	-0.431	-0.328	-0.316	-1.038
Good	RC	RC	RC	RC	RC
Fair	0.603	0.558	0.480	0.470	0.249
Poor	2.214	2.234	1.888	1.690	1.139
Mental/emotional status					
Excellent/very good	-1.245	-1.298	-0.842	-0.899	-0.090
Good	RC	RC	RC	RC	RC
Fair/poor	0.740	0.682	0.655	0.781	0.721
Diagnoses					
Schizophrenia	1.832	1.808	2.315	2.335	3.962
Dementia/cerebral degeneration	0.229	0.040	0.210	0.649	0.809

RC = reference category