

## **HCAHPS** to Updated HCAHPS Crosswalk

## **BACKGROUND**

The current HCAHPS Survey contains 29 questions, and the proposed Updated HCAHPS Survey to take effect in 2025 contains 32 questions. The proposed survey changes are pending final approval, which will be published in August.

## **CROSSWALK**

Current HCAHPS Survey Question	Updated HCAHPS Survey Question
1. During this hospital stay, how often did nurses	1. During this hospital stay, how often did nurses
treat you with courtesy and respect?	treat you with courtesy and respect?
2. During this hospital stay, how often did nurses	2. During this hospital stay, how often did nurses
listen carefully to you?	listen carefully to you?
3. During this hospital stay, how often did nurses	3. During this hospital stay, how often did nurses
explain things in a way you could understand?	explain things in a way you could understand?
4. During this hospital stay, after you pressed the	
call button, how often did you get help as soon as	N/A (removed from Updated HCAHPS Survey)
you wanted it?	
5. During this hospital stay, how often did doctors	4. During this hospital stay, how often did doctors
treat you with <u>courtesy and respect</u> ?	treat you with courtesy and respect?
6. During this hospital stay, how often did doctors	5. During this hospital stay, how often did doctors
listen carefully to you?	listen carefully to you?
7. During this hospital stay, how often did doctors	6. During this hospital stay, how often did doctors
explain things in a way you could understand?	explain things in a way you could understand?
8. During this hospital stay, how often were your	7. During this hospital stay, how often were your
room and bathroom kept clean?	room and bathroom kept clean?
9. During this hospital stay, how often was the	9. During this hospital stay, how often was the area
area around your room quiet at night?	around your room quiet at night?
N/A (not on current HCAHPS Survey)	8. During this hospital stay, how often were you able
	to get the rest you needed?
	10. During this hospital stay, how often were
N/A (not on current HCAHPS Survey)	doctors, nurses and other hospital staff informed and
	up-to-date about your care?
	11. During this hospital stay, how often did doctors,
N/A (not on current HCAHPS Survey)	nurses and other hospital staff work well together to
	care for you?
10. During this hospital stay, did you need help	12. During this hospital stay, did you need help from
from nurses or other hospital staff in getting to the	nurses or other hospital staff in getting to the
bathroom or in using a bedpan?	bathroom or in using a bedpan?

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11. How often did you get help in getting to the bathroom or in using a bedpan as soon as you wanted?	13. How often did you get help in getting to the bathroom or in using a bedpan as soon as you wanted?
N/A (not on current HCAHPS Survey)	14. During this hospital stay, when you asked for help right away, how often did you get help as soon as you needed?
12. During this hospital stay, were you given any medicine that you had not taken before?	15. During this hospital stay, were you given any medicine that you had not taken before?
13. Before giving you any new medicine, how often did hospital staff tell you what the medicine was for?	16. Before giving you any new medicine, how often did hospital staff tell you what the medicine was for?
14. Before giving you any new medicine, how often did hospital staff describe possible side effects in a way you could understand?	17. Before giving you any new medicine, how often did hospital staff describe possible side effects in a way you could understand?
N/A (not on current HCAHPS Survey)	18. During this hospital stay, did doctors, nurses and other hospital staff help you to rest and recover?
N/A (not on current HCAHPS Survey)	19. Did doctors, nurses or other hospital staff work with you and your family or caregiver in making plans for your care after you left the hospital?
N/A (not on current HCAHPS Survey)	20. Did doctors, nurses or other hospital staff give your family or caregiver enough information about what symptoms or health problems to watch for after you left the hospital?
15. After you left the hospital, did you go directly to your own home, to someone else's home, or to another health facility?	21. When After you left the hospital, did you go directly to your own home, to someone else's home, or to another health facility?
other hospital staff talk with you about whether you	22. During this hospital stay, did doctors, nurses or other hospital staff talk with you about whether you would have the help you needed after when you left the hospital?
17. During this hospital stay, did you get information in writing about what symptoms or health problems to look out for after you left the hospital?	23. During this hospital stay, did you get information in writing about what symptoms or health problems to look out for after you left the hospital?
18. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst hospital possible and 10 is the best hospital possible, what number would you use to rate this hospital during your stay?	24. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst hospital possible and 10 is the best hospital possible, what number would you use to rate this hospital during your stay?
19. Would you recommend this hospital to your friends and family?	25. Would you recommend this hospital to your friends and family?
20. During this hospital stay, staff took my preferences and those of my family or caregiver into account in deciding what my health care needs would be when I left.	N/A (removed from Updated HCAHPS Survey)

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21. When I left the hospital, I had a good	
understanding of the things I was responsible for	N/A (removed from Updated HCAHPS Survey)
in managing my health.	
22. When I left the hospital, I clearly understood	N/A (removed from Updated HCAHPS Survey)
the purpose for taking each of my medications.	
23. During this hospital stay, were you admitted to	N/A (removed from Updated HCAHPS Survey)
this hospital through the Emergency Room?	
N/A (not on current HCAHPS Survey)	26. Was this hospital stay planned in advance?
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24. In general, how would you rate your overall	27. In general, how would you rate your overall
health?	health?
25. In general, how would you rate your overall	28. In general, how would you rate your overall
mental or emotional health?	mental or emotional health?
26. What is the highest grade or level of school	30. What is the highest grade or level of school that
that you have completed?	you have completed?
that you have completed?  27. Are you of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino origin	you have completed?  31. Are you of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino origin or
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27. Are you of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino origin	31. Are you of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino origin or descent?
27. Are you of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino origin or descent?	31. Are you of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino origin or

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