Section II: Program's Performance Measurement and Progress

Section IIA: Reporting of Core Performance Measures

<u>Children's Access to Primary Care Practitioners</u>
FFY 2005: HEDIS Performance Measurement Data
Additional Notes on Measure:
Baseline/ Year information reported in 2005:
Year 1 – January 1, 2002 to December 31, 2002
Children Ages 12 months to 24 months: 17,937/19,009 (94.36%)
Children Ages 25 months to 6 years: 55,673/63,258 (88.01%)
Children Ages 7 years to 11 years: 38,329/41,894 (91.49%)
Children Ages 12-19 years: Measure not calculated because there are no national comparisons, per HHSC request.

Enrollee numbers may be smaller for Year 3 due to changes implemented following the 2003 Legislative Session. Those changes include a premium increase for families above 100 percent of the FPL and a 90-day waiting period for coverage.

FFY 2006: Data Source Explanation
Two data sources were used in these analyses. First, the Enrollment Broker for CHIP in Texas provided enrollment files to the external quality review organization (EQRO). These files were used to 1) identify the children who met the sample selection criteria, 2) obtain contact information for the families, and 3) compare the sociodemographic characteristics of survey participants compared to those not located or those refusing to participate. Second, telephone survey data from families whose children were enrolled in CHIP in Texas for 12 months or longer in fiscal year 2006 were used. The survey instrument incorporated several questions from the Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems (CAHPS) Health Plan Survey 3.0 Medicaid module with supplemental questions addressing care for children with special health care needs (CSHCN).