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Dear Ms. Guerra:

While reviewing the 2024 Mental Health Parity Evaluation Summary Report, Health Services Advisory Group, Inc. (HSAG) identified an issue with the header labels associated with the time and distance results tables where the header labels were transposed. Listed below is a summary of the adjustments made to the 2024 report.

Summary of Adjustments

Page(s)	Paragraph/Table	Summary of Revision	
Section 3. Results—Adequacy of MH/SUD Provider Networks/Time and Distance			
Pages 3-26 – 3-29	 Table 3-7—Average Time and Distance to the Nearest Three MH and SUD Providers by CCO and Geography—Large Urban Table 3-8—Average Time and Distance to the Nearest Three MH and SUD Providers by CCO and Geography—Urban Table 3-9—Average Time and Distance to the Nearest Three MH and SUD Providers by CCO and Geography—Rural Table 3-10—Average Time and Distance to the Nearest Three MH and SUD Providers by CCO and Urbanicity—CEAC 	Time (Min) and Distance (Miles) column headers were reversed.	
Page 3-28	• Table 3-9—Average Time and Distance to the Nearest Three MH and SUD Providers by CCO and Geography—Rural	Red shading for TCHP-SW's third nearest SUD provider was removed; result is compliant following reversed column headings.	
Page 3-28	• First paragraph, following Table 3-9	Removed statement that TCHP-SW did not exhibit average drive times and distances to the nearest three MH and SUD providers within the acceptable travel times and distance set by OHA.	



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Appendix A – Appendix Q			
Page 6	 Table 7—Average Time and Distance to the Nearest Three MH/SUD Providers by Provider Type and Large Urban and Urban Geographic Settings Table 8—Average Time and Distance to the Nearest Three MH/SUD Providers by Provider Type and Rural and CEAC Geographic Settings 	Time (Min) and Distance (Miles) column headers were reversed.	
Appendix M			
Page M-6	Table 8—Average Time and Distance to the Nearest Three MH/SUD Providers by Provider Type and Rural and CEAC Geographic Settings	Removed statement that for the rural setting, TCHP-SW was less than one mile over the acceptable travel times and distances to the third nearest SUD provider.	

Included with this memo are:

- a TRACK CHANGE version of the 2024 MHP Evaluation Summary Report (released December 2024) displaying the changes described above, and
- a revised, 508 compliant, 2024 MHP Evaluation Summary Report (released April 2025).

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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