Figure: 28 TAC §12.601(f)

Guidance on calculating the adjusted approval rate as required in §12.601(f)

Percent Overturned (OT%)—Percent of reviewed adverse determinations that the IRO determines should have been approved and that would have been overturned had the physician or provider appealed to an IRO (i.e., the percent of adverse determinations reviewed that the IRO determined to be medically necessary and appropriate).

Number of Adverse Determinations (#ADs)—Number of preauthorization requests included in the evaluation that were adversely determined.

Number Approved (#APs)—Number of preauthorization requests included in the evaluation that were approved.

Total Preauthorization Requests (Total #PRs)—Total number of preauthorization requests included in the evaluation.

Adjusted Approval Rate—$\frac{(OT\% \times \#ADs) + \#APs}{\text{Total \#PRs}}$