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(QI PROGRAM)**

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Key issues:
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Advancements through IT and reform integration

- Risk adjustment – is required to standardise quality indicator performance based on care recipient demographics (e.g. level of care needs) and facilitate meaningful service-level reporting.

- Provider rating system (performance differentiation) integration – can be supplemented through aggregate quality of care, quality of life and staff ratings, underpinned by detailed quality indicator data.

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