1. Smoking/Tobacco Use Assessment
The MQIC Tobacco Control guideline recommends identification of tobacco use status at each outpatient visit and inpatient admission. The tobacco use status is recorded in the medical record and/or problem list. The following question is proposed as an addition to the HEDIS® CAHPS® 2.0H Adult Survey:

In the past 12 months, your physician asked about your smoking/tobacco use status…(Ask all members who had a visit – Preferably insert before Q50, Have you ever smoked 100 or more cigarettes)
   a) Always (at every visit)
   b) Usually
   c) Sometimes
   d) Never

2. Quit Advice
The MQIC Tobacco Control guideline recommends offering advice to quit at each periodic health exam, more frequently at the discretion of the physician. The following question is proposed as an addition to the HEDIS® CAHPS® 2.0H Adult Survey:

In the last 12 months, has your physician encouraged you to set a quit date…(Ask all smokers/recent quitters only – as with the current advising smokers to quit questions – Preferably inset after Q53, Advised to quit)
   a) Yes
   b) No

3. Quit Assistance
The MQIC Tobacco Control guideline recommends assisting members who are ready to quit by establishing a quit date, providing self-help materials, offering nicotine replacement therapy and/or withdrawal medications, and smoking cessation program referral. The following question is proposed as an addition to the HEDIS® CAHPS® 2.0H Adult Survey:

Has your physician offered you assistance in quitting smoking/tobacco use by (select all that apply)…(Ask all smokers/recent quitters only – Insert after the above question regarding quit date)
   a) Prescribing/recommending medication(s)
   b) Information on/referral to smoking cessation programs
   c) Counseling/monitoring you in their office
   d) Provide self-help material to quit
   e) None, my physician has not provided any assistance
**Numerator:** The number of members in the denominator who responded to the survey and indicated that they had received advice to quit smoking from an MCO practitioner during the measurement year. Refer to the HEDIS® CAHPS® 2.0H Adult Survey for specifications.

Member response choices **must** be as follows to be included in the numerator:

Q53 = “1 visit” or “2 to 4 visits” or “5 to 9 visits” or “10 or more visits”