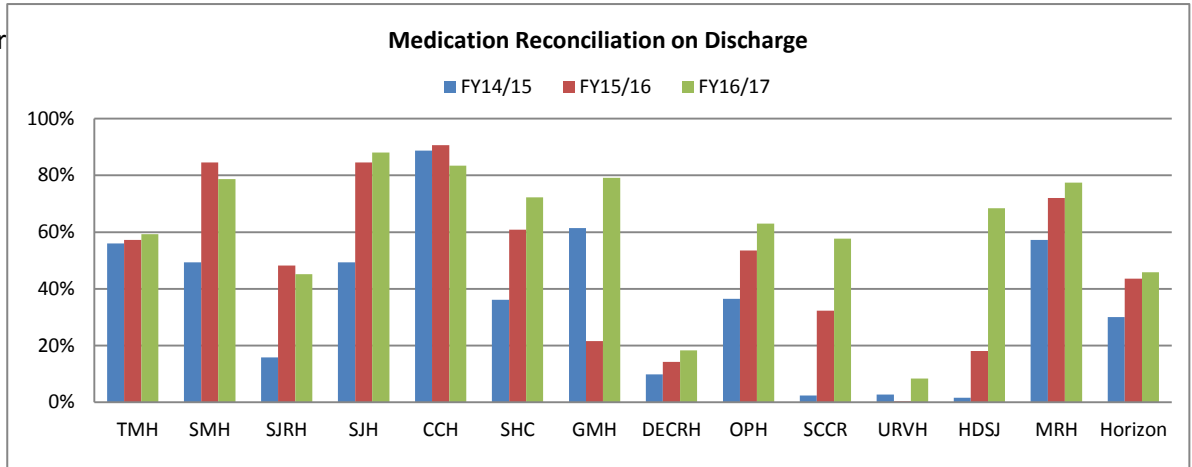


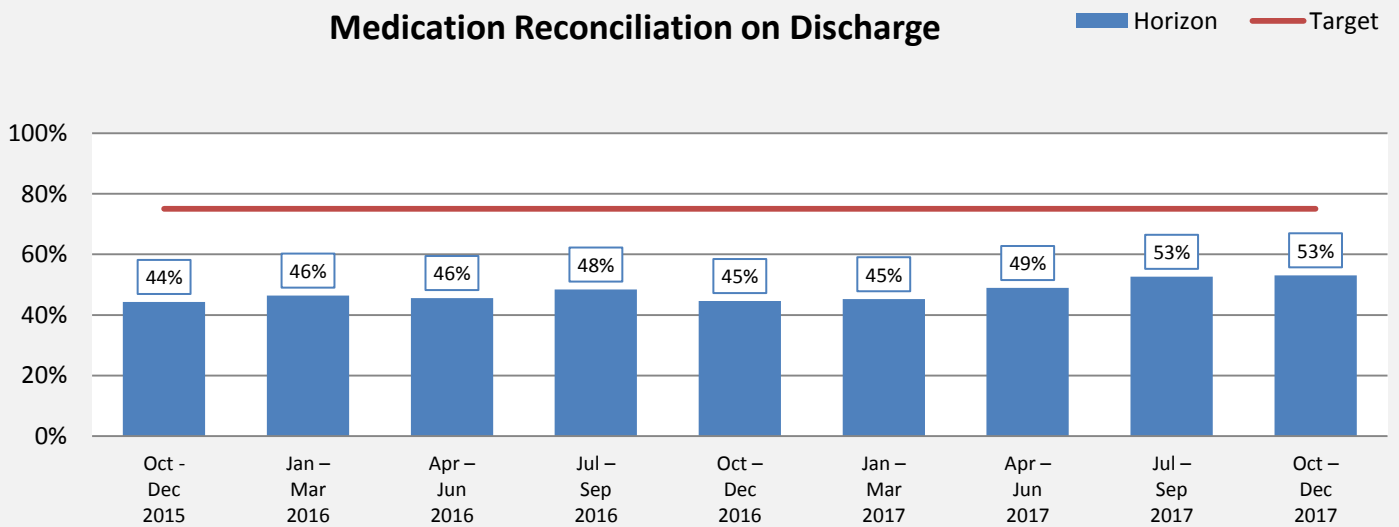
Medication reconciliation is a formal process in which healthcare providers work together with patients/caregivers to ensure that medications being added, changed or discontinued are carefully evaluated and to communicate any resulting changes in medication orders to the patient, family/caregiver and to the next provider of care. Medication reconciliation is a process designed to prevent medication errors and the potential for adverse events across transitions of care.

Definition: The number of patients discharged with medication reconciliation completed comparable to the number of patients discharged.

2017/18 Target: 75%



Medication Reconciliation on Discharge



Analysis: Medication Reconciliation on Discharge in Horizon continues to trend up since FY 2014-15. With the exception of two Horizon facilities which had slight decreases; all other facilities have improved performance compared to FY 2016-2017.

The Regional Medication Reconciliation Steering Committee overseeing the ongoing implementation of this initiative is engaging with the local area committees to identify and remedy barriers for facilities performing below target. To achieve target improvement activities involve identifying and addressing gaps in process and focusing on Physician engagement as the end user of the medication reconciliation process.