
CBE ID

0202

Title

Falls with injury

Project

Patient Safety

Endorsement Status

Endorsement Removed

Is Under Review

No

Previous Endorsement Cycle

Fall 2020

Removal Date

Tue, 11/24/2020 - 19:00

Initial Endorsement

Tue, 08/04/2009 - 20:00

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1.0 New or Maintenance

Maintenance

1.1 Measure Structure

Single Measure

1.3 Electronic Clinical Quality Measure (eCQM)

No

1.6 Measure Description

All documented patient falls with an injury level of minor or greater on eligible unit types in a calendar quarter. Reported as Injury falls per 1000 Patient Days.

$(\text{Total number of injury falls} / \text{Patient days}) \times 1000$

Measure focus is safety.

Target population is adult acute care inpatient and adult rehabilitation patients.

1.7 Measure Type

Outcome

1.8 Level of Analysis

Facility, Other

1.9 Care Setting

Inpatient/Hospital

1.14 Numerator

Total number of patient falls of injury level minor or greater (whether or not assisted by a staff member) by eligible hospital unit during the calendar month X 1000. Included Populations: • Falls with Fall Injury Level of “minor” or greater, including assisted and repeat falls with an Injury level of minor or greater • Patient injury falls occurring while on an eligible reporting unit Target population is adult acute care inpatient and adult rehabilitation patients. Eligible unit types include adult critical care, step-down, medical, surgical, medical-surgical combined, adult rehabilitation in-patient.

1.15 Denominator

Denominator Statement: Patient days by Type of Unit during the calendar month. Included Populations: • Inpatients, short stay patients, observation patients, and same day surgery patients who receive care on eligible inpatient units for all or part of a day on the following unit types: • Adult critical care, step-down, medical, surgical, medical-surgical combined, and adult rehabilitation inpatient units. • Patients of any age on an eligible reporting unit are included in the patient day count.

1.20 Types of Data Sources

Electronic Health Records: Electronic Health Records, Other, Paper Patient Medical Records

6.1.2 Current or Planned Use(s)

Professional Certification or Recognition Program, Public Reporting, Quality Improvement (Internal to the specific organization), Quality Improvement with Benchmarking (external benchmarking to multiple organizations), Regulatory and Accreditation Programs

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Exclusions

Excluded Populations: Other unit types (e.g., pediatric, psychiatric, obstetrical, etc.)

Planned Use

Quality Improvement with Benchmarking (external benchmarking to multiple organizations)

Risk Adjustment

Other

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