

**CBE ID**

0217

**Title**

Surgery Patients with Recommended Venous Thromboembolism (VTE) Prophylaxis Ordered

**Endorsement Status**

Endorsement Removed

**Is Under Review**

No

**Previous Endorsement Cycle**

Fall 2012

**Removal Date**

Mon, 02/27/2012 - 00:48

**Initial Endorsement**

Sun, 08/09/2009 - 20:00

**Steward**

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

**1.0 New or Maintenance**

Maintenance

**1.1 Measure Structure**

Single Measure

**1.3 Electronic Clinical Quality Measure (eCQM)**

No

**1.6 Measure Description**

Percentage of surgery patients with recommended Venous Thromboembolism (VTE) Prophylaxis ordered during admission

**1.7 Measure Type**

Process

**1.8 Level of Analysis**

Facility

**1.14 Numerator**

Surgery patients with recommended VTE prophylaxis ordered during the admission

### **1.15 Denominator**

All selected surgery patients

### **1.20 Types of Data Sources**

Other

### **6.1.2 Current or Planned Use(s)**

Payment Program, Regulatory and Accreditation Programs

### **6.1.3 Current Use(s)**

Payment Program, Regulatory and Accreditation Programs

### **Exclusions**

Patients who are less than 18 years of age. Patients with procedures performed entirely by laparoscope. Patients whose total surgery time is less than or equal to 30 minutes. Patients who stayed less than or equal to 24 hours postoperatively. Burn patients (refer to Specifications Manual, National Healthcare Quality Measures, Appendix A, Table 5.14 for ICD-9-CM codes). Patients who are on warfarin prior to admission. Patients with contraindications to both mechanical and pharmacological prophylaxis. Patients whose ICD-9-CM Principal Procedure occurred prior to the date of admission

### **Risk Adjustment**

No risk adjustment necessary

### **Steward Organization**

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### **Steward POC email**

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