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**CBE ID**

0288

**Title**

Fibrinolytic Therapy Received Within 30 Minutes of ED Arrival

**Project**

Cardiovascular

**Endorsement Status**

Endorsement Removed

**Is Under Review**

No

**Previous Endorsement Cycle**

Full Year 2016

**Removal Date**

Tue, 11/22/2016 - 19:00

**Initial Endorsement**

Wed, 11/14/2007 - 19:00

**Steward**

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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**

This measure calculates the percentage of Emergency Department (ED) acute myocardial infarction (AMI) patients with ST-segment elevation on the electrocardiogram (ECG) closest to arrival time receiving fibrinolytic therapy during the ED stay and having a time from ED arrival to fibrinolysis of 30 minutes or less. The measure is calculated using chart-abstracted data, on a rolling, quarterly basis and is publicly reported, in aggregate, for one calendar year. The measure has been publicly reported, annually, by CMS as a component of its Hospital Outpatient Quality Reporting (HOQR) Program since 2012.

**1.7 Measure Type**

Process

## **1.8 Level of Analysis**

Facility, Other

## **1.9 Care Setting**

Inpatient/Hospital

## **1.14 Numerator**

The number of ED AMI patients whose time from ED arrival to fibrinolysis is 30 minutes or less.

## **1.15 Denominator**

The number of ED AMI patients with ST-segment elevation on ECG who received fibrinolytic therapy.

## **1.20 Types of Data Sources**

Claims Data, Other, Paper Patient Medical Records

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

Public Reporting, Quality Improvement with Benchmarking (external benchmarking to multiple organizations)

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## **Exclusions**

Patients are excluded who are less than 18 years of age. Additionally, patients who are not administered fibrinolytic therapy within 30 minutes AND had a Reason for Delay in Fibrinolytic Therapy, as defined in the Data Dictionary, are also excluded.

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## **Risk Adjustment**

No risk adjustment or risk stratification

## **Target Population**

Elderly, Populations at Risk: Populations at Risk

**Use In Federal Program**

Hospital Compare, Hospital Outpatient Quality Reporting

**Steward Organization**

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