
CBE ID

0316

Title

Back Pain: Mental Health Assessment

Project

Musculoskeletal Endorsement Maintenance

Endorsement Status

Endorsement Removed

Is Under Review

No

Previous Endorsement Cycle

Spring 2014

Removal Date

Wed, 04/02/2014 - 20:00

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

The percentage of patients at least 18 years of age and younger than 80 with a diagnosis of back pain for whom documentation of a mental health assessment is present in the medical record prior to intervention or when pain lasts more than 6 weeks.

1.7 Measure Type

Process

1.8 Level of Analysis

Clinician: Group/Practice, Clinician: Individual

1.9 Care Setting

Outpatient Services

1.14 Numerator

The number of patients with at least one mental health assessment during the eligible episode.

1.15 Denominator

Back pain patients at least 18 years of age and younger than 80 who meet either of the following criteria.-Evidence of back surgery or epidural steroid injection, or -More than six weeks pain duration

1.20 Types of Data Sources

Claims Data, Paper Patient Medical Records

6.1.2 Current or Planned Use(s)

Public Reporting, Quality Improvement (Internal to the specific organization), Quality Improvement with Benchmarking (external benchmarking to multiple organizations)

6.1.3 Current Use(s)

Public Reporting, Quality Improvement (Internal to the specific organization), Quality Improvement with Benchmarking (external benchmarking to multiple organizations)

Exclusions

None

Planned Use

Public Reporting, Quality Improvement (Internal to the specific organization), Quality Improvement with Benchmarking (external benchmarking to multiple organizations)

Risk Adjustment

No risk adjustment or risk stratification

Steward Organization

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