

CBE ID

0526

Title

Timely Initiation of Care

Project

Care Coordination

Endorsement Status

Endorsement Removed

Is Under Review

No

Previous Endorsement Cycle

Full Year 2016

Removal Date

Mon, 11/07/2016 - 19:00

Initial Endorsement

Mon, 03/30/2009 - 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

Percentage of home health episodes of care in which the start or resumption of care date was either on the physician-specified date or within 2 days of the referral date or inpatient discharge date, whichever is later.

1.7 Measure Type

Process

1.8 Level of Analysis

Facility

1.9 Care Setting

Home Care

1.14 Numerator

Number of home health episodes of care in which the start or resumption of care date was either on the physician-specified date or within 2 days of the referral date or inpatient discharge date, whichever is later.

1.15 Denominator

Number of home health episodes of care ending during the data collection period other than those covered by generic or measure-specific denominator exclusions.

1.20 Types of Data Sources

Electronic Health Records: Electronic Health Records

6.1.2 Current or Planned Use(s)

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

Exclusions

Measure-specific exclusions: None

Generic exclusions: None, except that HHAs are exempt from reporting OASIS data to CMS on certain categories of patients/clients as described in the next section.

Planned Use

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

Risk Adjustment

No risk adjustment or risk stratification

Target Population

Elderly

Use In Federal Program

Home Health Quality Reporting

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