

CBE ID

1656

Title

TOB-3 Tobacco Use Treatment Provided or Offered at Discharge and the subset measure TOB-3a Tobacco Use Treatment at Discharge

Project

Behavioral Health and Substance Use

Endorsement Status

Endorsement Removed

Is Under Review

No

Previous Endorsement Cycle

Fall 2018

Removal Date

Thu, 06/28/2018 - 20:00

Initial Endorsement

Tue, 03/04/2014 - 05:35

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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 measure is reported as an overall rate which includes all hospitalized patients 18 years of age or older to whom tobacco use treatment was provided, or offered and refused, at the time of hospital discharge, and a second rate, a subset of the first, which includes only those patients who received tobacco use treatment at discharge. Treatment at discharge includes a referral to outpatient counseling and a prescription for one of the FDA-approved tobacco cessation medications.

1.7 Measure Type

Process

1.8 Level of Analysis

Facility, Other

1.9 Care Setting

Hospital, Inpatient/Hospital

1.14 Numerator

TOB-3: The number of patients who received or refused evidence-based outpatient counseling AND received or refused a prescription for FDA-approved cessation medication at discharge
TOB-3a: The number of patients who were referred to evidence-based outpatient counseling AND received a prescription for FDA-approved cessation medication at discharge.

1.15 Denominator

The number of hospitalized inpatients 18 years of age and older identified as current tobacco users

1.20 Types of Data Sources

Electronic Health Records: Electronic Health Records, 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)

Exclusions

There are 12 exclusions to the measure:

- Patients less than 18 years of age
- Patients who are cognitively impaired
- Patients who are not current tobacco users
- Patients who refused or were not screened for tobacco use status during the hospital stay (as tobacco status cannot be known)
- Patients who have a length of stay less than or equal to one day or greater than 120 days
- Patients who expired
- Patients who left against medical advice
- Patients discharged to another hospital
- Patients discharged to another health care facility
- Patients discharged to home for hospice care
- Patients who do not reside in the United States
- Patients with Comfort Measures Only documented

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

Target Population

Elderly

Use In Federal Program

Hospital Compare, Inpatient Psychiatric Facility Quality Reporting

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