

## Section 5.3.4a Additional Validity Testing Results

**Table 4.1.** Correlation Between the ECAT eCQM and Existing Measures of Hospital Quality

Dataset	Expected Relationship	Overall Hospital Quality Star Rating	Hospital Quality Summary Score	Readmission Group Score	Mortality Group Score	Timely & Effective Care Group Score
Dataset A, 2022	Negative	-0.56	-0.73	-0.61	-0.13	-0.54
Dataset B, 2022	Negative	-0.55	-0.53	-0.51	-0.26	-0.35