

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) Quality Improvement Program Measures for Acute Care Hospitals - Fiscal Year (FY) 2019

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Clinical Process of Care Measures (via Chart-Abstraction)																	
ED-1	Median Time from ED Arrival to ED Departure for Admitted ED Patients	0495	Yes	January 1, 2017-December 31, 2017	October 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
ED-2	Admit Decision Time to ED Departure Time for Admitted Patients	0497	Yes	January 1, 2017-December 31, 2017	October 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
IMM-2	Influenza Immunization Note : The IMM-2 measure is collected for all 4 quarters; however, only discharges included in 1st and 4th quarters will be included in the measure calculation. The IMM-2 measure is reported by flu season on CMS's <i>Hospital Compare</i> site.	1659	Yes	January 1, 2017-December 31, 2017	2016-2017 Flu Season: December 2017 2017-2018 Flu Season: December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
PC-01	Elective Delivery Prior to 39 Completed Weeks Gestation	0469	Yes	January 1, 2017-December 31, 2017	October 2018	Yes	Baseline: January 1, 2015 - December 31, 2015 Performance: January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
Sepsis	Severe Sepsis and Septic Shock: Management Bundle (Composite Measure)	0500	Yes	January 1, 2017-December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
VTE-6	Incidence of Potentially Preventable Venous Thromboembolism	N/A	Yes	January 1, 2017-December 31, 2017	October 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
Clinical Process of Care Measures (via Electronic Clinical Quality Measures)																	
AMI-8a	Primary PCI Received Within 90 Minutes of Hospital Arrival	0163	Yes*	Report 4 quarters of data, either quarterly, bi-annually or annually January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	Yes**	Attestation and QRDA*** : January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
CAC-3	Home Management Plan of Care Document Given to Patient/Caregiver	N/A	Yes*	Report 4 quarters of data, either quarterly, bi-annually or annually January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	Yes**	Attestation and QRDA*** : January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
ED-1	Median Time from ED Arrival to ED Departure for Admitted ED Patients	0495	Yes*	Report 4 quarters of data, either quarterly, bi-annually or annually January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	Yes**	Attestation and QRDA*** : January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
ED-2	Admit Decision Time to ED Departure Time for Admitted Patients	0497	Yes*	Report 4 quarters of data, either quarterly, bi-annually or annually January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	Yes**	Attestation and QRDA*** : January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
ED-3	Median Time from ED Arrival to ED Departure for Discharged ED Patients	0496	No	NA	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	Yes**	Attestation and QRDA*** : January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
EHDI-1a	Hearing Screening Prior to Hospital Discharge	1354	Yes*	Report 4 quarters of data, either quarterly, bi-annually or annually January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	Yes**	Attestation and QRDA*** : January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A

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PC-01	Elective Delivery (Collected in aggregate)	0469	Yes*	Report 4 quarters of data, either quarterly, bi-annually or annually January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	Yes**	Attestation and QRDA : January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
PC-05	Exclusive Breast Milk Feeding and the Subset Measure PC-05a Exclusive Breast Milk Feeding Considering Mother's Choice	0480	Yes*	Report 4 quarters of data, either quarterly, bi-annually or annually January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	Yes**	Attestation and QRDA*** : January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
STK-02	Discharged on Antithrombotic Therapy	0435	Yes*	Report 4 quarters of data, either quarterly, bi-annually or annually January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	Yes**	Attestation and QRDA*** : January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
STK-03	Anticoagulation Therapy for Atrial Fibrillation/Flutter	0436	Yes*	Report 4 quarters of data, either quarterly, bi-annually or annually January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	Yes**	Attestation and QRDA*** : January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
STK-05	Antithrombotic Therapy by the End of Hospital Day Two	0438	Yes*	Report 4 quarters of data, either quarterly, bi-annually or annually January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	Yes**	Attestation and QRDA*** : January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
STK-06	Discharged on Statin Medication	0439	Yes*	Report 4 quarters of data, either quarterly, bi-annually or annually January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	Yes**	Attestation and QRDA*** : January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
STK-08	Stroke Education	N/A	Yes*	Report 4 quarters of data, either quarterly, bi-annually or annually January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	Yes**	Attestation and QRDA*** : January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
STK-10	Assessed for Rehabilitation	0441	Yes*	Report 4 quarters of data, either quarterly, bi-annually or annually January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	Yes**	Attestation and QRDA*** : January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
VTE-1	Venous Thromboembolism Prophylaxis	0371	Yes*	Report 4 quarters of data, either quarterly, bi-annually or annually January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	Yes**	Attestation and QRDA*** : January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
VTE-2	Intensive Care Unit Venous Thromboembolism Prophylaxis	0372	Yes*	Report 4 quarters of data, either quarterly, bi-annually or annually January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	Yes**	Attestation and QRDA*** : January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	TBD	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A

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Healthcare-Associated Infection and Patient Safety Measures																	
CLABSI	National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Central Line-Associated Bloodstream Infection (CLABSI) Outcome Measure	0139	Yes	January 1, 2017-December 31, 2017	October 2018	Yes	Baseline: January 1, 2015 - December 31, 2015 Performance: January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	Yes	January 1, 2016 - December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A
CAUTI	National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Catheter-associated Urinary Tract Infection (CAUTI) Outcome Measure	0138	Yes	January 1, 2017-December 31, 2017	October 2018	Yes	Baseline: January 1, 2015 - December 31, 2015 Performance: January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	Yes	January 1, 2016 - December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A
Colon and Abdominal Hysterectomy SSI	American College of Surgeons – Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (ACS-CDC) Harmonized Procedure Specific Surgical Site Infection (SSI) Outcome Measure • Colon Procedures • Hysterectomy Procedures	0753	Yes	January 1, 2017-December 31, 2017	October 2018	Yes	Baseline: January 1, 2015 - December 31, 2015 Performance: January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	Yes	January 1, 2016- December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A
MRSA Bacteremia	National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Facility-wide Inpatient Hospital-onset Methicillin-resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> (MRSA) Bacteremia Outcome Measure	1716	Yes	January 1, 2017-December 31, 2017	October 2018	Yes	Baseline: January 1, 2015 - December 31, 2015 Performance: January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	Yes	January 1, 2016- December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A
CDI	National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Facility-wide Inpatient Hospital-onset <i>Clostridium difficile</i> Infection (CDI) Outcome Measure	1717	Yes	January 1, 2017-December 31, 2017	October 2018	Yes	Baseline: January 1, 2015 - December 31, 2015 Performance: January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	Yes	January 1, 2016 - December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A
HCP	Influenza Vaccination Coverage Among Healthcare Personnel	0431	Yes	October 1, 2016-March 31, 2017	October 2017	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
PSI 4 (PSI/NSI)	Death among Surgical Inpatients with Serious, Treatable Complications	0351	Yes	October 1, 2015 - June 30, 2017	July 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
PSI-90	Patient Safety and Adverse Events Composite Measure	0531	Yes	October 1, 2015 - June 30, 2017	July 2018	Yes	Baseline: July 1, 2011 - June 30, 2013 Performance: July 1, 2015 - June 30, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	Yes	October 1, 2015 - June 30, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A
Outcome Measures																	
MORT-30-AMI	Hospital 30-Day, All-Cause, Risk-Standardized Mortality Rate (RSMR) Following Acute Myocardial Infarction (AMI) Hospitalization	0230	Yes	July 1, 2014-June 30, 2017	July 2018	Yes	Baseline: July 1, 2009 - June 30, 2012 Performance: July 1, 2014 - June 30, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
MORT-30-HF	Hospital 30-Day, All-Cause, Risk-Standardized Mortality Rate (RSMR) Following Heart Failure (HF) Hospitalization	0229	Yes	July 1, 2014-June 30, 2017	July 2018	Yes	Baseline: July 1, 2009 - June 30, 2012 Performance: July 1, 2014 - June 30, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
MORT-30-PN	Hospital 30-Day, All-Cause, Risk-Standardized Mortality Rate Following Pneumonia Hospitalization	0468	Yes	July 1, 2014-June 30, 2017	July 2018	Yes	Baseline: July 1, 2009 - June 30, 2012 Performance: July 1, 2014 - June 30, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
MORT-30-COPD	Hospital 30-Day, All-Cause, Risk-Standardized Mortality Rate (RSMR) Following Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) Hospitalization	1893	Yes	July 1, 2014-June 30, 2017	July 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
MORT-30-STK	Hospital 30-Day, All-Cause, Risk-Standardized Mortality Rate Following Acute Ischemic Stroke	N/A	Yes	July 1, 2014-June 30, 2017	July 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
MORT-30-CABG	Hospital 30-Day, All-Cause, Risk-Standardized Mortality Rate (RSMR) Following Coronary Artery Bypass Graft (CABG) Surgery	2558	Yes	July 1, 2014-June 30, 2017	July 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A

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Hip/Knee Complications	Hospital-Level Risk-Standardized Complication Rate (RSCR) Following Elective Primary Total Hip Arthroplasty (THA) and/or Total Knee Arthroplasty (TKA)	1550	Yes	April 1, 2014-March 31, 2017	July 2018	Yes	Baseline: July 1, 2010 - June 30, 2013 Performance: January 1, 2015 - June 30, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
Coordination of Care Measures																	
READM-30-AMI	Hospital 30-Day All-Cause Risk-Standardized Readmission Rate (RSRR) Following Acute Myocardial Infarction (AMI) Hospitalization	0505	Yes	July 1, 2014-June 30, 2017	July 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	Yes	July 1, 2014- June 30, 2017	December 2018
READM-30-PN	Hospital 30-Day, All-Cause, Risk-Standardized Readmission Rate (RSRR) Following Pneumonia Hospitalization	0506	Yes	July 1, 2014-June 30, 2017	July 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	Yes	July 1, 2014- June 30, 2017	December 2018
READM-30-THA/TKA	Hospital-Level 30-Day, All-Cause Risk-Standardized Readmission Rate (RSRR) Following Elective Primary Total Hip Arthroplasty (THA) and/or Total Knee Arthroplasty (TKA)	1551	Yes	July 1, 2014-June 30, 2017	July 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	Yes	July 1, 2014- June 30, 2017	December 2018
READM-30-HWR	Hospital-Wide All-Cause Unplanned Readmission Measure (HWR)	1789	Yes	July 1, 2015-June 30, 2017	July 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
READM-30-COPD	Hospital 30-Day, All-Cause, Risk-Standardized Readmission Rate (RSRR) Following Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) Hospitalization	1891	Yes	July 1, 2014-June 30, 2017	July 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	Yes	July 1, 2014- June 30, 2017	December 2018
READM-30-STK	30-Day Risk Standardized Readmission Rate Following Stroke Hospitalization	N/A	Yes	July 1, 2014-June 30, 2017	July 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
READM-30-CABG	Hospital 30-Day, All-Cause, Unplanned, Risk-Standardized Readmission Rate (RSRR) Following Coronary Artery Bypass Graft (CABG) Surgery	2515	Yes	July 1, 2014-June 30, 2017	July 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	Yes	July 1, 2014- June 30, 2017	December 2018
AMI Excess Days	Excess Days in Acute Care after Hospitalization for Acute Myocardial Infarction	N/A	Yes	July 1, 2014-June 30, 2017	July 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
HF Excess Days	Excess Days in Acute Care after Hospitalization for Heart Failure	N/A	Yes	July 1, 2014-June 30, 2017	July 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
PN Excess Days	Excess Days in Acute Care after Hospitalization for Pneumonia	N/A	Yes	July 1, 2014 - June 30, 2017	July 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
Cost/Payment Measures																	
MSPB	Payment-Standardized Medicare Spending Per Beneficiary (MSPB)	2158	Yes	January 1, 2017-December 31, 2017	December 2018	Yes	Baseline: January 1, 2015 - December 31, 2015 Performance: January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
AMI Payment	Hospital-Level, Risk-Standardized Payment Associated with a 30-Day Episode-of-Care for Acute Myocardial Infarction (AMI)	2431	Yes	July 1, 2014-June 30, 2017	July 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
HF Payment	Hospital-Level, Risk-Standardized Payment Associated with a 30-Day Episode-of-Care For Heart Failure (HF)	2436	Yes	July 1, 2014-June 30, 2017	July 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
PN Payment	Hospital-Level, Risk-Standardized Payment Associated with a 30-day Episode-of-Care For Pneumonia	2579	Yes	July 1, 2014-June 30, 2017	July 2017	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
THA/TKA Payment	Hospital-Level, Risk-Standardized Payment Associated with an Episode-of-Care for Primary Elective Total Hip Arthroplasty and/or Total Knee Arthroplasty	N/A	Yes	April 1, 2014-March 31, 2017	July 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
Kidney/UTI Payment	Kidney/Urinary Tract Infection Clinical Episode-Based Payment Measure	N/A	Yes	January 1, 2017-December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
Cellulitis Payment	Cellulitis Clinical Episode-Based Payment Measure	N/A	Yes	January 1, 2017-December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A

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GI Payment	Gastrointestinal Hemorrhage Clinical Episode-Based Payment Measure	N/A	Yes	January 1, 2017-December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
AA Payment	Aortic Aneurysm Procedure Clinical Episode-Based Payment Measure	N/A	Yes	January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
Chole and CDE Payment	Cholecystectomy and Common Duct Exploration Clinical Episode-Based Payment Measure	N/A	Yes	January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
SFusion Payment	Spinal Fusion Clinical Episode-Based Payment Measure	N/A	Yes	January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
Structural Measures																	
Patient Safety Culture	Hospital Survey on Patient Safety Culture	N/A	Yes	January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
Safe Surgery Checklist	Safe Surgery Check List Use	N/A	Yes	January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
Patient Experience of Care Survey																	
HCAHPS	Hospital Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems (HCAHPS) Survey + Care Transition Measure (CTM-3)	0166 0228	Yes	January 1, 2017-December 31, 2017	October 2018	Yes	Baseline: January 1, 2015 - December 31, 2015 Performance: January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017	December 2018	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A

Footnotes

(*) A hospital may choose to submit this measure as one of the 8 self-selected eQMs required for the Hospital IQR Program.

(**) A hospital may choose to submit this measure as: either one of the 16 eQMs required for the EHR Incentive Program for attestation in the CMS Registration and Attestation system or one of the 8 self-selected eQMs required for the EHR Incentive Program for submission through the QualityNet Secure Portal.

(***) Per the FY 2017 IPPS rule, there is a 90-day reporting period for EHS and CAHS reporting by attestation and demonstrating meaningful use for the first time. For EHS and CAHS electronically reporting, the reporting period is one full calendar year for those demonstrating meaningful use for the first time or have previously demonstrated meaningful use.

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