

Repeat emergency visits for MHA (within 30 days)

Alternate Name*

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INDICATOR DESCRIPTION

Description*

Proportion of unscheduled emergency department visits for care for MH conditions with a second unscheduled emergency department visit for MH or substance abuse within 30 days

HQO Reporting tool/product

Ontario Health Teams: Quality

Dimension*

Patient-centred

Type*

Process

DEFINITION AND SOURCE INFORMATION

Unit of Measurement*

Number of visits

Calculation Methods*

NA

Numerator (short description i.e. not inclusions/exclusions)*

Presence of 1 or more unscheduled ED visits for mental health conditions or substance abuse within 30 days of the index visit (see denominator)

Denominator (short description i.e. not inclusions/exclusions)*

All unscheduled ED visits for mental health conditions ((Primary diagnosis field = F06-F99 or secondary diagnosis fields = X60-X84, Y10-Y19, Y28 when primary diagnosis is not F06-F99, and excluding substance abuse, ICD-10 F10-F19) in the reporting period

Adjustment (risk, age/sex standardization)- generalized

NA

Data Source

National Ambulatory Care Reporting System (NACRS)

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OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION

Caveats and Limitations

A lower value (%) is desirable for this indicator

TAGS

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Ontario Health Team

Process

Mental Health and Addiction

Patient-centred

National Ambulatory Care Reporting System (NACRS)

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