

Hospital readmission rate for primary care patient population QIP (Retired)

Alternate Name*

Hospital readmission rate for primary care patient population within 30 days QIP

INDICATOR DESCRIPTION

Description*

Percentage of patients who were discharged in a given period for a condition within selected HBAM Inpatient Grouper HIGs and had a non-elective hospital readmission within 30 days of discharge, by primary care practice model.

Readmission for patients with an acute inpatient hospital stay for:

- Acute Myocardial Infarction
- Cardiac conditions (excluding heart attack)
- Congestive heart failure
- Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease
- Pneumonia
- Diabetes
- Stroke
- Gastrointestinal disease

who after discharge have a subsequent non-elective readmission within 30 days

HQO Reporting tool/product

Quality Improvement Plans (QIPs)

Dimension*

Effective

Type*

Outcome

DEFINITION AND SOURCE INFORMATION

Unit of Measurement*

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Percentage

Calculation Methods*

The percentage is calculated as: numerator divided by denominator times 100.

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

Total number of enrolled patients with a hospital readmission in a given time period within 30 days after a discharge for selected HIGs.

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

Total number of enrolled patients who were discharged for a selected condition (based on HIG) in a given time period.

Adjustment (risk, age/sex standardization)- generalized

None

Data Source

Client Agency Program Data (CAPE)

Corporate Provider Database (CPDB)

Discharge Abstract Database (DAD)

Data provided to HQO by

Local data collection

Reported Levels of comparability /stratifications (defined)

Time

Institution

Region

OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION

Caveats and Limitations

All numbers used for calculations are as reported by hospitals. The information is from each hospital and the assignment to a LHIN is based on the postal code of the primary care group practice primary address. Cells based on counts between 1 and 5 have to be suppressed.

Comments Summary

This is a QIP additional indicator for 2018/19. QIP Current performance reporting period: April 2016 - March 2017 This indicator was retired in the 2019/20 QIP.

TAGS

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Primary Care

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