

Percentage of patients with diabetes up-to-date with a retinal examination

Alternate Name*

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INDICATOR DESCRIPTION

Description*

Percentage of diabetic patients aged 40 years and older who have had at least one retinal exam with an ophthalmologist or optometrist in the past 24 months

HQO Reporting tool/product

Personalized/Custom Reports (includes Practice Reports)

Dimension*

Effective

Type*

Process

DEFINITION AND SOURCE INFORMATION

Unit of Measurement*

Percentage

Calculation Methods*

Numerator/ Denominator * 100

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

Number of diabetic patients aged 40 years and older who have had at least one retinal exam with an ophthalmologist or optometrist in the past 24 months

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

Total number of diabetic patients aged 40 years and older

Data Source

Ontario Drug Benefit (ODB)
Ontario Health Insurance Plan (OHIP) Claims History Database
Registered Persons Database (RPDB)
Discharge Abstract Database (DAD)
Ontario Diabetes Database (ODD)

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<http://indicatorlibrary.hqontario.ca/Indicator/Summary/Percentage-patients-diabetes-retinal-examination/EN>

Data provided to HQO by

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OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION

Caveats and Limitations

ODD does not differentiate between Type I and II cases. Only includes retinal eye exams where a fee-for-service claim was submitted. Exams that were paid out-of-pocket by the patient are not included. Some providers (i.e. ophthalmologists in alternate payment plans) may not submit claims. The percent of patients receiving exams may be underestimated in areas where there are a larger proportion of non FFS providers conducting retinal eye exams

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Primary Care
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