Claims-Based Quality Measures

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Year 1 Quality Measures

- DM-1: HbA1c Management
 - Percentage of patients with one or more A1c test(s)
- DM-2: HbA1c Management
 - Percentage of patients with most recent A1c level > 9.0% (poor control)
- DM-3: Blood Pressure Management
 - Percentage of patients with most recent BP M 140/90 mm Hg
- DM-4: Lipid Measurement
 - Percentage of patients with at least one low-density lipoprotein (LDL) cholesterol test
- DM-5: LDL Cholesterol Level
 - Percentage of patients with most recent LDL cholesterol < 130 mg/dl
- DM-6: Urine Protein Testing
 - Percentage of patients with at least one test for microalbunim during the measurement year; or who had evidence of medical attention for existing nephropathy (diagnosis of nephropathy or document of microalbuminuria or albuminuria)

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DM-8: Foot Exam

Percent of eligible patients receiving at least one complete foot exam (visual inspection, sensory exam with monofilament, and pulse exam).

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Year 2 Quality Measures

CAD-1: Antiplatelet Therapy HF-1: Left Ventricular Function

(LVF) Assessment

CAD-2: Drug Therapy for Lowering LDL HF-2: Left Ventricular Ejection

Cholesterol Fraction Testing

CAD-3: Beta Blocker Therapy – Prior MI HF-3: Weight Measurement

CAD-4: Blood Pressure HF-4: Blood Pressure Screening

CAD-5: Lipid Profile HF-5: Patient Education

CAD-6: LDL Cholesterol Level HF-6: Beta-Blocker Therapy

CAD-7: ACE Inhibitor Therapy HF-7: ACE Inhibitor Therapy

PC-7: Influenza Vaccination for HF HF-8: Warfarin Therapy for Patients

patients. with Atrial Fibrillation

PC-8: Pneumonia Vaccination for HF patients

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Year 3 Quality Measures

HTN-1: Blood Pressure Screening

HTN-2: Blood Pressure Control

HTN-3: Plan of Care

PC-5: Breast Cancer Screening

PC-6: Colorectal Cancer Screening