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Measures Groups

- Choose 1 Measures Group
- Report on a minimum of 20 eligible patients (at least 11 must be Medicare Part B FFS patients)

Cardiovascular Prevention Measures Group

#130: Documentation of Current Medications in the Medical Record
#204: Ischemic Vascular Disease (IVD): Use of Aspirin or Another Antithrombotic
#226: Preventive Care and Screening: Tobacco Use: Screening and Cessation Intervention
#236: Controlling High Blood Pressure
#317: Preventive Care and Screening: Screening for High Blood Pressure and Follow-Up Documented
#438: Statin Therapy for the Prevention and Treatment of Cardiovascular Disease

Preventive Care Measures Group

#39: Screening for Osteoporosis for Women Aged 65 - 85 Years of Age
#48: Urinary Incontinence: Assessment of Presence or Absence of Urinary Incontinence in Women Aged 65 Years and Older
#110: Preventive Care and Screening: Influenza Immunization
#111: Pneumonia Vaccination Status for Older Adults
#112: Breast Cancer Screening
#113: Colorectal Cancer Screening
#128: Preventive Care and Screening: Body Mass Index (BMI) Screening and Follow-Up Plan
#134: Preventive Care and Screening: Screening for Clinical Depression and Follow-Up Plan
#226: Preventive Care and Screening: Tobacco Use: Screening and Cessation Intervention
#431: Preventive Care and Screening: Unhealthy Alcohol Use: Screening & Brief Counseling

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Hepatitis C Measures Group

#84: Hepatitis C: Ribonucleic Acid (RNA) Testing Before Initiating Treatment
#85: Hepatitis C: HCV Genotype Testing Prior to Treatment
#87: Hepatitis C: Hepatitis C Virus (HCV) Ribonucleic Acid (RNA) Testing Between 4-12 Weeks After Initiation of Treatment
#130: Documentation of Current Medications in the Medical Record
#183: Hepatitis C: Hepatitis A Vaccination
#226: Preventive Care and Screening: Tobacco Use: Screening and Cessation Intervention
#390: Hepatitis C: Discussion and Shared Decision Making Surrounding Treatment Options
#401: Hepatitis C: Screening for Hepatocellular Carcinoma (HCC) in Patients with Cirrhosis

Inflammatory Bowel Disease (IBD) Measures Group

#110: Preventive Care and Screening: Influenza Immunization
#111: Pneumonia Vaccination Status for Older Adults
#226: Preventive Care and Screening: Tobacco Use: Screening and Cessation Intervention
#270: Inflammatory Bowel Disease (IBD): Preventive Care: Corticosteroid Sparing Therapy
#271: Inflammatory Bowel Disease (IBD): Preventive Care: Corticosteroid Related Iatrogenic Injury – Bone Loss Assessment
#274: Inflammatory Bowel Disease (IBD): Testing for Latent Tuberculosis (TB) Before Initiating Anti-TNF (Tumor Necrosis Factor) Therapy
#275: Inflammatory Bowel Disease (IBD): Assessment of Hepatitis B Virus (HBV) Status Before Initiating Anti-TNF (Tumor Necrosis Factor) Therapy

Individual Measures

- Report on 9 measures across 3 NQS domains
  OR
- Report on at least 1 MAV Cluster if less than 9 measures across 3 NQS domains apply
- Report on at least 50% of the eligible Medicare Part B FFS patients for each measure
- Included at least 1 cross-cutting measure CC

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Measures by NQS Domain:

Effective Clinical Care

#1: Diabetes: Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control

#5: Heart Failure (HF): Angiotensin-Converting Enzyme (ACE) Inhibitor or Angiotensin Receptor Blocker (ARB) Therapy for Left Ventricular Systolic Dysfunction (LVSD)

#41: Osteoporosis: Pharmacologic Therapy for Men and Women Aged 50 Years and Older

#112: Breast Cancer Screening

#113: Colorectal Cancer Screening

#117: Diabetes: Eye Exam

#204: Ischemic Vascular Disease (IVD): Use of Aspirin or Another Antithrombotic

#236: Controlling High Blood Pressure

#326: Atrial Fibrillation and Atrial Flutter: Chronic Anticoagulation Therapy

#337: Tuberculosis Prevention for Psoriasis, Psoriatic Arthritis and Rheumatoid Arthritis Patients On a Biological Immune Response Modifier

#343: Screening Colonoscopy Adenoma Detection Rate Measure

#387: Annual Hepatitis C Virus (HCV) Screening for Patients who are Active Injection Drug Users

#398: Optimal Asthma Control

#400: One-Time Screening for Hepatitis C Virus (HCV) for Patients at Risk

#418: Osteoporosis Management in Women Who Had a Fracture

#438: Statin Therapy for the Prevention and Treatment of Cardiovascular Disease

Communication and Care Coordination

#155: Falls: Plan of Care

#391: Follow-up After Hospitalization for Mental Illness (FUH)

Efficiency and Cost Reduction

#65: Appropriate Treatment for Children with Upper Respiratory Infection (URI)

#66: Appropriate Testing for Children with Pharyngitis

#93: Acute Otitis Externa (AOE): Systemic Antimicrobial Therapy – Avoidance of Inappropriate Use

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#116: Antibiotic Treatment for Adults with Acute Bronchitis: Avoidance of Inappropriate Use
#331: Adult Sinusitis: Antibiotic Prescribed for Acute Sinusitis (Overuse)
#332: Adult Sinusitis: Appropriate Choice of Antibiotic: Amoxicillin With or Without Clavulanate Prescribed for Patients with Acute Bacterial Sinusitis (Appropriate Use)
#333: Adult Sinusitis: Computerized Tomography (CT) for Acute Sinusitis (Overuse)
#334: Adult Sinusitis: More than One Computerized Tomography (CT) Scan Within 90 Days for Chronic Sinusitis (Overuse)

Person and Caregiver-Centered Experience and Outcomes

#50: Urinary Incontinence: Plan of Care for Urinary Incontinence in Women Aged 65 Years and Older
#342: Pain Brought Under Control Within 48 Hours
#390: Hepatitis C: Discussion and Shared Decision Making Surrounding Treatment Options

Patient Safety

#154: Falls: Risk Assessment
#181: Elder Maltreatment Screen and Follow-Up Plan
#383: Adherence to Antipsychotic Medications for Individuals with Schizophrenia

Community/Population Health

#317: Preventive Care and Screening: Screening for High Blood Pressure and Follow-Up Documented
#394: Immunizations for Adolescents
#402: Tobacco Use and Help with Quitting Among Adolescents

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MAV Clusters:

Cluster 41: General Care
#130: Documentation of Current Medications in the Medical Record
#134: Preventive Care and Screening: Screening for Clinical Depression and Follow-Up Plan
#226: Preventive Care and Screening: Tobacco Use: Screening and Cessation Intervention

Cluster 43: Immunization Care
#110: Preventive Care and Screening: Influenza Immunization
#111: Pneumonia Vaccination Status for Older Adults

Note: If you report less than 9 measures across 3 domains, you will be subjected to the Measure Applicability Validation (MAV) process to determine if any additional clinically related measures should have been reported.