List of Core Measures

Core Measures, Data Sources, and Availability for Select Groups

Measure	Data source	Black	Hispanic	Asian or API	AI/AN	Poor
Quality						
Women age 40 and over who reported they had a mammogram within the past 2 years	NHIS	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔
Breast cancer incidence per 100,000 women age 40 and over diagnosed at advanced stage	SEER	✔	✔	✔	✔	
Breast cancer deaths per 100,000 female population per year	NVSS-M	✔	✔	✔	✔	
Adults age 50 and over who received a colonoscopy, sigmoidoscopy, proctoscopy, or fecal occult blood test	NHIS	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔
Colorectal cancer diagnosed at advanced stage per 100,000 population age 50 and over	SEER	✔	✔	✔	✔	
Colorectal cancer deaths per 100,000 population per year	NVSS-M	✔	✔	✔	✔	
Adults age 40 and over with diabetes who received all three exams in the calender year: hemoglobin A1c measurement, dialated eye examination, and foot examination	MEPS	✔	✔			✔
Adult dialysis patients registered on a waiting list for transplantation	USRDS	✔	✔	✔	✔	
Hemodialysis patients with adequate dialysis	ESRD CPMP	✔	✔	✔	✔	
Hospital care for heart attack patients	QIO	✔	✔	✔	✔	
Hospital care for heart failure patients	QIO	✔	✔	✔	✔	
Deaths per 1,000 adult hospital admissions with acute myocardial infarction	HCUP	✔	✔	✔		✔
New AIDS cases per 100,000 population ages 13 and over	CDC AIDS Surveillance	✔	✔	✔	✔	
Children ages 19-35 months who received all recommended vaccines	NIS	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔

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Children ages 2-17 for whom a health provider gave advice about physical activity	MEPS	✔	✔	✔		✔
Children ages 3-6 who had their vision checked by a health provider	MEPS	✔	✔			✔
Children ages 2-17 who received advice about healthy eating	MEPS	✔	✔	✔		✔
Children ages 2-17 who had a dental visit in the past year	MEPS	✔	✔	✔		✔
Suicide deaths per 100,000 population	NVSS-M	✔	✔		✔	
Adults with a major depressive episode who received treatment for depression	NSDUH	✔	✔			✔
People age 12 and over who needed treatment for illicit drug use or alcohol problem and who received such treatment at a specialty facility	NSDUH	✔	✔		✔	✔
Adult smokers who received advice to quit smoking	MEPS	✔	✔			✔
Adults with obesity who received advice to exercise more	MEPS	✔	✔			✔
Adults with obesity who received advice about healthy eating	MEPS	✔	✔			✔
Adults age 65 and over who ever received pneumococcal vaccination	NHIS	✔	✔	✔		✔
Hospital care for pneumonia patients	QIO	✔	✔	✔	✔	
Patients with tuberculosis who completed a curative course of treatment within 1 year of initiation of treatment	CDC TB Surveillance	✔	✔	✔	✔	
Older women screened for osteoporosis	MCBS	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔
Long-stay nursing home residents with physical restraints	CMS MDS	✔	✔	✔	✔	
High-risk long-stay nursing home residents with pressure sores	CMS MDS	✔	✔	✔	✔	
Short-stay nursing home residents with pressure sores	CMS MDS	✔	✔	✔	✔	
Adult home health care patients whose ability to walk or move around improved	OASIS	✔	✔	✔	✔	
Adult home health care patients who were admitted to the hospital	OASIS	✔	✔	✔	✔	
Adult surgery patients with postoperative pneumonia or venous thromboembolic event	MPSMS	✔				
Adult surgery patients who received appropriate timing of antibiotics	QIO	✔	✔	✔	✔	

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Bloodstream infections or mechanical adverse events associated with central venous catheter placements	MPSMS	✔				
Deaths per 1,000 discharges following complications of care	HCUP	✔	✔	✔		✔
Adults age 65 and over who received potentially inappropriate prescription medications	MEPS	✔	✔			✔
Adults who sometimes or never got care for illness or injury as soon as wanted	MEPS	✔	✔	✔		✔
Emergency department visits in which patients left without being seen	NHAMCS	✔		✔		
Adults whose health providers sometimes or never listened carefully, explained things clearly, respected what they had to say, and spent enough time with them	MEPS	✔	✔	✔		✔
Children whose health providers sometimes or never listened carefully, explained things clearly, respected what they or their parents had to say, and spent enough time with them	MEPS	✔	✔	✔		✔
Access						
People under age 65 with health insurance	NHIS	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔
People under age 65 who were uninsured all year	MEPS	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔
People with a specific source of ongoing care	NHIS	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔
People with a usual primary care provider	MEPS	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔
People without a usual source of care who indicated a financial or insurance reason for not having a source of care	MEPS	✔	✔	✔		✔
People who were unable to get or delayed in getting needed care	MEPS	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔

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