Percutaneous Coronary Intervention (PCI) Mortality Rate

Inpatient Quality Indicators #30
Technical Specifications
Provider-Level Indicator
Procedure Mortality Indicator
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Numerator

Number of deaths (DISP=20) among cases meeting the inclusion and exclusion rules for the denominator.

Denominator

Discharges, age 40 years and older, with an ICD-9-CM PCI procedure code.

ICD-9-CM PCI procedure codes[1]:

0066	PTCA	*3602*	*PTCA-1 VESSEL WITH AGNT*
3601	*PTCA-1 VESSEL W/O AGENT*	*3605*	*PTCA-MULTIPLE VESSEL*

[1] Italicized codes are not active in the current fiscal year.

Exclude cases:
- MDC 14 (pregnancy, childbirth, and puerperium)
- transferring to another short-term hospital (DISP=2)
- with missing discharge disposition (DISP=missing), gender (SEX=missing), age (AGE=missing), quarter (DQTR=missing), year (YEAR=missing) or principal diagnosis (DX1=missing)