

2016 PQRS

Recommended Measures for: Neurosurgery



Measures Groups

There are no recommended measures groups for Nuerosurgery.

Individual Measures

Reporting Requirements:

- Report 9 measures across 3 National Quality Strategy (NQS) domains
- For each measure, report the quality action performed for at least 50% of the Medicare Part B FFS patients who are eligible for the measure.
- Include at least 1 cross-cutting measure **CC**
- The numerator requirement must be met at least once for each reported measure.

Measures by Quality Domain

Communication and Care Coordination

#46: Medication Reconciliation **CC**

#47: Care Plan **CC**

Community/Population Health

#110: Preventive Care and Screening: Influenza Immunization **CC**

#111: Pneumonia Vaccination Status for Older Adults **CC**

#128: Preventive Care and Screening: Body Mass Index (BMI) Screening and Follow-Up Plan **CC**

#134: Preventive Care and Screening: Screening for Clinical Depression and Follow-Up Plan **CC**

#226: Preventive Care and Screening: Tobacco Use: Screening and Cessation Intervention **CC**

Patient Safety

#21: Perioperative Care: Selection of Prophylactic Antibiotic – First OR Second Generation Cephalosporin

#22: Perioperative Care: Discontinuation of Prophylactic Parenteral Antibiotics (Non-Cardiac Procedures)

#23: Perioperative Care: Venous Thromboembolism (VTE) Prophylaxis (When Indicated in ALL Patients)

#130: Documentation of Current Medications in the Medical Record **CC**

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Person and Caregiver-Centered Experience and Outcomes

#358: Patient-Centered Surgical Risk Assessment and Communication

Measures Applicability Validation (MAV) Clusters

View the [2016 PQRS MAV Process for Registry-Based Reporting of Individual Measures](#) for more details.

Cluster 20: Perioperative Care

#21: Perioperative Care: Selection of Prophylactic Antibiotic – First OR Second Generation Cephalosporin

#22: Perioperative Care: Discontinuation of Prophylactic Parenteral Antibiotics (Non-Cardiac Procedures)

#23: Perioperative Care: Venous Thromboembolism (VTE) Prophylaxis (When Indicated in ALL Patients)

Cluster 41: General Care

#130: Documentation of Current Medications in the Medical Record **CC**

#134: Preventive Care and Screening: Screening for Clinical Depression and Follow-Up Plan **CC**

#226: Preventive Care and Screening: Tobacco Use: Screening and Cessation Intervention **CC**

Cluster 43: Immunization Care

#110: Preventive Care and Screening: Influenza Immunization **CC**

#111: Pneumonia Vaccination Status for Older Adults **CC**

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