

# 2016 PQRS

## Recommended Measures for: Orthopedics

### Measures Groups

#### **Reporting Requirements:**

- Choose one (1) Measures Group
- Report on a minimum of 20 eligible patients (at least 11 must be Medicare Part B FFS patients)
- The numerator requirement must be met at least once for each reported measure

#### **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

#### **Rheumatoid Arthritis (RA)**

- #108: Rheumatoid Arthritis (RA): Disease Modifying Anti-Rheumatic Drug (DMARD) Therapy
- #128: Preventive Care and Screening: Body Mass Index (BMI) Screening and Follow-Up Plan
- #131: Pain Assessment and Follow-Up
- #176: Rheumatoid Arthritis (RA): Tuberculosis Screening
- #177: Rheumatoid Arthritis (RA): Periodic Assessment of Disease Activity
- #178: Rheumatoid Arthritis (RA): Functional Status Assessment
- #179: Rheumatoid Arthritis (RA): Assessment and Classification of Disease Prognosis
- #180: Rheumatoid Arthritis (RA): Glucocorticoid Management

#### **Total Knee Replacement**

- #130: Documentation of Current Medications in the Medical Record
- #226: Preventive Care and Screening: Tobacco Use: Screening and Cessation Intervention
- #350: Total Knee Replacement: Shared Decision-Making: Trial of Conservative (Non-surgical) Therapy
- #351: Total Knee Replacement: Venous Thromboembolic and Cardiovascular Risk Evaluation
- #352: Total Knee Replacement: Preoperative Antibiotic Infusion with Proximal Tourniquet
- #353: Total Knee Replacement: Identification of Implanted Prosthesis in Operative Report

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### 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**

- #24: Communication with the Physician or Other Clinician Managing On-going Care Post-Fracture for Men and Women Aged 50 Years and Older
- #46: Medication Reconciliation Post-Discharge **CC**
- #131: Pain Assessment and Follow-Up **CC**
- #217: Functional Deficit: Change in Risk-Adjusted Functional Status for Patients with Knee Impairments
- #218: Functional Deficit: Change in Risk-Adjusted Functional Status for Patients with Hip Impairments
- #219: Functional Deficit: Change in Risk-Adjusted Functional Status for Patients with Lower Leg, Foot or Ankle Impairments
- #220: Functional Deficit: Change in Risk-Adjusted Functional Status for Patients with Lumbar Spine Impairments
- #221: Functional Deficit: Change in Risk-Adjusted Functional Status for Patients with Shoulder Impairments
- #222: Functional Deficit: Change in Risk-Adjusted Functional Status for Patients with Elbow, Wrist or Hand Impairments
- #223: Functional Deficit: Change in Risk-Adjusted Functional Status for Patients with Neck, Cranium, Mandible, Thoracic Spine, Ribs, or Other General Orthopedic Impairments

#### **Community/Population Health**

- #110: Preventive Care and Screening: Influenza Immunization **CC**
- #226: Preventive Care and Screening: Tobacco Use: Screening and Cessation Intervention **CC**
- #402: Tobacco Use and Help with Quitting Among Adolescents **CC**

#### **Effective Clinical Care**

- #39: Screening for Osteoporosis for Women Aged 65-85 Years of Age
- #418: Osteoporosis Management in Women Who Had a Fracture

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### 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**

### Person and Caregiver-Centered Experience and Outcomes

- #109: Osteoarthritis (OA): Function and Pain Assessment

### Measures Applicability Validation (MAV) Clusters

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

### Cluster 8: Osteoporosis Care

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- #130: Documentation of Current Medications in the Medical Record **CC**
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### Cluster 31: Functional Care

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- #430: Prevention of Post-Operative Nausea and Vomiting (PONV) – Combination Therapy

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