

**TABLE 3: Proposed Clinical Quality Measures for Electronic Submission by Medicare or Medicaid Eligible Professionals for the 2011 and 2012 Payment Year**

Measure Number	Clinical Quality Measure Title & Description	Clinical Quality Measure Developer & Contact Information	Electronic Measure Specifications Information	Core/Specialty Measure Group
PQRI 1 NQF 0059	<b>Title:</b> Diabetes Mellitus: Hemoglobin A1c Poor Control in Diabetes Mellitus <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 through 75 years with diabetes mellitus who had most recent hemoglobin A1c greater than 9.0%	<b>National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA)</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>	<a href="http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PQRI/20_AlternativeReportingMechanisms.asp#TopOfPage">http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PQRI/20_AlternativeReportingMechanisms.asp#TopOfPage</a>	Endocrinology, Primary Care
PQRI 2 NQF 0064	<b>Title:</b> Diabetes Mellitus: Low Density Lipoprotein (LDL-C) Control in Diabetes Mellitus <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 through 75 years with diabetes mellitus who had most recent LDL-C level in control (less than 100 mg/dl)	<b>NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>	<a href="http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PQRI/20_AlternativeReportingMechanisms.asp#TopOfPage">http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PQRI/20_AlternativeReportingMechanisms.asp#TopOfPage</a>	Endocrinology
PQRI 3 NQF 0061	<b>Title:</b> Diabetes Mellitus: High Blood Pressure Control in Diabetes Mellitus <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 through 75 years with diabetes mellitus who had most recent blood pressure in control (less than 140/80 mmHg)	<b>NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>	<a href="http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PQRI/20_AlternativeReportingMechanisms.asp#TopOfPage">http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PQRI/20_AlternativeReportingMechanisms.asp#TopOfPage</a>	Endocrinology
PQRI 5 NQF 0081	<b>Title:</b> Heart Failure: Angiotensin-Converting Enzyme (ACE) Inhibitor or Angiotensin Receptor Blocker (ARB) Therapy for Left Ventricular Systolic Dysfunction (LVSD) <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of heart failure and LVSD who were prescribed ACE inhibitor or ARB therapy	<b>American Medical Association-sponsored Physician Consortium for Performance Improvement (AMA-PCPI)</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>	<a href="http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PQRI/20_AlternativeReportingMechanisms.asp#TopOfPage">http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PQRI/20_AlternativeReportingMechanisms.asp#TopOfPage</a>	Cardiology
PQRI 7 NQF 0070	<b>Title:</b> Coronary Artery Disease (CAD): Beta-Blocker Therapy for CAD Patients with Prior Myocardial Infarction (MI) <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of CAD and prior MI who were prescribed beta-blocker therapy	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>	<a href="http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PQRI/20_AlternativeReportingMechanisms.asp#TopOfPage">http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PQRI/20_AlternativeReportingMechanisms.asp#TopOfPage</a>	Cardiology
PQRI 110 NQF 0041	<b>Title:</b> Preventive Care and Screening: Influenza Immunization for Patients ≥ 50 Years Old <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 50 years and older who received an influenza immunization during the flu season (September through February)	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>	<a href="http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PQRI/20_AlternativeReportingMechanisms.asp#TopOfPage">http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PQRI/20_AlternativeReportingMechanisms.asp#TopOfPage</a>	Primary Care

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PQRI 111 NQF 0043	<b>Title:</b> Preventive Care and Screening: Pneumonia Vaccination for Patients 65 Years and Older <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 65 years and older who have ever received a pneumococcal vaccine	NCQA <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>	<a href="http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PQRI/20_AlternativeReportingMechanisms.asp#TopOfPage">http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PQRI/20_AlternativeReportingMechanisms.asp#TopOfPage</a>	Pulmonology
PQRI 112 NQF 0031	<b>Title:</b> Preventive Care and Screening: Screening Mammography <b>Description:</b> Percentage of women aged 40 through 69 years who had a mammogram to screen for breast cancer within 24 months	NCQA <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>	<a href="http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PQRI/20_AlternativeReportingMechanisms.asp#TopOfPage">http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PQRI/20_AlternativeReportingMechanisms.asp#TopOfPage</a>	Oncology, Primary Care, Obstetrics and Gynecology
PQRI 113 NQF 0034	<b>Title:</b> Preventive Care and Screening: Colorectal Cancer Screening <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 50 through 80 years who received the appropriate colorectal cancer screening	NCQA <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>	<a href="http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PQRI/20_AlternativeReportingMechanisms.asp#TopOfPage">http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PQRI/20_AlternativeReportingMechanisms.asp#TopOfPage</a>	Oncology, Primary Care, Gastroenterology
PQRI 6 NQF 0067	<b>Title:</b> Coronary Artery Disease (CAD): Oral Antiplatelet Therapy Prescribed for Patients with CAD <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of CAD who were prescribed oral antiplatelet therapy	AMA-PCPI <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Cardiology
PQRI 8 NQF 0083	<b>Title:</b> Heart Failure: Beta-Blocker Therapy for Left Ventricular Systolic Dysfunction (LVSD) <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of heart failure who also have LVSD and who were prescribed beta-blocker therapy	AMA-PCPI <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Cardiology
PQRI 9 NQF 0105	<b>Title:</b> Major Depressive Disorder (MDD): Antidepressant Medication During Acute Phase for Patients with MDD <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older diagnosed with new episode of MDD and documented as treated with antidepressant medication during the entire 84-day (12-week) acute treatment phase	NCQA <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Psychiatry

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PQRI 10 NQF 0246	<b>Title:</b> Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Computed Tomography (CT) or Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) Reports <b>Description:</b> Percentage of final reports for CT or MRI studies of the brain performed within 24 hours of arrival to the hospital for patients aged 18 years and older with either a diagnosis of ischemic stroke or transient ischemic attack (TIA) or intracranial hemorrhage or at least one documented symptom consistent with ischemic stroke or TIA or intracranial hemorrhage that includes documentation of the presence or absence or each of the following: hemorrhage and mass lesion and acute infarction.	<b>AMA-PCPI/NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Radiology
PQRI 12 NQF 0086	<b>Title:</b> Primary Open Angle Glaucoma (POAG): Optic Nerve Evaluation <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of POAG who have an optic nerve head evaluation during one or more office visits within 12 months	<b>AMA-PCPI/NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Ophthalmology
PQRI 18 NQF 0088	<b>Title:</b> Diabetic Retinopathy: Documentation of Presence or Absence of Macular Edema and Level of Severity of Retinopathy <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of diabetic retinopathy who had a dilated macular or fundus exam performed which included documentation of the level of severity of retinopathy and the presence or absence of macular edema during one or more office visits within 12 months	<b>AMA-PCPI/NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Ophthalmology
PQRI 19 NQF 0089	<b>Title:</b> Diabetic Retinopathy: Communication with the Physician Managing On-going Diabetes Care <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of diabetic retinopathy who had a dilated macular or fundus exam performed with documented communication to the physician who manages the on-going care of the patient with diabetes mellitus regarding the findings of the macular or fundus exam at least once within 12 months	<b>AMA-PCPI/NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Ophthalmology

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PQRI 20 NQF 0270	<b>Title:</b> Perioperative Care: Timing of Antibiotic Prophylaxis – Ordering Physician <b>Description:</b> Percentage of surgical patients aged 18 years and older undergoing procedures with the indications for prophylactic parenteral antibiotics, who have an order for prophylactic antibiotic to be given within one hour (if fluoroquinolone or vancomycin, two hours), prior to the surgical incision (or start of procedure when no incision is required)	<b>AMA-PCPI/NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Proceduralists/Surgery
PQRI 21 NQF 0268	<b>Title:</b> Perioperative Care: Selection of Prophylactic Antibiotic – First OR Second Generation Cephalosporin <b>Description:</b> Percentage of surgical patients aged 18 years and older undergoing procedures with the indications for a first OR second generation cephalosporin prophylactic antibiotic, who had an order for cefazolin OR cefuroxime for antimicrobial prophylaxis	<b>AMA-PCPI/NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Proceduralists/Surgery
PQRI 22 NQF 0271	<b>Title:</b> Perioperative Care: Discontinuation of Prophylactic Antibiotics (Non-Cardiac Procedures) <b>Description:</b> Percentage of non-cardiac surgical patients aged 18 years and older undergoing procedures with the indications for prophylactic antibiotics AND who received a prophylactic antibiotic, who have an order for discontinuation of prophylactic antibiotics within 24 hours of surgical end time	<b>AMA-PCPI/NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Proceduralists/Surgery
PQRI 23 NQF 0239	<b>Title:</b> Perioperative Care: Venous Thromboembolism (VTE) Prophylaxis (When Indicated in ALL Patients) <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older undergoing procedures for which VTE prophylaxis is indicated in all patients, who had an order for Low Molecular Weight Heparin (LMWH), Low-Dose Unfractionated Heparin (LDUH), adjusted-dose warfarin, fondaparinux or mechanical prophylaxis to be given within 24 hours prior to incision time or within 24 hours after surgery end time	<b>AMA-PCPI/NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Proceduralists/Surgery
PQRI 33 NQF 0241	<b>Title:</b> Stroke and Stroke Rehabilitation: Anticoagulant Therapy Prescribed for Atrial Fibrillation at Discharge <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of ischemic stroke or transient ischemic attack (TIA) with documented permanent, persistent, or paroxysmal atrial fibrillation who were prescribed an anticoagulant at discharge	<b>AMA-PCPI/NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Neurology

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PQRI 52 NQF 0102	<b>Title:</b> Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD): Bronchodilator Therapy <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of COPD and who have an FEV1/FVC less than 70% and have symptoms who were prescribed an inhaled bronchodilator	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Pulmonology
PQRI 53 NQF 0047	<b>Title:</b> Asthma: Pharmacologic Therapy <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 5 through 40 years with a diagnosis of mild, moderate, or severe persistent asthma who were prescribed either the preferred long-term control medication (inhaled corticosteroid) or an acceptable alternative treatment	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Pulmonology
PQRI 65 NQF 0069	<b>Title:</b> Treatment for Children with Upper Respiratory Infection (URI): Avoidance of Inappropriate Use <b>Description:</b> Percentage of children aged 3 months through 18 years with a diagnosis of URI who were <u>not prescribed or dispensed</u> an antibiotic prescription on or within 3 days of the initial date of service	<b>NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Primary Care
PQRI 66 NQF 0002	<b>Title:</b> Appropriate Testing for Children with Pharyngitis <b>Description:</b> Percentage of children aged 2 through 18 years with a diagnosis of pharyngitis, who were prescribed an antibiotic and who received a group A streptococcus (strep) test for the episode	<b>NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Pediatrics, Primary Care
PQRI 71 NQF 0387	<b>Title:</b> Breast Cancer: Hormonal Therapy for Stage IC-IIIC Estrogen Receptor/Progesterone Receptor (ER/PR) Positive Breast Cancer <b>Description:</b> Percentage of female patients aged 18 years and older with Stage IC through IIIC, ER or PR positive breast cancer who were prescribed tamoxifen or aromatase inhibitor (AI) during the 12-month reporting period	<b>AMA-PCPI/American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO)-National Comprehensive Cancer Network (NCCN):</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a> <a href="http://www.asco.org/">http://www.asco.org/</a>		Oncology
PQRI 72 NQF 0385	<b>Title:</b> Colon Cancer: Chemotherapy for Stage III Colon Cancer Patients <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with Stage IIIA through IIIC colon cancer who are referred for adjuvant, prescribed adjuvant chemotherapy, or have previously received adjuvant chemotherapy within the 12-month reporting period	<b>AMA-PCPI/ASCO-NCCN</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a> <a href="http://www.asco.org/">http://www.asco.org/</a>		Oncology

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PQRI 81 NQF 0323	<b>Title:</b> End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD): Plan of Care for Inadequate Hemodialysis in ESRD Patients <b>Description:</b> Percentage of calendar months during the 12-month reporting period in which patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of ESRD receiving hemodialysis have a Kt/V $\geq$ 1.2 OR patients who have a Kt/V < 1.2 with a documented plan of care for inadequate hemodialysis	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Nephrology
PQRI 82 NQF 0321	<b>Title:</b> End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD): Plan of Care for Inadequate Peritoneal Dialysis <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of ESRD receiving peritoneal dialysis who have a Kt/V $\geq$ 1.7 OR patients who have a Kt/V < 1.7 with a documented plan of care for inadequate peritoneal dialysis at least three times (every 4 months) during the 12-month reporting period	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Nephrology
PQRI 86 NQF 0397	<b>Title:</b> Hepatitis C: Antiviral Treatment Prescribed <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of chronic hepatitis C who were prescribed peginterferon and ribavirin therapy within the 12-month reporting period	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Gastroenterology
PQRI 89 NQF 0401	<b>Title:</b> Hepatitis C: Counseling Regarding Risk of Alcohol Consumption <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of hepatitis C who were counseled about the risks of alcohol use at least once within the 12-month reporting period	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Gastroenterology
PQRI 102 NQF 0389	<b>Title:</b> Prostate Cancer: Avoidance of Overuse of Bone Scan for Staging Low-Risk Prostate Cancer Patients <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients, regardless of age, with a diagnosis of prostate cancer at low risk of recurrence receiving interstitial prostate brachytherapy, OR external beam radiotherapy to the prostate, OR radical prostatectomy, OR cryotherapy who did <u>not</u> have a bone scan performed at any time since diagnosis of prostate cancer	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Oncology

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PQRI 106 NQF 0103	<b>Title:</b> Major Depressive Disorder (MDD): Diagnostic Evaluation <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a new diagnosis or recurrent episode of MDD who met the DSM-IV criteria during the visit in which the new diagnosis or recurrent episode was identified during the measurement period	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Psychiatry
PQRI 107 NQF 0104	<b>Title:</b> Major Depressive Disorder (MDD): Suicide Risk Assessment <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a new diagnosis or recurrent episode of MDD who had a suicide risk assessment completed at each visit during the measurement period	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Psychiatry
PQRI 114 NQF 0028	<b>Title:</b> Preventive Care and Screening: Inquiry Regarding Tobacco Use <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years or older who were queried about tobacco use one or more times within 24 months	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Core, Pulmonology, Primary Care
PQRI 115 NQF 0027	<b>Title:</b> Preventive Care and Screening: Advising Smokers to Quit <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older and are smokers who received advice to quit smoking	<b>NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Pulmonology, Primary Care
PQRI 117 NQF 0055	<b>Title:</b> Diabetes Mellitus: Dilated Eye Exam in Diabetic Patient <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 through 75 years with a diagnosis of diabetes mellitus who had a dilated eye exam	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Endocrinology
PQRI 118 NQF 0066	<b>Title:</b> Coronary Artery Disease (CAD): Angiotensin-Converting Enzyme (ACE) Inhibitor or Angiotensin Receptor Blocker (ARB) Therapy for Patients with CAD and Diabetes and/or Left Ventricular Systolic Dysfunction (LVSD) <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of CAD who also have diabetes mellitus and/or LVSD (LVEF < 40%) who were prescribed ACE inhibitor or ARB therapy	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Cardiology

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PQRI 119 NQF 0062	<b>Title:</b> Diabetes Mellitus: Urine Screening for Microalbumin or Medical Attention for Nephropathy in Diabetic Patients <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 through 75 years with diabetes mellitus who received urine protein screening or medical attention for nephropathy during at least one office visit within 12 months	<b>NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Endocrinology
PQRI 121 Ambulatory Quality Alliance (AQA) adopted	<b>Title:</b> Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD): Laboratory Testing (Calcium, Phosphorus, Intact Parathyroid Hormone (iPTH) and Lipid Profile) <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of advanced CKD (stage 4 or 5, not receiving Renal Replacement Therapy [RRT]), who had the following laboratory testing ordered within 12 months: serum levels of calcium, phosphorus and intact PTH, and lipid profile	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Nephrology
PQRI 122 AQA adopted	<b>Title:</b> Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD): Blood Pressure Management <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patient visits for patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of advanced CKD (stage 4 or 5, not receiving Renal Replacement Therapy [RRT]), with a blood pressure < 130/80 mmHg OR blood pressure ≥ 130/80 mmHg with a documented plan of care	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Nephrology
PQRI 123 AQA adopted	<b>Title:</b> Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD): Plan of Care – Elevated Hemoglobin for Patients Receiving Erythropoiesis-Stimulating Agents (ESA) <b>Description:</b> Percentage of calendar months during the 12-month reporting period in which patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of advanced CKD (stage 4 or 5, not receiving Renal Replacement Therapy [RRT]), receiving ESA therapy, have a hemoglobin < 13 g/dL OR patients whose hemoglobin is ≥ 13 g/dL and have a documented plan of care	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Nephrology
PQRI 127 NQF 0416	<b>Title:</b> Diabetes Mellitus: Diabetic Foot and Ankle Care, Ulcer Prevention – Evaluation of Footwear <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of diabetes mellitus who were evaluated for proper footwear and sizing	<b>American Podiatric Medical Association (APMA)</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.apma.org/">http://www.apma.org/</a>		Podiatry

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PQRI 128 NQF 0421	<b>Title:</b> Preventive Care and Screening: Body Mass Index (BMI) Screening and Follow-Up <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a calculated BMI in the past six months or during the current visit documented in the medical record AND if the most recent BMI is outside parameters, a follow-up plan is documented Parameters: Age 65 and older BMI ≥30 or <22 Age 18 – 64 BMI ≥25 or <18.5	<b>CMS/Quality Insights of Pennsylvania (QIP)</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:PQRI_inquiry@cms.hhs.gov">PQRI_inquiry@cms.hhs.gov</a> <a href="#">v</a>		Cardiology, Endocrinology, Primary Care, Obstetrics and Gynecology
PQRI 145 NQF 0510	<b>Title:</b> Radiology: Exposure Time Reported for Procedures Using Fluoroscopy <b>Description:</b> Percentage of final reports for procedures using fluoroscopy that include documentation of radiation exposure or exposure time	<b>AMA-PCPI/NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Radiology
PQRI 146 NQF 0508	<b>Title:</b> Radiology: Inappropriate Use of “Probably Benign” Assessment Category in Mammography Screening <b>Description:</b> Percentage of final reports for screening mammograms that are classified as “probably benign”	<b>AMA-PCPI/NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Radiology
PQRI 147 NQF 0511	<b>Title:</b> Nuclear Medicine: Correlation with Existing Imaging Studies for All Patients Undergoing Bone Scintigraphy <b>Description:</b> Percentage of final reports for all patients, regardless of age, undergoing bone scintigraphy that include physician documentation of correlation with existing relevant imaging studies (e.g., x-ray, MRI, CT, etc.) that were performed	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Radiology
PQRI 153 AQA adopted	<b>Title:</b> Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD): Referral for Arteriovenous (AV) Fistula <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with the diagnosis of advanced CKD (stage 4 or 5, not receiving Renal Replacement Therapy [RRT]), who were referred for AV fistula at least once during the 12-month reporting period	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Nephrology
PQRI 163 NQF 0056	<b>Title:</b> Diabetes Mellitus: Foot Exam <b>Description:</b> The percentage of patients aged 18 through 75 years with diabetes who had a foot examination	<b>NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Podiatry

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PQRI 183 NQF 0399	<b>Title:</b> Hepatitis C: Hepatitis A Vaccination in Patients with HCV <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of hepatitis C who received at least one injection of hepatitis A vaccine, or who have documented immunity to hepatitis A	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Gastroenterology
PQRI 184 NQF 0400	<b>Title:</b> Hepatitis C: Hepatitis B Vaccination in Patients with HCV <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of hepatitis C who received at least one injection of hepatitis B vaccine, or who have documented immunity to hepatitis B	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Gastroenterology
PQRI 185 AQA adopted	<b>Title:</b> Endoscopy & Polyp Surveillance: Colonoscopy Interval for Patients with a History of Adenomatous Polyps – Avoidance of Inappropriate Use <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older receiving a surveillance colonoscopy and a history of colonic polyp(s) in a previous colonoscopy, who had a follow-up interval of 3 or more years since their last colonoscopy documented in the colonoscopy report	<b>AMA-PCPI/NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Gastroenterology
PQRI 195 NQF 0507	<b>Title:</b> Stenosis Measurement in Carotid Imaging Reports <b>Description:</b> Percentage of final reports for carotid imaging studies (neck MR angiography [MRA], neck CT angiography [CTA], neck duplex ultrasound, carotid angiogram) performed for patients aged 18 years and older with the diagnosis of ischemic stroke or transient ischemic attack (TIA) that include direct or indirect reference to measurements of distal internal carotid diameter as the denominator for stenosis measurement	<b>AMA-PCPI/NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Radiology
PQRI 197 NQF 0074	<b>Title:</b> Coronary Artery Disease (CAD): Drug Therapy for Lowering LDL-Cholesterol <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of CAD who were prescribed a lipid-lowering therapy (based on current ACC/AHA guidelines)	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Cardiology, Primary Care
PQRI 200 NQF 0084	<b>Title:</b> Heart Failure: Warfarin Therapy for Patients with Atrial Fibrillation <b>Description:</b> Percentage of all patients aged 18 and older with a diagnosis of heart failure and paroxysmal or chronic atrial fibrillation who were prescribed warfarin therapy	<b>AMA-PCPI</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="mailto:cpe@ama-assn.org">cpe@ama-assn.org</a>		Cardiology

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PQRI 201 NQF 0073	<b>Title:</b> Ischemic Vascular Disease (IVD): Blood Pressure Management Control <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with Ischemic Vascular Disease (IVD) who had most recent blood pressure in control (less than 140/90 mmHg)	NCQA <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Neurology
PQRI 202 NQF 0075	<b>Title:</b> Ischemic Vascular Disease (IVD): Complete Lipid Profile <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with Ischemic Vascular Disease (IVD) who received at least one lipid profile within 12 months	NCQA <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Primary Care, Neurology
PQRI 203 NQF 0075	<b>Title:</b> Ischemic Vascular Disease (IVD): Low Density Lipoprotein (LDL-C) Control <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with Ischemic Vascular Disease (IVD) who had most recent LDL-C level in control (less than 100 mg/dl)	NCQA <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Primary Care, Neurology
PQRI 204 NQF 0068	<b>Title:</b> Ischemic Vascular Disease (IVD): Use of Aspirin or Another Antithrombotic <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with Ischemic Vascular Disease (IVD) with documented use of aspirin or other antithrombotic	NCQA <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Cardiology, Endocrinology, Primary Care, Neurology
NQF 0001	<b>Title:</b> Asthma assessment <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients who were evaluated during at least one office visit for the frequency (numeric) of daytime and nocturnal asthma symptoms	AMA-PCPI <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ama-assn.org">www.ama-assn.org</a>		Pulmonology, Primary Care
NQF 0004	<b>Title:</b> Initiation and Engagement of Alcohol and Other Drug Dependence Treatment: (a) Initiation, (b) Engagement <b>Description:</b> Percentage of adults aged 18 and over diagnosed with AOD abuse or dependence and receiving a related service who initiate treatment Assessment of the degree to which members engage in treatment with two additional AOD treatments within 30 days after initiating treatment.	NCQA <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Primary Care, Psychiatry
NQF 0012	<b>Title:</b> Prenatal Screening for Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients who gave birth during a 12-month period who were screened for HIV infection during the first or second prenatal care visit	AMA-PCPI <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ama-assn.org">www.ama-assn.org</a>		Obstetrics and Gynecology

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NQF 0013	<p><b>Title:</b> Blood pressure measurement</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Percentage of patient visits with blood pressure measurement recorded among all patient visits for patients aged &gt; 18 years with diagnosed hypertension.</p>	<p><b>AMA-PCPI</b></p> <p><b>Contact Information:</b> www.ama-assn.org</p>		Core
NQF 0014	<p><b>Title:</b> Prenatal Anti-D Immune Globulin</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Percentage of D-negative, unsensitized patients who gave birth during a 12-month period who received anti-D immune globulin at 26-30 weeks gestation</p>	<p><b>AMA-PCPI</b></p> <p><b>Contact Information:</b> www.ama-assn.org</p>		Obstetrics and Gynecology
NQF 0018	<p><b>Title:</b> Controlling High Blood Pressure</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients with last BP &lt; 140/80 mm Hg.</p>	<p><b>NCQA</b></p> <p><b>Contact Information:</b> www.ncqa.org</p>		Primary Care
NQF 0022	<p><b>Title:</b> Drugs to be avoided in the elderly: a. Patients who receive at least one drug to be avoided, b. Patients who receive at least two different drugs to be avoided.</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients ages 65 years and older who received at least one drug to be avoided in the elderly in the measurement year. Percentage of patients 65 years of age and older who received at least two different drugs to be avoided in the elderly in the measurement year.</p>	<p><b>NCQA</b></p> <p><b>Contact Information:</b> www.ncqa.org</p>		Core
NQF 0024	<p><b>Title:</b> Body Mass Index (BMI) 2 through 18 years of age</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Percentage children, 2 through 18 years of age, whose weight is classified based on BMI percentile for age and gender</p>	<p><b>National Initiative for Children's Healthcare Quality</b></p> <p><b>Contact Information:</b> http://www.nichq.org/</p>		Pediatrics, Primary Care
NQF 0026	<p><b>Title:</b> Measure pair - a. Tobacco use prevention for infants, children and adolescents, b. Tobacco use cessation for infants, children and adolescents</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients' charts showing either that there is no tobacco use/exposure or (if a user) that the current use was documented at the most recent clinic visit. Percentage of patients with documented tobacco use or exposure at the latest visit who also have documentation that their cessation interest was assessed or that they received advice to quit.</p>	<p><b>Institute for Clinical Systems Improvement (ICSI)</b></p> <p><b>Contact Information:</b> http://www.icsi.org/</p>		Pediatrics

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NQF 0032	<b>Title:</b> Cervical Cancer Screening <b>Description:</b> Percentage of women 18-64 years of age, who received one or more Pap tests during the measurement year or the 2 years prior to the measurement year.	<b>NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Oncology, Primary Care, Obstetrics and Gynecology
NQF 0033	<b>Title:</b> Chlamydia screening in women <b>Description:</b> Percentage of eligible women who were identified as sexually active who had at least one test for chlamydia during the measurement year.	<b>NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Obstetrics and Gynecology
NQF 0036	<b>Title:</b> Use of appropriate medications for people with asthma <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients who were identified as having persistent asthma during the measurement year and the year prior to the measurement year and who were dispensed a prescription for either an inhaled corticosteroid or acceptable alternative medication during the measurement year.	<b>NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Pulmonology, Primary Care
NQF 0038	<b>Title:</b> Childhood Immunization Status <b>Description:</b> Percentage of children 2 years of age who had four DtaP/DT, three IPV, one MMR, three H influenza type B, three hepatitis B, one chicken pox vaccine (VZV) and four pneumococcal conjugate vaccines by their second birthday. The measure calculates a rate for each vaccine and two separate combination rates.	<b>NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Primary Care, Pediatrics
NQF 0052	<b>Title:</b> Low back pain: use of imaging studies <b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients with new low back pain who received an imaging study (plain x-ray, MRI, CT scan) conducted on the episode start date or in the 28 days following the episode start date.	<b>NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Primary Care, Radiology
NQF 0060	<b>Title:</b> Hemoglobin A1c test for pediatric patients <b>Description:</b> Percentage of pediatric patients with diabetes with a HBA1c test in a 12-month measurement period.	<b>NCQA</b> <b>Contact Information:</b> <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a>		Endocrinology, Pediatrics, Primary Care

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NQF 0105	<p><b>Title:</b> New Episode of Depression: (a) Optimal Practitioner Contacts for Medication Management, (b) Effective Acute Phase Treatment,(c)Effective Continuation Phase Treatment</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients who were diagnosed with a new episode of depression and treated with antidepressant medication, and who had at least three follow-up contacts with a practitioner during the 84-day (12-week) Acute Treatment</p> <p>Phase b. Percentage of patients who were diagnosed with a new episode of depression, were treated with antidepressant medication and remained on an antidepressant drug during the entire 84-day Acute Treatment</p> <p>Phase c. Percentage of patients who were diagnosed with a new episode of depression and treated with antidepressant medication and who remained on an antidepressant drug for at least 180 days.</p>	<p><b>NCQA</b></p> <p><b>Contact Information:</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a></p>		Psychiatry, Primary Care
NQF 0106	<p><b>Title:</b> Diagnosis of attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) in primary care for school age children and adolescents</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients newly diagnosed with attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) whose medical record contains documentation of Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders, Fourth Edition (DSM-IV) or Diagnostic and Statistical Manual for Primary Care (DSM-PC) criteria being addressed.</p>	<p><b>ICSI</b></p> <p><b>Contact Information:</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.icsi.org/">http://www.icsi.org/</a></p>		Pediatrics, Primary Care
NQF 0107	<p><b>Title:</b> Management of attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) in primary care for school age children and adolescents</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients diagnosed with attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) and on first-line medication whose medical record contains documentation of a follow-up visit twice a year.</p>	<p><b>ICSI</b></p> <p><b>Contact Information:</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.icsi.org/">http://www.icsi.org/</a></p>		Pediatrics, Primary Care

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NQF 0108	<p><b>Title:</b> ADHD: Follow-Up Care for Children Prescribed Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) Medication.</p> <p><b>Description:</b> a. Initiation Phase: Percentage of children 6 – 12 years of age as of the Index Prescription Episode Start Date with an ambulatory prescription dispensed for and ADHD medication and who had one follow-up visit with a practitioner with prescribing authority during the 30-Day Initiation</p> <p>Phase b. Continuation and Maintenance (C&amp;M) Phase: Percentage of children 6 – 12 years of age as of the Index Prescription Episode Start Date with an ambulatory prescription dispensed for ADHD medication who remained on the medication for at least 210 days and who in addition to the visit in the Initiation Phase had at least two additional follow-up visits with a practitioner within 270 days (9 months) after the Initiation Phase ends.</p>	<p><b>NCQA</b>  <b>Contact Information:</b>  <a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a></p>		Pediatrics, Primary Care
NQF 0110	<p><b>Title:</b> Bipolar Disorder and Major Depression: Appraisal for alcohol or chemical substance use</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Percentage of patients with depression or bipolar disorder with evidence of an initial assessment that includes an appraisal for alcohol or chemical substance use</p>	<p><b>Center for Quality Assessment and Improvement in Mental Health</b>  <b>Contact Information:</b>  <a href="http://www.cqaimh.org/">http://www.cqaimh.org/</a></p>		Psychiatry, Primary Care
NQF 0299	<p><b>Title:</b> Surgical Site Infection Rate</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Percentage of surgical site infections occurring within thirty days after the operative procedure if no implant is left in place or with one year if an implant is in place in patients who had an NHSN operative procedure performed during a specified time period and the infection appears to be related to the operative procedure.</p>	<p><b>Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)</b>  <b>Contact Information:</b>  <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/">http://www.cdc.gov/</a></p>		Proceduralists/Surgery

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NQF 0471	<p><b>Title:</b> Cesarean Rate for low-risk first birth women (aka NTSV CS rate)</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Percentage of low-risk first birth women (aka NTSV CS rate: nulliparous, term, singleton, vertex) with a Cesarean rate that has the most variation among practitioners, hospitals, regions and states. Unlike other cesarean measures, it focuses attention on the proportion of cesarean births that is affected by elective medical practices such as induction and early labor admission. Furthermore, the success (or lack thereof) of management of the first labor directly impacts the remainder of the woman's reproductive life (especially given the current high rate of repeat cesarean births).</p>	<p><b>California Maternal Quality Care Collaborative (CMQCC)</b></p> <p><b>Contact Information:</b></p> <p><a href="http://cmqcc.org/">http://cmqcc.org/</a></p>		Obstetrics and Gynecology
NQF 0513	<p><b>Title:</b> Use of Contrast: Thorax CT</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Thorax CT – Use of combined studies (with and without contrast)</p>	<p><b>CMS</b></p> <p><b>Contact Information:</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.cms.hhs.gov/">http://www.cms.hhs.gov/</a></p>		Radiology
NQF 0519	<p><b>Title:</b> Diabetic Foot Care and Patient Education Implemented</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Percent of diabetic patients for whom physician-ordered monitoring for the presence of skin lesions on the lower extremities and patient education on proper foot care were implemented during their episode of care</p>	<p><b>CMS</b></p> <p><b>Contact Information:</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.cms.hhs.gov/">http://www.cms.hhs.gov/</a></p>		Podiatry
NQF EC-013-08	<p><b>Title:</b> Comprehensive Diabetes Care: HbA1c Control (&lt;8.0%)</p> <p><b>Description:</b> The percentage of members 18-75 years of age with diabetes (Type 1 and Type 2) who had HbA1c control (&lt;8.0%).</p>	<p><b>NCQA</b></p> <p><b>Contact Information:</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.ncqa.org">www.ncqa.org</a></p>		Endocrinology, Primary Care
Not applicable	<p><b>Title:</b> Hysterectomy rates</p> <p><b>Description:</b></p>			Obstetrics and Gynecology
Not applicable	<p><b>Title:</b> Appropriate antibiotic use for ear infections</p> <p><b>Description:</b></p>			Pediatrics, Primary Care
Not applicable	<p><b>Title:</b> Statin after Myocardial Infarction</p> <p><b>Description:</b></p>			Cardiology
Not Applicable	<p><b>Title:</b> 30 day Readmission Rate</p> <p><b>Description:</b></p>			Proceduralists/Surgery
Not Applicable	<p><b>Title:</b> 30 Readmission Rate following deliveries</p> <p><b>Description:</b></p>			Obstetrics and Gynecology
Not Applicable	<p><b>Title:</b> Use of CT scans</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Number of repeat CT scans within 60 days</p>			Pulmonology