

Health Dimension: PHQ9

PHX Label: PHQ9

PHX FeatureId: BH_03

PHX Feature Type: Health Dimension

PHX Description: Patients who scored below 10 on PHQ9 screenings

PHX Full Description: Percentage of patients ages 12 and above who scored below 10 on all PHQ-9 screenings completed during the year (assessment for depression)

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Rationale: Depression is a common condition, and screening is routinely performed in clinic using the PHQ9 questionnaire. For this health dimension, a patient is included in the cohort for each measurement year if they have had an encounter with the health system in the measurement year or the two preceding years and have PHQ9 screening completed or before the measurement year.

Numerator definition: Patients who scored less than 10 on the PHQ9 during the measurement year.

Reference Code Sets

PHQ9:

VSAC link: N/A

Base Code Set: [phq_any_01_base.txt](#)

Base Code Set as pdf: [phq_01_base.pdf](#)

Base Code Set Source: Atlas

Reference Code Set Vocabulary: SNOMED

Reference Code Set: [phq_any_01.txt](#)

Reference Code Set: [phq_01.pdf](#)