



2014 Clinical Quality Measures (CQMs) Pediatric Recommended Core Measures



Please note, in Stage 2 of meaningful use, the core set requirement has been removed. Instead, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) proposed a recommended core which includes measures aligned with high priority health care improvement goals. If one or more of these measures are not relevant for your organization, please utilize other measures from the approved 2014 CQM set to meet the reporting requirement.

CMS eMeasure ID & CQM Number	CQM Title & Description	Measure Steward & Contact Information	Other Quality Measure Programs that use the Same CQM	Domain
CMS146v1 NQF 0002	Appropriate Testing for Children with Pharyngitis Percentage of children 2-18 years of age, who were diagnosed with pharyngitis, ordered an antibiotic and received a group A streptococcus (strep) test for the episode.	National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA): www.ncqa.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> EHR PQRS CHIPRA 	Efficient Use of Healthcare Resources
CMS155v1 NQF 0024	Weight Assessment and Counseling for Nutrition and Physical Activity for Children and Adolescents Percentage of patients 3-17 years of age who had an outpatient visit with a Primary Care Physician (PCP) or Obstetrician/Gynecologist (OB/GYN) and who had evidence of the following during the measurement period. Three rates are reported. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Percentage of patients with height, weight, and body mass index (BMI) percentile documentation. Percentage of patients with counseling for nutrition. Percentage of patients with counseling for physical activity. 	NCQA: www.ncqa.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> EHR PQRS UDS 	Population/ Public Health
CMS153v1 NQF 0033	Chlamydia Screening for Women Percentage of women 16-24 years of age who were identified as sexually active and who had at least one test for Chlamydia during the measurement period.	NCQA: www.ncqa.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> EHR PQRS CHIPRA ACA 2701 HEDIS State Use NCQA-PCMH Recognition 	Population/ Public Health



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CMS126v1 NQF 0036	Use of Appropriate Medications for Asthma Percentage of patients 5-64 years of age who were identified as having persistent asthma and were appropriately prescribed medication during the measurement period.	NCQA: www.ncqa.org	EHR PQRS	Clinical Process/ Effectiveness
CMS117v1 NQF 0038	Childhood Immunization Status Percentage of children 2 years of age who had four diphtheria, tetanus and acellular pertussis (DTaP); three polio (IPV), one measles, mumps and rubella (MMR); three H influenza type B (HiB); three hepatitis B (Hep B); one chicken pox (VZV); four pneumococcal conjugate (PCV); one hepatitis A (Hep A); two or three rotavirus (RV); and two influenza (flu) vaccines by their second birthday.	NCQA: www.ncqa.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ EHR PQRS ▪ UDS 	Population/ Public Health
<u>NEW:</u> CMS154v1 NQF 0069	Appropriate Treatment for Children with Upper Respiratory Infection (URI) Percentage of children 3 months-18 years of age who were diagnosed with upper respiratory infection (URI) and were not dispensed an antibiotic prescription on or three days after the episode.	NCQA: www.ncqa.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ PQRS ▪ NCQA-PCMH Recognition 	Efficient Use of Healthcare Resources



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NEW: CMS136v1 NQF 0108	ADHD: Follow-Up Care for Children Prescribed Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) Medication Percentage of children 6-12 years of age and newly dispensed a medication for attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) who had appropriate follow-up care. Two rates are reported. a. Percentage of children who had one follow-up visit with a practitioner with prescribing authority during the 30-Day Initiation Phase. b. Percentage of children who remained on ADHD 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 ended.	NCQA: www.ncqa.org		Clinical Process/ Effectiveness
NEW: CMS2v1 NQF 0418	Preventive Care and Screening: Screening for Clinical Depression and Follow-Up Plan Percentage of patients aged 12 years and older screened for clinical depression on the date of the encounter using an age appropriate standardized depression screening tool AND if positive, a follow-up plan is documented on the date of the positive screen.	Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS): 1-888-734-6433, or http://questions.cms.hhs.gov/ask/p/21,26,1139 Quality Insights of Pennsylvania (QIP): www.usqualitymeasures.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ EHR PQRS ▪ ACO ▪ Group Reporting PQRS 	Population/ Public Health



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<u>NEW:</u> CMS75v1	Children who have dental decay or cavities Percentage of children ages 0-20, who have had tooth decay or cavities during the measurement period.	Maternal and Child Health Bureau, Health Resources and Services Administration (MCHB-HRSA): http://mchb.hrsa.gov/		Clinical Process/ Effectiveness