

CBE ID

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Title

Coronary Artery Disease (CAD): Angiotensin-Converting Enzyme (ACE) Inhibitor or Angiotensin Receptor Blocker (ARB) Therapy - Diabetes or Left Ventricular Systolic Dysfunction (LVEF < 40%)

Endorsement Status

Endorsed

Is Under Review

No

Next Maintenance Cycle

Spring 2026

Previous Endorsement Cycle

Spring 2020

Initial Endorsement

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1.0 New or Maintenance

Maintenance

1.1 Measure Structure

Single Measure

1.3 Electronic Clinical Quality Measure (eCQM)

No

1.6 Measure Description

Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of coronary artery disease seen within a 12-month period who also have diabetes OR a current or prior LVEF < 40% who were prescribed ACE inhibitor or ARB therapy

1.7 Measure Type

Process

1.8 Level of Analysis

Clinician: Individual

1.13 Data Dictionary

Not attached. I attest that all information will be provided where codes and/or value sets are needed (1.14a - 1.15c).

1.14 Numerator

Patients who were prescribed ACE inhibitor or ARB therapy

1.15 Denominator

All patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of coronary artery disease seen within a 12-month period who also have diabetes OR current or prior LVEF <40%

6.1.2 Current or Planned Use(s)

Public Reporting, Payment Program, Quality Improvement with Benchmarking (external benchmarking to multiple organizations)

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Exclusions

Denominator Exceptions:

Documentation of medical reason(s) for not prescribing ACE inhibitor or ARB therapy (e.g., allergy, intolerance, pregnancy, renal failure due to ACE inhibitor, diseases of the aortic or mitral valve, other medical reasons)

Documentation of patient reason(s) for not prescribing ACE inhibitor or ARB therapy (e.g., patient declined, other patient reasons)

Documentation of system reason(s) for not prescribing ACE inhibitor or ARB therapy (e.g., lack of drug availability, other reasons attributable to the health care system)

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Planned Use

Payment Program

Risk Adjustment

No risk adjustment or risk stratification

Target Population

Adults, Elderly, Populations at Risk

Use In Federal Program

Medicare Physician Quality Reporting System (PQRS), Medicare Shared Savings Program (MSSP), Physician Compare, Physician Feedback/Quality and Resource Use Reports (QRUR), Physician Value-Based Payment Modifier (VBM)

The measure developer is different from the measure steward

No

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