⊕ Goal 2: Increase Patient Safety

ADEs

Hospital ADEs for Anticoagulants

Claims

	Description
Numerator	Anticoagulant related ADEs, not POA
Denominator	Inpatient admissions
Rate Calculation	(Numerator/Denominator) x 1,000
Data Source(s)	Medicare FFS Part A claims
Baseline Period	CY 2019

Definitions

Element	Definition
ADE	See the Anticoag_ADE tab in the Reference Codes excel for the codes used to identify anticoagulant ADEs.
Admission	Admission records with the type of claim identified as "inpatient" that are from one of our recruited hospitals.
Not POA	For an ICD-10-CM diagnosis code to be considered not POA, the POA flag must indicate "No" or "Unknown" (often notated as "N" or "U")—qualifying a patient for the measure numerator.

Resources

Resource	Location
ADE	Adapted from: Digmann R, et al. Use of Medicare Administrative Claims to Identify a Population at High Risk for Adverse Drug Events and Hospital Use for Quality Improvement. *J Manag Care Spec Pharm*. 2019 Mar;25(3):402-410.
IHI Trigger Tool for Measuring Adverse Drug Events	http://www.ihi.org/resources/Pages/Tools/TriggerToolforMeasuringAdverseDrugEvents.aspx