

# Update on New RCHC Relevant and BridgeIT Reports

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# Agenda

## New Measures (2019)

- ❑ UDS: CAD
- ❑ QIP: Asthma Medication Ratio

## New Reports (Relevant)

- ❑ PIP
- ❑ PHASE
- ❑ Instruction documents
- ❑ Procedure for 4Q 2018

# New Measures in 2019

UDS and QIP

# 2019 UDS Report

*Source for changes to the 2019 report*

(<https://bphc.hrsa.gov/datareporting/reporting/udspals.html>)



## **PROGRAM ASSISTANCE LETTER**

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**DOCUMENT TITLE:** Proposed Uniform Data System Changes for Calendar Year 2019

# New Clinical Measure for CAD

- OLD Coronary Artery Disease Measure:

Coronary Artery Disease (CAD): Lipid Therapy (no eCQM)

- NEW Coronary Artery Disease Measure:

Statin Therapy for the Prevention and Treatment of Cardiovascular Disease (CMS347)

# CAD: Statin Therapy

- **Denominator** composed of three groups (all considered at high risk of cardiovascular events):
  1. Adults aged  $\geq 21$  years who were previously diagnosed with or currently have an active diagnosis of clinical atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease (ASCVD)
  2. Adults aged  $\geq 21$  years who have ever had a fasting or direct low-density lipoprotein cholesterol (LDL-C) level  $\geq 190$  mg/dL
  3. Adults aged 40-75 years with a diagnosis of diabetes with a fasting or direct LDL-C level of 70-189 mg/dL

# CAD: Statin Therapy

- **Numerator** is composed of denominator patients who were prescribed or were on statin therapy during the measurement period.

# CAD Statins BridgeIT Report

- BridgeIT report exists!
- CVD\_Statins\_v2
- See page 44 of the RCHC Technical Manual (version 14)
- Ben will double-check all of the codes specified in the CMS document (and also the 2019 ACO document, when it becomes available)
- A new version is not anticipated



# Set-up for the CAD Statins BridgeIT Report

- Double-check the LOINC codes for your LDL labs (see Technical Document for the list).
- Rx Group should be named “Statins” and have the appropriate medications assigned to it

# 2019 QIP Measures

*Source for changes to the 2019 report*

(<http://www.partnershiphp.org/Providers/Quality/Pages/PCPQIPLandingPage.aspx>)



## Summary of 2019 QIP Measurement Changes

This document summarizes changes approved by the Board-delegated Physician Advisory Committee effective January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019. Click on the highlighted measures for changes and additions to the 2019 measurement set. To learn the full details of these measures, please visit [our website](#).

# QIP Asthma Medication Ratio

- **Denominator:** Patients 5 to 64 years of age identified as having persistent asthma
- **Numerator:** Denominator patients who had a ratio of controller medications to total asthma medications of 0.50 or greater during the year.

# Ratio Calculation

**[units of asthma controller medications]**

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**[units of asthma controller medications]  
+ [units of asthma reliever medications]**

- A “unit” has a specific definition (e.g., a 30-day prescription of a medication). This will be calculated by the report.
- Medications belonging to the controller and reliever medication categories have specific definitions. This must be set-up by the health center using Rx Groups

# Future Reports

- Relevant and BridgeIT Reports
- Ideally, both will have the same data definitions
- Likely set-up will include medication groups
  - ❖ Asthma Controller Medications – may be the same as the Asthma Med Rx Group already in existence
  - ❖ Asthma Reliever Medications – will be a new Rx Group

# New RCHC Relevant Reports

PIP and PHASE

# Measure Definitions

- Some PIP and PHASE measures have the same definition as other measures we already use. However, not all of them are like this.
- Therefore, know which report to use for which measure.
- Definitions will be also be included in a new version of the PIP instructions and the PHASE instructions.

# Measures With the Same Definitions as Existing Relevant Quality Measures

- PIP

- ✓ Cervical Cancer Screening
- ✓ Colorectal Cancer Screening

- PHASE

- ✓ Tobacco Use: Screening and Cessation intervention
- ✓ Body Mass Index (BMI) Screening And Follow-Up Plan
- ✓ Screening for Depression and Follow-Up Plan



# Measures With Different Definitions

- PIP

- ✓ Blood Pressure Control Among Patients With Hypertension
- ✓ Blood Sugar Control Among Patients With Diabetes

- PHASE

- ✓ Hypertension measures
- ✓ Diabetes measures
- ✓ Number of ASCVD Patients

# New RCHC Relevant Reports

- Will be first designed as “Reports” not Quality Measures
- Will have “RCHC” in the name of the report in order to distinguish them from other reports
- Rely mostly on existing Transformers
- New Transformers will have “rchc\_...” in the name (for example, “rchc\_ascvd”)

# Version Control

- All RCHC reports will display details about the version so you can keep track of them
- Eventually, a version control document will be created (similar to the BridgeIT Report Index)
- At the top of the window that shows the SQL code for Reports or Transformers, note will appear like this:

```
/*****  
  
RCHC Transformer  
  
Code Written By: Ben Fouts  
  
RCHC Started: October 2018  
  
Version Date: November 8, 2018  
  
Revision History: First version  
  
*****/
```

# New RCHC PIP Reports

- RCHC PIP DM Measures
- RCHC PIP PHASE HTN Measures
- Note that the hypertension report will be for both the PIP and PHASE measures. Tabs will summarize the data in unique ways.

# New RCHC PHASE Reports

- RCHC PIP PHASE HTN Measures
  - RCHC PHASE DM Measures
  - RCHC PHASE ASCVD Patients
  - RCHC PHASE All Patients
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- Quality Measures??

# New Transformers

- `rhc_ascvd` (to identify patients with ASCVD)
- `rhc_dmexclusion` (for the diabetes exclusion)
- `rhc_acearb` (for the ACE/ARB med group)
- `rhc_statins` (for the statins med group)
- `rhc_antihypert` (for the antihypertensive med group)

# New Instruction Documents

- There will be new versions of the PIP and PHASE instruction documents
- The instructions will contain details on both the BridgeIT and Relevant reports
- Eventually, the BridgeIT portion of the document will be removed

# Other Instruction Documents

The following documents will be updated

- BridgeIT UDS Clinical Instructions
- BridgeIT QIP Clinical Instructions



# Timeline

- Mid to end of November: Relevant PIP and PHASE reports copied to all of the participating health centers
- End of November: e-mail announcement about reports and instructions
- December: testing and validating the reports. Understand any differences between the Relevant and BridgeIT results
- January, 2019: gather and report the Q4 2018 data

# Next Reporting Period

- Q4 2018 data for PIP and PHASE due in January 2019
- Submit the best, most consistent data possible using the Relevant and/or BridgeIT reports
- The idea is to move completely to Relevant reports for the 2019 reporting periods
- Give any feedback on the RCHC PIP and PHASE Relevant reports to Ben. We want them to be accurate!

**Questions?**