

Dashboard Validation

Open up the Measure Spec and review the criteria

Review high level passed/failed/excluded case counts. Do these match clinical care?

Review exclusion criteria in spec. Assess the reported reasons why cases are getting excluded. Do they make sense? Explore a few cases to verify that the exclusion reason matches the data on the case

Review success criteria in the spec and assess cases that are passing the measure, Confirm that the number of passed cases look appropriate (a 100% score doesn't mean its accurate!)

Review the reasons for failed cases. Assess reasons why the flagged cases are being flagged. Do they seem clinically appropriate?

See individual case review for further details

Example- GLU 02 Hypoglycemia: Hypoglycemia is clinically a rare event in the OR. Most cases are likely to be excluded from this measure, as most cases won't have a hypoglycemic event on them

Example: Many cases exclude labor epidurals. If there are many labor epidurals being excluded for a given measure, and your site does not have an OB program, then these cases are not being excluded appropriately

Example: PONV 03 – If all cases are passing with the reason “Nausea/Vomiting or Received Antiemetic in Postoperative Period: No” it is unlikely that NO cases received an antiemetic or had PONV reported. Check for cases where the patient did have PONV or receive an antiemetic. Update mapping as appropriate

Example: PONV 03 – If all cases are failing because of report PONV, check cases to see if documentation of PONV is being accurately captured by MPOG