

COPD Influenza Immunization

I4C Indicator CDM-COPD-005: COPD Influenza Immunization v 2.0

Category: CDM/COPD

Purpose:

This indicator is used to identify patients 65+ with COPD who are not up to date with immunization against influenza.

Source:

Based on the HQO Quality Standards for COPD Published 2018.

Base Population:

All patients age 65 and older, with an Active demographic status recorded in the EMR who have a confirmed COPD diagnosis through entry of an appropriate diagnosis code.

Indicator Segments:

Immunization Received: Count of COPD patients 65 and older with a flu vaccine documented as 'administered' or a Q130A tracking code billed in the current flu season.

65+ who have received a flu vaccine in the current flu season.

Immunization Overdue: Count of COPD patients 65 and older without a flu vaccine documented as 'administered' or 'refused' or a Q130A tracking code billed in the current flu season.

Immunization Refused: Count of COPD patients 65 and older without a flu vaccine documented as 'administered' or a Q130A tracking code billed in the current flu season, AND WITH a flu vaccine documented as 'refused' in the current flu season.

For a complete list of diagnosis codes used to identify COPD, see COPD Identification (CDM-COPD-001).

Current Flu Season begins October 1st of the **previous** calendar year if the current date is before October 1st of the current calendar year, or begins October 1st of the **current** calendar year if the current date is after October 1st of the current calendar year.

Suggested Indicator Use:

Physician or practice use of this indicator is to identify COPD patients 65 and older who may be still eligible to receive a flu vaccine.