

Potential General Surgery Preferred Specialty Measure Set

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Vascular Surgery				
172	0259	Claims, Registry	Effective Clinical Care	Hemodialysis Vascular Access Decision-Making by Surgeon to Maximize Placement of Autogenous Arterial Venous (AV) Fistula: Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older with a diagnosis of advanced Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD) (stage 3, 4, or 5) or End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD) requiring hemodialysis vascular access documented by surgeon to have received autogenous AV fistula
258	N/A	Registry	Patient Safety	Rate of Open Elective Repair of Small or Moderate Abdominal Aortic Aneurysms (AAA) without Major Complications (Discharged to Home by Post-Operative Day #7): Percent of patients undergoing open repair of small or moderate sized abdominal aortic aneurysms who do not experience a major complication (discharge to home no later than post-operative day #7)
259	N/A	Registry	Patient Safety	Rate of Elective Endovascular Aortic Repair (EVAR) of Small or Moderate Abdominal Aortic Aneurysms (AAA) without Major Complications (Discharged to Home by Post-Operative Day #2): Percent of patients undergoing endovascular repair of small or moderate abdominal aortic aneurysms (AAA) that do not experience a major complication (discharged to home no later than post-operative day #2)
260	N/A	Registry	Patient Safety	Rate of Carotid Endarterectomy (CEA) for Asymptomatic Patients, without Major Complications (Discharged to Home by Post-Operative Day #2): Percent of asymptomatic patients undergoing CEA who are discharged to home no later than post-operative day #2
347	N/A	Registry	Effective Clinical Care	Rate of Endovascular Aneurysm Repair (EVAR) of Small or Moderate Non-Ruptured Abdominal Aortic Aneurysms (AAA) Who Die While in Hospital): Percent of patients undergoing endovascular repair of small or moderate abdominal aortic aneurysms (AAA) who die while in the hospital

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354	N/A	Measures Group (General Surgery)	Patient Safety	Anastomotic Leak Intervention: Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older who required an anastomotic leak intervention following gastric bypass or colectomy surgery
355	N/A	Measures Group (General Surgery)	Patient Safety	Unplanned Reoperation within the 30 Day Postoperative Period: Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older who had any unplanned reoperation within the 30 day postoperative period
356	N/A	Measures Group (General Surgery)	Effective Clinical Care	Unplanned Hospital Readmission within 30 Days of Principal Procedure: Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older who had an unplanned hospital readmission within 30 days of principal procedure
357	N/A	Measures Group (General Surgery)	Effective Clinical Care	Surgical Site Infection (SSI): Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older who had a surgical site infection (SSI)
358	N/A	Measures Group (General Surgery)	Person and Caregiver-Centered Experience and Outcomes	Patient-centered Surgical Risk Assessment and Communication: Percentage of patients who underwent a non-emergency major surgery who had their personalized risks of postoperative complications assessed by their surgical team prior to surgery using a clinical data-based, patient-specific risk calculator and who received personal discussion of those risks with the surgeon

This table is a resource of potential measures that may be applicable to General Surgery.