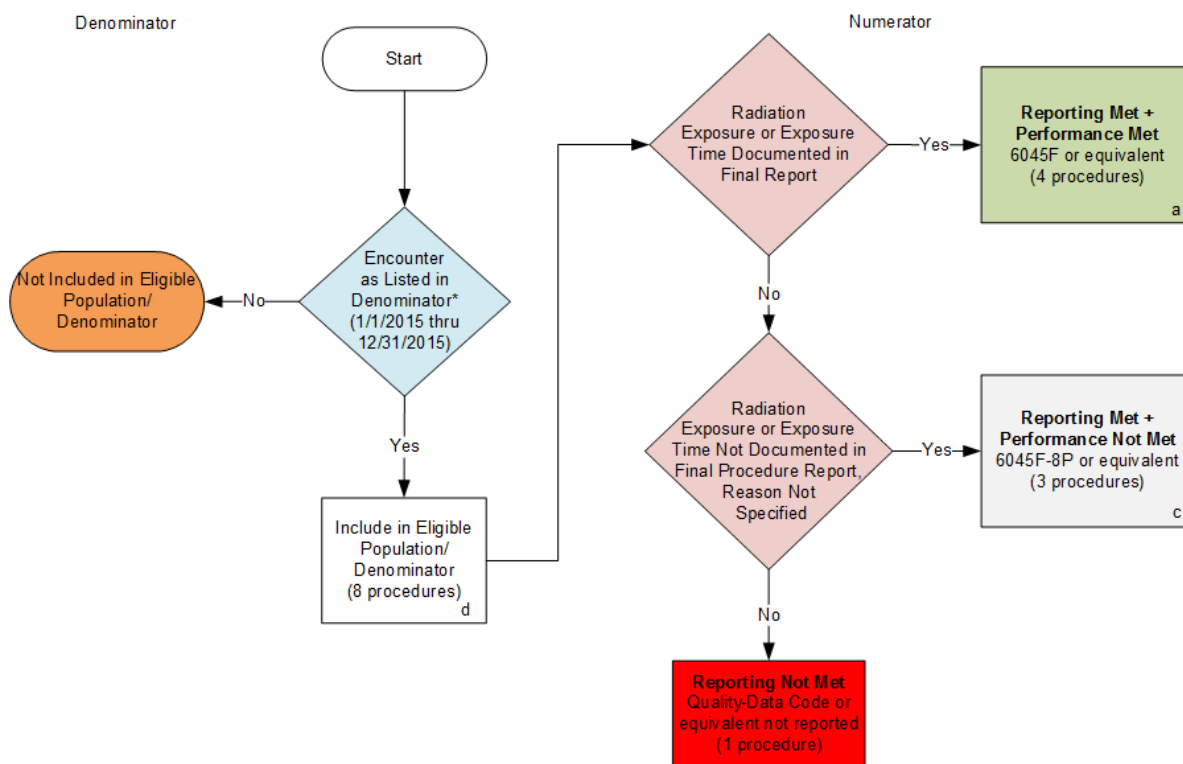


**2015 Claims/Registry Individual Measure Flow**  
**PQRS #145 NQF#0510: Radiology: Exposure Time Reported for Procedures Using Fluoroscopy**



**SAMPLE CALCULATIONS:**

**Reporting Rate=**

$$\frac{\text{Performance Met (a=4 procedures) + Performance Not Met (c=3 procedures)}}{\text{Eligible Population / Denominator (d=8 procedures)}} = \frac{7 \text{ procedures}}{8 \text{ procedures}} = 87.50\%$$

**Performance Rate=**

$$\frac{\text{Performance Met (a=4 procedures)}}{\text{Reporting Numerator (7 procedures)}} = \frac{4 \text{ procedures}}{7 \text{ procedures}} = 57.14\%$$

\*See the posted Measure Specification for specific coding and instructions to report this measure. This measure is to be reported each time fluoroscopy is performed in a hospital or outpatient setting during the reporting period (1/1/2015 thru 12/31/2015).  
 NOTE: Report Frequency – Procedure

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Please refer to the specific section of the Measure Specification to identify the denominator and numerator information for use in reporting this Individual Measure.

1. Start with Denominator
2. Check Encounter Performed:
  - a. If Encounter as Listed in the Denominator equals No, do not include in Eligible Patient Population. Stop Processing.
  - b. If Encounter as Listed in the Denominator equals Yes, include in the Eligible Population.
3. Denominator Population:
  - a. Denominator population is all Eligible Patients in the denominator. Denominator is represented as Denominator in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter d equals 8 procedures in the sample calculation.
4. Start Numerator
5. Check Radiation Exposure or Exposure Time Documented in Final Report:
  - a. If Radiation Exposure or Exposure Time Documented in Final Report equals Yes, include in Reporting Met and Performance Met.
  - b. Reporting Met and Performance Met letter is represented in the Reporting Rate and Performance Rate in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter a equals 4 procedures in Sample Calculation.
  - c. If Radiation Exposure or Exposure Time Documented in Final Report equals No, proceed to Radiation Exposure or Exposure Time Not Documented in Final Procedure Report, Reason Not Specified.
6. Check Radiation Exposure or Exposure Time Not Documented in Final Procedure Report, Reason Not Specified:
  - a. If Radiation Exposure or Exposure Time Not Documented in Final Procedure Report, Reason Not Specified equals Yes, include in Reporting Met and Performance Not Met.
  - b. Reporting Met and Performance Not Met letter is represented in the Reporting Rate in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter c equals 3 procedures in the Sample Calculation.
  - c. If Radiation Exposure or Exposure Time Not Documented in Final Procedure Report, Reason Not Specified equals No, proceed to Reporting Not Met.
7. Check Reporting Not Met:
  - a. If Reporting Not Met equals No, Quality Data Code or equivalent not reported. 1 procedure has been subtracted from the reporting numerator in the sample calculation.

### **SAMPLE CALCULATIONS:**

#### **Reporting Rate=**

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#### **Performance Rate=**

$$\frac{\text{Performance Met (a=4 procedures)}}{\text{Reporting Numerator (7 procedures)}} = \frac{4 \text{ procedures}}{7 \text{ procedures}} = 57.14\%$$