

2016 Pathology Preferred Specialty Measure Set

PQRS#	NQF#	Reporting Method	National Quality Strategy Domain	Measure Title: Description
99	0391	Claims, Registry	Effective Clinical Care	Breast Cancer Resection Pathology Reporting: pT Category (Primary Tumor) and pN Category (Regional Lymph Nodes) with Histologic Grade. Percentage of breast cancer resection pathology reports that include the pT category (primary tumor), the pN category (regional lymph nodes), and the histologic grade
100	0392	Claims, Registry	Effective Clinical Care	Colorectal Cancer Resection Pathology Reporting: pT Category (Primary Tumor) and pN Category (Regional Lymph Nodes) with Histologic Grade. Percentage of colon and rectum cancer resection pathology reports that include the pT category (primary tumor), the pN category (regional lymph nodes) and the histologic grade
249	1854	Claims, Registry	Effective Clinical Care	Barrett's Esophagus: Percentage of esophageal biopsy reports that document the presence of Barrett's mucosa that also include a statement about dysplasia
250	1853	Claims, Registry	Effective Clinical Care	Radical Prostatectomy Pathology Reporting: Percentage of radical prostatectomy pathology reports that include the pT category, the pN category, the Gleason score and a statement about margin status
251	1855	Claims, Registry	Effective Clinical Care	Quantitative Immunohistochemical (IHC) Evaluation of Human Epidermal Growth Factor Receptor 2 Testing (HER2) for Breast Cancer Patients: This is a measure based on whether quantitative evaluation of Human Epidermal Growth Factor Receptor 2 Testing (HER2) by immunohistochemistry (IHC) uses the system recommended in the ASCO/CAP Guidelines for Human Epidermal Growth Factor Receptor 2 Testing in breast cancer
395	N/A	Claims, Registry	Communication and Care Coordination	Lung Cancer Reporting (Biopsy/Cytology Specimens): Pathology reports based on biopsy and/or cytology specimens with a diagnosis of non small cell lung cancer classified into specific histologic type or classified as NSCLC-NOS with an explanation included in the pathology report

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396	N/A	Claims, Registry	Communication and Care Coordination	Lung Cancer Reporting (Resection Specimens): Pathology reports based on resection specimens with a diagnosis of primary lung carcinoma that include the pT category, pN category and for non-small cell lung cancer, histologic type
397	N/A	Claims, Registry	Communication and Care Coordination	Melanoma Reporting: Pathology reports for primary malignant cutaneous melanoma that include the pT category and a statement on thickness and ulceration and for pT1, mitotic rate

This table is a resource of potential measures that may be applicable to Pathology. Please note that in addition to this table, a cross cutting measures list is also available for reporting at the following link: [2016 Cross-Cutting Measures List](#)