



Eligible Hospital and Critical Access Hospital Meaningful Use Menu Set Measures

Measure 1 of 10

Stage 1 (2014 Definition)

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Drug Formulary Checks	
Objective	Implement drug formulary checks.
Measure	The eligible hospital or CAH has enabled this functionality and has access to at least one internal or external formulary for the entire EHR reporting period.
Exclusion	No exclusion.

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Definition of Terms

None

Attestation Requirements

YES / NO

Eligible hospitals and CAHs must attest YES to having enabled this functionality and having had access to at least one internal or external formulary for the entire EHR reporting period to meet this measure.

Additional Information

- At a minimum an eligible hospital or CAH must have at least one formulary that can be queried. This may be an internally developed formulary or an external formulary. The formularies should be relevant for patient care during the prescribing process.

Certification and Standards Criteria

Below is the corresponding certification and standards criteria for electronic health record technology that supports achieving the meaningful use of this objective.

Certification Criteria*

**§170.314(a)(10)
Drug-formulary
checks**

EHR technology must automatically and electronically check whether a drug formulary (or preferred drug list) exists for a given patient and medication.

*Additional certification criteria may apply. Review the [ONC 2014 Edition EHR Certification Criteria Grid Mapped to Meaningful Use Stage 1](#) for more information.

Standards Criteria

N/A

