

ONCOLOGY CARE MODEL

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Any changes listed in these Release Notes that will require an update to the OCM Data Registry will be included in a future release. Practices will be notified of the OCM Data Registry release date through the OCM eNews or other email communication from OCM Support.

Quality Measures

OCMR Quality Measure Abstraction Tool Effective 01.01.2019 v2.3

Since the release of the “OCMR Quality Measure Abstraction Tool Effective 07.01.2018 v2.2” document in August 2018, updates have been identified for the following sections:

1. Instructions Tab

- a. Updated all Instructions to reflect changes made to the “Demographics” and measure tabs
- b. Removed all reference to OCM-8, OCM-9, OCM-10 and OCM-11, which were retired effective with the 7/1/2018 – 12/31/2018 measurement period
- c. Updated OCM-12, OCM-24 and OCM-30 instructions to reflect that these measures have been retired and will no longer be required to be reported beginning with the 1/1/2019 – 6/30/2019 measurement period
- d. Updated the Troubleshooting section to reflect revisions made to the tool functionality

2. Demographics Tab

- a. Increased the number of formatted rows from 1,000 to 2,500

3. All Measure Tabs

- a. Updated to incorporate all changes made in the OCM Measure Specifications and OCM Tech Spec Value Set effective 01/01/2019
- b. Removed the “OCM-24” and “OCM-30” tabs
- c. Enhanced functionality to prevent measure results from displaying an error when a date is entered into a “Date” column with an invalid format

4. OCM-5 Tab

- a. Increased the number of formatted rows from 1,000 to 2,500

5. OCM-4a,4b Tab

- a. Renamed the tab from “OCM-4a,4b,12” to “OCM-4a,4b”
- b. Removed all columns for OCM-12
- c. Increased the number of formatted rows from 2,000 to 5,000
- d. Renamed column C from “Qualifying provider encounter during the measurement period?” to “Qualifying provider encounter (without telehealth modifiers GQ, GT, 95 or POS 02) during the measurement period?”
- e. Removed column “Telehealth modifier GQ, GT, 95 or POS 02? (required only if reporting a provider encounter)”

- f. Updated the logic for the First Chemotherapy Date (column H) and Second Chemotherapy Date (column J) so this criteria is no longer met if the same date is entered in both columns