

### Low Density Lipoprotein Cholesterol (LDL-C) Control in Diabetes Mellitus

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*This measure is to be reported for all patients aged 18 through 75 years with diabetes mellitus — a minimum of **once** per reporting period.*

#### Measure description

Percentage of patients aged 18 through 75 years with diabetes mellitus who had most recent LDL-C level in control (less than 100 mg/dL)

#### What will you need to report for each patient with diabetes mellitus for this measure?

If you select this measure for reporting, you will report:

- The most recent LDL-C level
  - LDL-C < 100 mg/dL OR
  - LDL-C 100-129 mg/dL OR
  - LDL-C ≥ 130 mg/dL

#### What if this process or outcome of care is not appropriate for your patient?

Some measures provide an opportunity for the physician or eligible health professional to document when a process or outcome of care is not appropriate for a given patient (also called performance exclusions). Because this measure is applicable to most if not all patients, there are no allowable performance exclusions.