

Characterization of Urinary Incontinence in Women Aged 65 Years and Older

*This measure is to be reported for all female patients aged 65 years and older with urinary incontinence — a minimum of **once** per reporting period. This measure is appropriate for use in the ambulatory setting only.*

Measure description

Percentage of female patients aged 65 years and older with a diagnosis of urinary incontinence whose urinary incontinence was characterized at least once within 12 months

What will you need to report for each female patient aged 65 years and older with urinary incontinence for this measure?

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

- Whether or not you characterized the patient's urinary incontinence (eg, frequency, volume, timing, type of symptoms, how bothersome)

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.