

### Function and Pain Assessment

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*This measure is to be reported at **each visit** of osteoarthritis during the reporting period for all patients aged 21 years and older.*

#### Measure description

Percentage of patient visits for patients aged 21 years and older with a diagnosis of osteoarthritis (OA) with assessment for function and pain

#### What will you need to report for each visit for patients with osteoarthritis for this measure?

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

- Whether or not you assessed for OA symptoms and functional status (may include the use of a standardized scale or the completion of an assessment questionnaire, such as an SF-36, AAOS Hip & Knee Questionnaire)

#### 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.