

## Low Density Lipoprotein (LDL-C) Control

### Coding Specifications

Codes required to document patient has Ischemic Vascular Disease or was discharged alive for acute myocardial infarction (AMI), coronary artery bypass graft (CABG) or percutaneous transluminal coronary angioplasty (PTCA) and a visit occurred:

A line item ICD-9-CM diagnosis code for Ischemic Vascular Disease and a CPT code are required to identify patients to be included in this measure.

All measure-specific coding should be reported ON THE SAME CLAIM.

### Ischemic Vascular Disease line item ICD-9-CM diagnosis codes

- 410.11, 410.21, 410.31, 410.41, 410.51, 410.61, 410.71, 410.81, 410.91, 411.0, 411.1, 411.81, 411.89, 413.0, 413.1, 413.9, 414.00, 414.01, 414.02, 414.03, 414.04, 414.05, 414.06, 414.07, 414.8, 414.9, 429.2, 433.00, 433.01, 433.10, 433.11, 433.20, 433.21, 433.30, 433.31, 433.80, 433.81, 433.90, 433.91, 434.00, 434.01, 434.10, 434.11, 434.90, 434.91, 440.1, 440.20, 440.21, 440.22, 440.23, 440.24, 440.29, 440.4, 444.0, 444.1, 444.21, 444.22, 444.81, 444.89, 444.9, 445.01, 445.02, 445.81, 445.89

### AND

#### CPT codes

- 99201, 99202, 99203, 99204, 99205, 99211, 99212, 99213, 99214, 99215, 99217, 99218, 99219, 99220, 99341, 99342, 99343, 99344, 99345, 99347, 99348, 99349, 99350, 99455, 99456

### OR

#### CPT codes

- 33510, 33511, 33512, 33513, 33514, 33516, 33517, 33518, 33519, 33521, 33522, 33523, 33533, 33534, 33535, 33536, 33140, 92980, 92982, 92995

### Quality codes for this measure

G-Code descriptors (Data collection sheet should be used to determine appropriate code.)

- G8595: Most recent LDL-C < 100 mg/dL
- G8597: Most recent LDL-C ≥ 100 mg/dL
- G8596: LDL-C was not performed

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