AmeriHealth Caritas Pennsylvania Community Health Choices Specifications for Gaps In Care

Diabetes – ACEI/ARB Therapy

Purpose: The purpose of this measure is to identify and track members who are diagnosed with diabetes and are not filling an ACEI or an ARB.

Who is Included? (denominator)	 o Members diagnosed with diabetes (250.xx) AND o Members diagnosed with hypertension (401.xx) OR o Members diagnosed with Proteinuria (791.0) Exclusions: Pregnant Members (640-649, V22 or V23) or
What Pharmacy Claim Data is evaluated? (numerator)	o Claims for single and multi-ingredient products containing either an ACEI or an ARB
When does the analysis occur?	o Reviews claims from the previous 3 monthso Updated Monthly
Where can I get this information?	o Monthly NaviNet report updates reflect Gaps In Care for PCP practice panel membership.
	o Quarterly printed reports sent to PCPs reflect Gaps In Care for PCP practice panel membership.
	 Panel membership results include indicators for this Gaps In Care measure as "At Risk"
Why does my member have an "At Risk" status?	o Pharmacy claims show a failure to fill either an ACEI or an ARB in the previous 3 months

Reference: Standards of medical care in diabetes-2010. Diabetes Care. 2010 Jan;33 Suppl 1:S4-10.

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