Readmission Report

Client

Current Period: Index Admissions between January 2017 and December 2017 Prior Period: Index Admissions between January 2016 and December 2016

> <u>Population</u> TPA(s) : Line(s) of Business :

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Summary:

The Exective Summary section displays high-level summary information from each of the other detailed sections. For more details on any of the topics here, please see the appropriate section in the report.

Summary Statistics

The table below provides key metrics related to readmissions, calculated for the current and prior periods, along with the change from prior to current. Differences in red indicate a decline in performance, while differences in green indicate an improvement. Of special importance is the Efficiency Index data. See the Definitions section for a more detailed explanation of this important metric.

Metric	Prior	Current	% Difference
Index Admission Exclusions	-	-	0.0%
Index Admissions (Denominator)	-	-	0.0%
Readmission Indicator (Numerator)	-	-	0.0%
Readmission Rate	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Expected Readmission Rate	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Efficiency Index	0.00	0.00	0.0%
7-Day Office Visit Rate	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Total Readmissions	-	-	0.0%
Total Readmission Spend	\$ -	\$-	0.0%
Cost per Readmission	\$ -	\$ -	0.0%

Temporal Readmission Rates

It is often helpful to evaluate readmission rates as they progress through time. In the graph below, we show the movement of readmission rates on a rolling 12-month basis. The time window for which each readmission rate is calculated is shown below each point.



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DRGs Susceptible to Readmissions

When evaluating readmissions and determining how to best allocate resources for improvement, it can be helpful to focus on DRGs with the highest number of index admissions - these DRGs are most at risk for the potential of readmissions, and we can look at the corresponding readmission rate to evaluate how well that risk is being managed. Here, we show readmission rates for the top five DRGs as measured by number of index admissions.



Facilities Susceptible to Readmissions

Similar to the analysis above, it is also helpful to focus on facilities with the highest number of index admissions. These facilities may warrant extra outreach or different action plans, based on their performance with readmissions. In the chart below, we show readmission rates for the top five facilities as measured by number of index admissions.



Readmission Report - Monthly Analysis

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Summary:

The Monthly Analysis section compares important readmissions metrics between the Current and Prior reporting periods on a month to month basis, allowing for a more detailed understanding of readmission trends each month.

Monthly Readmission Rates

When examining readmission rates, it is useful to view them on a month by month basis to identify any spikes or seasonal trends. This chart is a month-by-month comparison of readmission rates between current and prior periods. For more detailed analysis on monthly readmissions, the tables below contain the readmission rates displayed on the chart as well as the numerator and denominator used to calculate the rates. These numbers provide insight into how many index admissions and readmissions are taking place each month, to help better plan for taking action to reduce readmissions.



Prior	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	ОСТ	NOV	DEC	∑ Prior
# Index Admissions	N/A	0											
# Readmissions	N/A	0											
Readmission Rate	N/A												

Current	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	ОСТ	NOV	DEC	∑ Current
# Index Admissions	N/A	0											
# Readmissions	N/A	0											
Readmission Rate	N/A												

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Summary:

The DRG Analysis section compares important readmission metrics between the Current and Prior reporting periods grouped by the most common Diagnostic-Realted Groups (DRGs).

Readmission Rate by DRG Type

When evaluating the readmission rates of individual DRGs, it is useful to view readmission rates grouped into Medical or Surgical DRG types. The readmission rates for Medical index admissions are higher than those for Surgical index admissions and cause the overall readmission rate to be larger.



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Days to Initial Readmission

Below we see a graph of Cumulative Readmission Rate versus the number of days that passed between the Index Discharge and the Readmission. Shown are the top 5 DRGs by index admissions in the Current Period. Examining the curvature of these cumulative readmission rate lines can inform when intervention is needed after an index discharge in order to prevent readmissions. When a sharp increase is seen in cumulative readmission rate on a particular day or set of days, this indicates that this time period is a crucial moment where acute events that lead to readmission can occur. When a line starts to plateau after a number of days, this indicates that the risk of readmission is much lower during this period.



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Key Readmission Rate Metrics

Displayed are a number of metrics that drive readmission rates for the top 15 DRGs by number of index admissions in the Current Period. All metrics are split by Current and Prior Periods. Additionally, Readmission Rate, Efficiency Index, and 7-Day Office Visit Rate are colored either green or red based on whether the metric improved nor did not improve compared to the Prior Period.

			Denon	ninator	Nume	erator	Readmis	sion Rate	Expe Readmis		Efficien	cy Index	7-Day Of Ra	fice Visit te	To Readm	tal iissions	Total Readmi	ssion Spend
DRG	DRG Description	DRG Weight	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current
0	0	0.00	•	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0.00	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
All other			-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
Total			-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0

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Top Facilities by Top DRGs

When evaluating readmission rates for the most common DRGs, it is useful to know which facilities have the most index admissions for each DRG.

	Index Admissions		Observed Rea	dmission Rate	Expected Rea	dmission Rate	Efficiency Index		
: DRG 1	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	
Facility 1	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	
Facility 2	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	
Facility 3	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	

	Index Adı	missions	Observed Rea	dmission Rate	Expected Rea	dmission Rate	Efficiency Index		
: DRG 2	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	
Facility 1	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	
Facility 2	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	
Facility 3	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	

	Index Adı	Index Admissions		dmission Rate	Expected Rea	dmission Rate	Efficiency Index		
: DRG 3	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	
Facility 1	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	
Facility 2	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	
Facility 3	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	

	Index Adı	Index Admissions		dmission Rate	Expected Rea	dmission Rate	Efficiency Index		
: DRG 4	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	
Facility 1	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	
Facility 2	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	
Facility 3	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	

	Index Admissions		Observed Rea	dmission Rate	Expected Rea	dmission Rate	Efficiency Index	
: DRG 5	Prior	Comment	Prior	Gumant	Prior	Gumant	Prior	Current
	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current
Facility 1	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00
Facility 2	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00
Facility 3	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00

Readmission Report - Primary Diagnosis Analysis

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Summary:

The Primary Diagnosis Analysis section compares important readmissions metrics between the Current and Prior reporting periods grouped by the most common 3-digit Primary Diagnosis Codes.

Days to Initial Readmission

Evaluating the curvature of these cumulative readmission rate lines can inform when intervention is needed after an index discharge in order to prevent readmissions. When a sharp increase is seen in cumulative readmission rate on a particular day or set of days, this indicates that this time period is a crucial moment where acute events that lead to readmission can occur. When a line starts to plateau after a number of days, this indicates that the risk of readmission is much lower during this period.



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Key Readmission Rate Metrics

Displayed are a number of metrics that drive readmission rates for the top 15 3-Digit Primary Diagnosis Codes by number of index admissions in the Current Period. All metrics are split by Current and Prior Periods. Additionally, Readmission Rate, Efficiency Index, and 7-Day Office Visit Rate are colored either green or red based on whether the metric improved nor did not improve compared to the Prior Period.

		Denon	ninator	Nume	erator	Readmis	sion Rate	Expe Readmiss		Efficiend	y Index	7-Day Of Ra			otal nissions	Total Readmi	ssion Spend
3-Digit Primary Diagnosis Code	3-Digit Primary Diagnosis Code Description	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current
0	0	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	\$0	\$0
0	0	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	\$0	\$0
0	0	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	\$0	\$0
0	0	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	\$0	\$0
0	0	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	\$0	\$0
0	0	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	\$0	\$0
0	0	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	\$0	\$0
0	0	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	\$0	\$0
0	0	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	\$0	\$0
0	0	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	\$0	\$0
0	0	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	\$0	\$0
0	0	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	\$0	\$0
0	0	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	\$0	\$0
0	0	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	\$0	\$0
0	0	-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	\$0	\$0
All other		-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	\$0	\$0
Total		-	-	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	\$0	\$0

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Top Facilities by Top 3-Digit Primary Diagnosis Codes

When evaluating readmission rates for the most common 3-Digit Primary Diagnosis Codes, it is useful to know which facilities have the most index admissions for each 3-Digit Primary Diagnosis Code.

	Index Admissions		Observed Rea	dmission Rate	Expected Read	dmission Rate	Efficiency Index		
: DRG 1			D :					A A	
	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	
Facility 1	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	
Facility 2	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	
Facility 3	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	

	Index Adı	missions	Observed Rea	dmission Rate	Expected Read	dmission Rate	Efficiency Index		
: DRG 2	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	
Facility 1	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	
Facility 2	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	
Facility 3	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	

	Index Adı	missions	Observed Rea	dmission Rate	Expected Read	dmission Rate	Efficiency Index	
: DRG 3	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current
Facility 1	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00
Facility 2	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00
Facility 3	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00

	Index Ad	missions	Observed Rea	dmission Rate	Expected Read	dmission Rate	Efficiency Index	
: DRG 4								
	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current
Facility 1	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00
Facility 2	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00
Facility 3	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00

	Index Ad	missions	Observed Rea	dmission Rate	Expected Read	mission Rate	Efficiency Index	
: DRG 5	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current
Facility 1	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00
Facility 2	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00
Facility 3	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00

Readmission Report - Facility Analysis

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Summary:

The Facility Analysis section compares important readmissions metrics between the Current and Prior reporting periods grouped by the Facilities with the most index admissions.

Observed versus Expected Readmission Rates

Displayed in this graph are the top 15 facilities by index admissions with Observed readmission rate on the x-axis and Expected readmission rate on the y-axis. Data points above the diagonal line represent facilities that have lower readmission rates than expected and point below the line represent facilities whose readmission rates are higher than expected.



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Key Readmission Rate Metrics

Displayed are a number of metrics that drive readmission rates for the top 15 facilities by number of index admissions in the Current Period. All metrics are split by Current and Prior Periods. Additionally, Readmission Rate, Efficiency Index, and 7-Day Office Visit Rate are colored either green or red based on whether the metric improved nor did not improve compared to the Prior Period.

	Denon	ninator	Num	erator	Readmiss	ion Rate	Expe Readmiss		Efficien	cy Index	AL	OS	Avg D Readn		7-Day Of Ra	fice Visit te	Tot Readmi		Total Readmis	ssion Spend
Facility	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current
0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
All other	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
Total	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	\$0	\$0

Readmission Report - Additional Analyses

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Summary:

The Additional Analyses section displays high-level summary information of readmissions from two different perspectives - grouped by a) Length of Stay and and by b) number of Readmissions for each member.

Readmissions by Length of Stay

Length of stay for an inpatient index admission can have an impact on readmission rates. Here, index admissions for the Current Period are split into different bins based on length of stay, and the readmission rate is calculated for each bin.

Length of Stay	Index Admissions (Denominator)	% of Index Admissions	Readmission Rate	Readmission Indicator (Numerator)	% of Readmissions
1	-	0.0%	0.0%	-	0.0%
2	-	0.0%	0.0%	-	0.0%
3	-	0.0%	0.0%	-	0.0%
4	-	0.0%	0.0%	-	0.0%
5 - 6	-	0.0%	0.0%	-	0.0%
7-12	-	0.0%	0.0%	-	0.0%
13+	-	0.0%	0.0%	-	0.0%

Readmissions by Member Frequency

Some members may have more acute inpatient events than others and drive readmission rates higher. Here, members are split into different bins based on the number of times they have had a readmission in either the Current or the Prior Periods.

# Readmissions	Men	nbers	% Total Rea	admissions	Cumulative Readmission Rate		
	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	
0	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
1	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
2	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
3	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
4+	-	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	

Appendix

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Current Period: Index Admissions between January 2017 and December 2017 Prior Period: Index Admissions between January 2016 and December 2016

> <u>Population</u> TPA(s) : Line(s) of Business :

Readmission Logic

An **index admission** is the hospitalization to which the readmission outcome is attributed and includes admissions for patients:

Enrolled in Medicare Fee-For-Service (FFS) Part A for the 12 months prior to the date of admission and during the index admission (removed) Aged 65 or over (removed)

Discharged alive from a non-federal short-term acute care hospital Not transferred to another acute care facility

Exclusions:

Admitted to Prospective Payment System (PPS)-exempt cancer hospitals (removed) Without at least 30 days of post-discharge enrollment in Medicare FFS (generalized) Discharged against medical advice Admitted for primary psychiatric diagnoses Admitted for rehabilitation Admitted for medical treatment of cancer

Unplanned readmissions that arise from acute clinical events requiring urgent rehospitalization within 30 days of discharge: Readmissions to same hospital on same date of prior discharge for same primary diagnosis is considered a continuous stay Readmissions to same hospital on same date of prior discharge for different primary diagnosis is considered a readmission If a patient has multiple unplanned readmissions within 30 days of discharge, only the first is considered a readmission

Planned readmissions, which are generally not a signal of quality of care, are not considered readmissions in the measure outcome: Planned readmissions are primarily defined using AHRQ CCS procedure and diagnosis classifications If the first readmission after discharge is planned, any subsequent unplanned readmission is not considered in the outcome for that index admission Examples of planned readmissions: transplant surgery, maintenance chemotherapy/immunotherapy, rehabilitation

Note the readmission logic only compares adjacent admissions. Thus, a readmission (planned or unplanned) can also be an index admission should it meet the requirements outlined above.

Definitions

Metric	Definition
	Inpatient admissions that are not considered index admissions because they fall into the exclusion criteria outlined in the
Index Admission Exclusions	Readmission Logic section.
Index Admissions (Denominator)	Inpatient admissions that qualify as an index admission based on the criteria outlined in the Readmission Logic section.
Readmission Indicator (Numerator)	Inpatient admissions that occur within 30 days after an index admission.
Readmission Rate	Readmission Indicator / Index Admissions.
Expected Readmission Rate	Predicted likelihood of readmission for Index Admissions. When summed over facilities or attributed providers, provides the total expected number of readmissions, which is used for performance comparison to actual readmissions.
Efficiency Index	Observed Readmission Rate divided by Expected Readmission Rate. This metric indicates whether the dataset being measured is performing better or worse than expected. An efficiency index greater than 1.0 indicates poor performance, because the actual readmission rate is higher than what is expected. On the other hand, an efficiency index less than 1.0 indicates better performance, because the actual readmission rate is higher than what is expected. On the other hand, an efficiency index less than 1.0 indicates better performance, because the actual readmission rate is lower than what is expected.
7-Day Office Visit Rate	Percent of index admission cases for which the members had a recorded office visit within 7 days after their discharge date.
Total Readmissions	Same as Readmission Indicator under current methodology. Place holder for future revisions.
Total Readmission Spend	Either the Paid amount or Allowed amount for cases flagged as readmissions.
Cost per Readmission	Total Readmission Spend / Total Readmissions.
ALOS	The average length of stay for index admissions.
	The average number of days between the discharge date of an index admission and the admit date of a readmission.
Avg Days to Readmission	Excludes cases where there was no readmission.