

AAO36: Tympanostomy Tubes: Resolution of Otitis Media with Effusion in Adults and Children

High Priority: Yes; Outcome

Percentage of patients aged 6 months and older with a diagnosis of otitis media with effusion who are seen 2 to 8 weeks after tympanostomy tube surgery and otitis media with effusion is resolved.

Denominator:

Patients aged 6 months and older with a diagnosis of otitis media with effusion who are seen 2 to 8 weeks after tympanostomy tube surgery.

Stratified by age:

Criteria 1: Patients 6 months - 12 years of age

Criteria 2: Patients 12 years and older

Criteria 3: All patients 6 months and older

Denominator Exclusions:

None

Denominator Exceptions:

None

Numerator:

Patients with resolution of Otitis Media with Effusion.

Measure Classifications:

Measure Type: Outcome

National Quality Strategy (NQS) domain: Effective Clinical Care

Meaningful Measure Area: Patient-Focused Episode of Care

Calculation:

Inverse measure: No

Continuous measure: No

Proportional measure: Yes

Ratio measure: No

Risk Adjusted measure: No

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