

# AAO28: Tympanostomy Tubes: Resolution of Otitis Media with Effusion in Adults

High Priority: Yes; Outcome

Percentage of patients >12 years of age 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 >12 years of age with a diagnosis of otitis media with effusion who undergo tympanostomy tube insertion.

## **Denominator Exclusions:**

None

### **Denominator Exceptions:**

Patient refusal for follow-up examination.

#### Numerator:

Patients >12 years of age seen 2 to 8 weeks after surgery 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: 1st Performance Rate Inverse Measure: No Continuous Measure: No Proportional Measure: Yes

Ratio Measure: No Risk Adjusted: No

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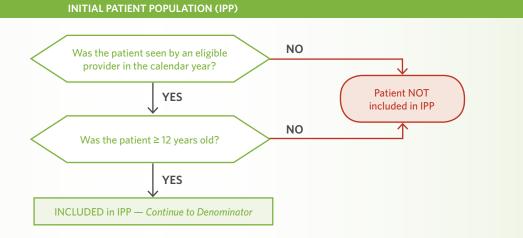


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### MEASURE DESCRIPTION

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# NO Did the patient have a diagnosis of otitis media with effusion? Patient not eligible YES for this measure NO Did the patient receive a tympanostomy tube insertion? YES YES Did the patient refuse Denominator follow up examination? Exception NO INCLUDE in Denominator — Continue to Numerator

**DENOMINATOR** 

