

# AAO36: Tympanostomy Tubes: Resolution of Otitis Media with Effusion (OME) in Adults and Children

High Priority Status: Yes; Outcome

**NQF Number:** N/A

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

#### **Denominator:**

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

### **Denominator Exclusions:**

None

# **Denominator Exceptions:**

Patient refusal for follow-up examination.

#### Numerator:

Patients with resolution of OME.

### **Numerator Exclusions:**

None

# **Measure Classifications:**

Measure Type: Outcome

National Quality Strategy (NQS) domain: Effective Clinical Care Meaningful Measures Area: Patient-Focused Episode of Care Care Setting(s): Ambulatory Care: Clinician Office/Clinic

Includes Telehealth: Yes

Number of Performance Rates: 1

Inverse measure: No Continuous measure: No Proportional measure: Yes

Ratio measure: No

Risk-adjusted measure: No

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# MEASURE DESCRIPTION

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# **DENOMINATOR**

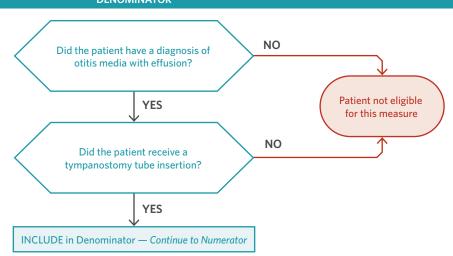
INCLUDED in IPP — Continue to Denominator

**INITIAL PATIENT POPULATION (IPP)** 

# \*Denominator Exceptions:

### PATIENT REASONS

Refusal of follow-up examination



#### **NUMERATOR**

