

Changes Made to V6.0 QM User's Manual for V7.0 Manual (April 2013)

1. Throughout document:
 - a. Changed lookback and look back to look-back for consistency.
 - b. Removed last two digits of CMS measure IDs because they are not necessary. For example, N001.01.00 was changed to N001.01.
2. Chapter 1:
 - a. Page 1 footer wording changed to: See Appendix C: MDS 3.0 Episode and Stay Determination Logic
3. Section 3: Short Stay Record Definitions:
 - a. Fixed footnotes on page 4.
4. Measures N003.01 through N006.01 (short-stay influenza vaccination measures):
 - a. Added exclusion for residents who are 179 days or less in age.
5. Measures N007.01 through N010.01 (short-stay pneumococcal vaccination measures):
 - a. Added exclusion for residents who are less than 5 years of age.
 - b. Removed references to “polysaccharide” and “PPV”.
6. Measure N011.01 (short-stay residents who newly received an antipsychotic medication):
 - a. Changed psychoactive to antipsychotic in measure description.
 - b. Revised wording of numerator which references exclusions.
 - c. Revised exclusion #1 to reference records in look-back scan (except for initial assessment).
 - d. Revised exclusion #3 so that records with dashes are referenced.
7. Measure N013.01 (long-stay residents with falls with major injury):
 - a. Changed measure description to include records in look-back period.
8. Measure N015.01 (long-stay, high-risk residents with pressure ulcers):
 - a. Removed condition 2.4 from numerator.
9. Measure N031.02 (long-stay residents who receive antipsychotic medication):
 - a. Changed psychoactive to antipsychotic in measure description
10. Appendix B:
 - a. Updated logistic regression coefficients for measure N002.01 in Table B1.
11. Appendix C:
 - a. Changed title to: Episode and Stay Determination Logic.
12. Appendix E:
 - a. Updated Table E1 so that it accurately reflects the measure labels and the order for QMs that are included in the CASPER reports.
 - b. Measure N034.01 (long-stay prevalence of behavior symptoms): added the word “not” to numerator condition #3.
13. Appendix F:
 - a. Appendix F was previously a separate document and has now been added to the QM manual.
 - b. Page F-1: added statement that diagnosis code item (I8000A through I8000J) are not included in the look-back scan.
 - c. Table F1: corrected logic that describes calculation of age (items A2300 and A0900 were reversed in a portion of the logic).
 - d. Table F1, measure “referral is or may be needed, but has not been made”: corrected label for Q0600=1 (changed “yes” to “no”).

Changes Made to V7.0 QM User's Manual for V8.0 Manual (April 2013)

1. Table of Contents
 - a. Updated Appendix C title to read: Appendix C: Episode and Stay Determination Logic
2. Appendix B:
 - a. Updated logistic regression coefficient #2 for measure N002.01 in Table B1 to read:
 2. (Covariate 2) 0.874906