Benign Hysterectomy Measure: Emergency room visits, inpatient admissions, and outpatient hospital visits for conditions related to the hysterectomy within 45 days of the procedure.

Description The percentage of patients who undergo a hysterectomy for a benign condition between November 16 of year prior to the measurement year and November 15 of the measurement year who have an emergency room visit, inpatient admission, or outpatient hospital visit for a condition related to the hysterectomy within 45 days of the hysterectomy.

Denominator The eligible population.

Numerator The numerator consists of emergency room visits, inpatient admissions, and outpatient hospital visits for conditions related to the hysterectomy within 45 days of the hysterectomy. Patients who have an inpatient admission after an emergency room visit are counted once. Patients who have multiple visits or admissions are counted twice.

Conditions for admission that are related to hysterectomy:

- Disruption of the wound
- Depression
- Gastrointestinal (GI) complaints and complications (nausea, vomiting, bowel obstruction, etc.)
- Hemorrhage
- Infection
- Myocardial Infarction
- UTI
- Pain
- Postprocedural circulatory complications (including PE/DVT)
- Postprocedural respiratory complications (pneumonia, etc.)
- Nerve injury
- Urine retention

Exclusions Visits and admissions are excluded from the numerator if they were for conditions not related to the hysterectomy.
### Emergency room visits, inpatient admissions, and outpatient hospital visits for conditions related to the hysterectomy within 45 days of the procedure.

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| Numerator Statement | The numerator consists of emergency room visits, inpatient admissions, and outpatient hospital visits for conditions related to the hysterectomy within 45 days of the hysterectomy. Visits and admissions are excluded from the numerator if they were for conditions not related to the hysterectomy.  

The measure outcome is the blended emergency room visit, inpatient admission, and outpatient hospital visit rate, defined as the percentage of visits and admissions for conditions related to the hysterectomy within 45 days.  

Conditions related to the hysterectomy are defined as:  
- Disruption of the wound  
- Gastrointestinal (GI) complaints and complications (nausea, vomiting, bowel obstruction, etc.)  
- Hemorrhage  
- Infection  
- UTI  
- Pain  
- Postprocedural circulatory complications (including PE/DVT)  
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- Nerve injury  
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| Numerator Details | Utilize HEDIS AMB-B table to identify emergency room visits  
CPT: 99281-99285  
UB Revenue: 045x, 0981  
Or  
CPT: 10040-69979 WITH POS: 23 |