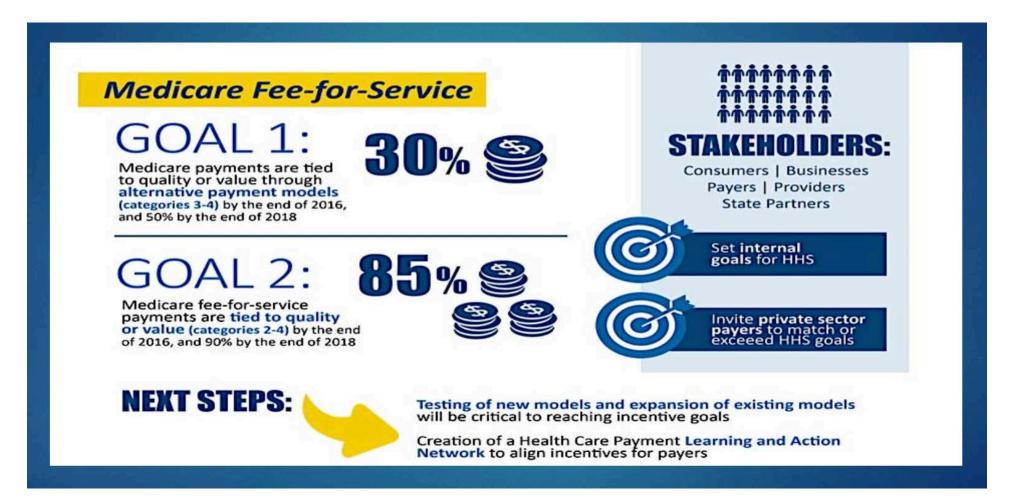


# Leveraging Immunization Information Systems for Performance Measurement

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### The Shift from Volume to Value



### Federal Quality Improvement Programs

#### **Hospital Quality**

- Meaningful use EHR incentive
- Inpatient quality reporting
- Outpatient quality reporting
- Ambulatory surgical centers
- Readmission reduction program
- HAC payment reduction program
- PPS-exempt cancer hospitals
- Inpatient psychiatric facilities

#### Physician Quality

- Merit-based Incentive Payment (MIPS)
- Maintenance of certification

#### **PAC Quality**

- Inpatient rehabilitation facility
- Nursing Home Compare measures
- LTCH quality reporting
- Hospice quality reporting
- Home health quality reporting

#### Payment Models

- Medicare Shared Savings Program (ACOs)
- Hospital value-based purchasing
- Physician Feedback
- ESRD QIP
- Innovations Pilots

#### Population Health

- Medicare Part C
- Medicare Part D
- Medicaid Adult Core Measures
- Medicaid Child Core Measures
- Health Insurance Exchange Quality Reporting System (QRS)



# HHS<sup>1</sup> National Quality Strategy (NQS): Direction for Measure Development

**Better Care** 

Healthy People Healthy Communities PRIORITIES<sup>2</sup>
Health and Well-Being
Prevention and Treatment of Leading
Causes of Mortality
Person- and Family-centered Care
Effective Communication and Care
Coordination
Patient Safety
Affordable Care

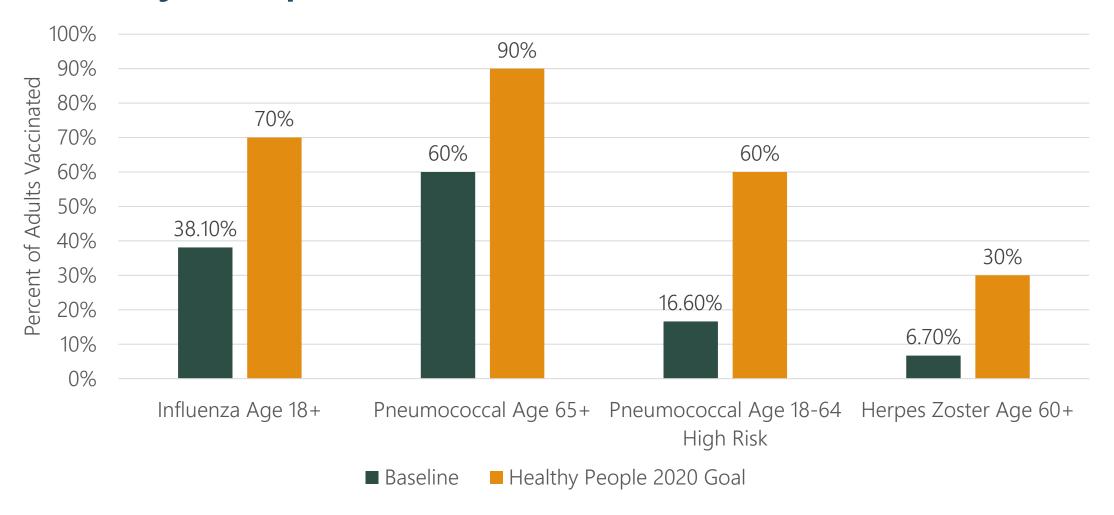
**Affordable Care** 

The Triple Aim and priority areas set the agenda for measure development, endorsement and implementation.

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# Healthy People 2020 Goals





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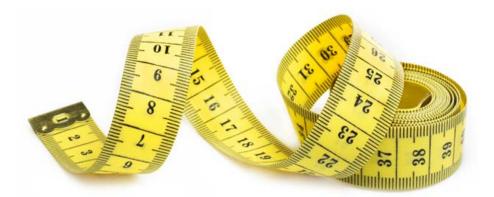
If you cannot manage it...

you cannot improve it

Dr. H. James Harrington

### What is a Healthcare Performance Measure?

- Healthcare performance measures are tools used to quantify the quality or cost of care provided to patients and their families.
- They allow us to *gauge* the quality of care that is provided and help us understand whether and how much improvement activities *improve* care and outcomes.





### How is a Performance Measure Calculated?

### Numerator

People who actually receive the action

### Denominator – Exclusions

People who are eligible to receive the action (such as treatment or screening)

People who are not eligible for the action for specific, defined reasons

## Immunization Measures in Federal Programs

Measure	Total Federal Programs	Programs	
Adolescent IZ Status	4	PQRS; Medicaid CHIPRA; Health Insurance Marketplaces; MIPS	
Childhood IZ Status	4	PQRS; Medicaid CHIPRA; Health Insurance Marketplaces; MIPS	
Hepatitis A	1	PQRS	
HPV in females	1	Medicaid CHIPRA	
Influenza	9	Hospital Inpatient Quality Reporting; Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility; Nursing Home Compare Measures; LTCH Quality Reporting; Home Health Quality Reporting; Medicare Shared Savings Program; Medicaid Adult Core; Health Insurance Marketplaces; Medicare Part C	
Influenza Healthcare Professionals	8	Hospital Inpatient Quality Reporting; Outpatient Quality Reporting; Ambulatory Surgical Center Quality Reporting; Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility; LTCH Quality Reporting; PPS Exempt Cancer Hospitals; Inpatient Psychiatric Facilities; ESRD QIP	
Influenza Screening	4	PQRS; Home Health Quality Reporting; Medicare Shared Savings Program; MIPS	
Pneumococcal	6	Hospital Inpatient Quality Reporting; PQRS; Nursing Home Compare Measures; Home Health Quality Reporting; Medicare Shared Savings Program; MIPS	
Pneumococcal Screening	1	Home Health Quality Reporting	
Registry Submission Capability	1	Medicare and Medicaid HER Incentive: Meaningful Use Stage 2 Core	



### **Examples of Immunization Measures**

#### Influenza Vaccination for Adults Age 18 and Older

• The percentage of adults 18 years of age and older who self-report receiving an influenza vaccine within the measurement period. This measure collected via the CAHPS 5.0H adults survey for Medicare, Medicaid, commercial populations.

#### Pneumonia Vaccination Status for Older Adults

• Percentage of patients 65 years of age and older who ever received a pneumococcal vaccination.

### Influenza Vaccination Coverage Among Healthcare Personnel

• Percentage of healthcare personnel (HCP) who receive the influenza vaccination.

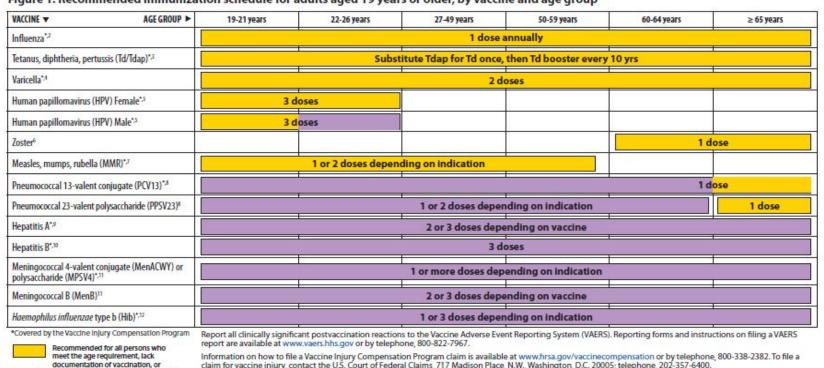
# Prioritizing Measure Development

### Recommended Adult Immunization Schedule

#### Recommended Adult Immunization Schedule—United States - 2016

Note: These recommendations must be read with the footnotes that follow containing number of doses, intervals between doses, and other important information.

Figure 1. Recommended immunization schedule for adults aged 19 years or older, by vaccine and age group<sup>1</sup>





past episode of zoster

or other Indication)

No recommendation

Recommended for persons with a risk

factor (medical, occupational, lifestyle,

lack evidence of past infection; zoster vaccine is recommended regardless of

claim for vaccine injury, contact the U.S. Court of Federal Claims, 717 Madison Place, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20005; telephone, 202-357-6400.

Additional information about the vaccines in this schedule, extent of available data, and contraindications for vaccination is also available at www.cdc.gov/vaccines or from the CDC-INFO Contact Center at 800-CDC-INFO (800-232-4636) in English and Spanish, 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday -Friday, excluding holidays,

Use of trade names and commercial sources is for identification only and does not imply endorsement by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

The recommendations in this schedule were approved by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP), the American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP), the America College of Physicians (ACP), the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists (ACOG) and the American College of Nurse-Midwives (ACNM).





# Prioritizing Measure Gaps: Adult Immunization

### NQF Priorities for Measure Development

- 1. HPV catch-up for ages 19-26
- 2. TDaP/Pertussis vaccine for ages 19-59
- 3. Zoster vaccine for ages 60-64
- 4. Zoster vaccine for ages 65+
- 5. Composite with other preventative services
- 6. Composite—TDaP and flu for pregnant women
- 7. Composite—Influenza, pneumococcal, Hepatitis B in diabetes
- 8. Composite—Influenza, pneumococcal, Hepatitis B in ESRD
- 9. Composite—Hep A and B in chronic liver disease
- 10. Composite of all AHIP vaccines for healthcare workers

### National Adult Immunization Plan

- Outlines actions to achieve optimal prevention of infectious diseases and their consequences through vaccination of adults
- Establishes four key goals to guide implementation and support stakeholder efforts to improve adult immunizations

Goal 1: Strengthen adult immunization infrastructure

Goal 2: Improve access to adult vaccines

Goal 3: Increase community demand

Goal 4: Foster innovation in adult vaccine development

FIGURE 1. Percentage of children aged <6 years participating in an immunization information system (IIS) — 2012

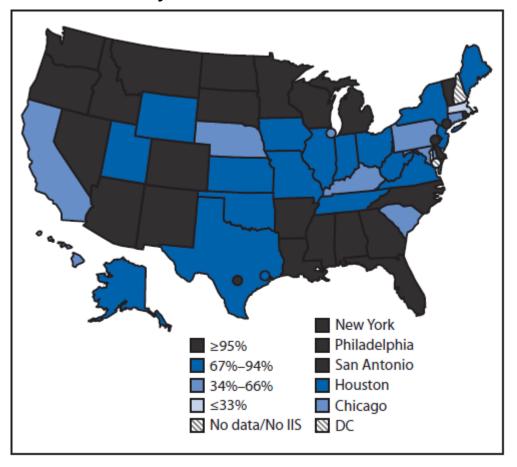
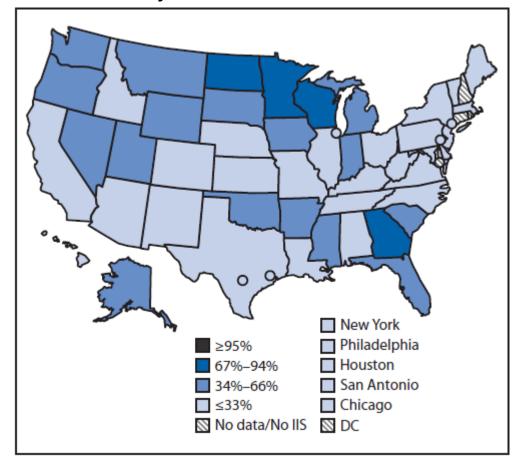


FIGURE 2. Percentage of adults aged ≥19 years participating in an immunization information system (IIS) — 2012



# **PQA Adult Immunization Task Force**

## PQA Immunization Measures in Development

- •Immunization Information System (IIS) Registry Reporting
- Assessment of Adult Immunization Status in Medication Therapy Management (MTM) and ACIP Compliance following Status Assessment
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### Five Considerations for Measure Development

- 1. Importance
- 2. Feasibility
- 3. Implementation
- 4. Data Source
- 5. Level of Measurement

# Immunization Information System Reporting (IISR)

### Description

• The percentage of claims for administered adult vaccinations that are recorded in the Immunization Information Systems during the measurement period.

### Denominator

• A specified random sample from the eligible population of medical and prescription claims for administration of vaccines within a specific state or territory during the measurement period.

### Numerator

 Of the claims included in the denominator, the number that had a matching IIS record.

# Immunization Information System Reporting (cont.)

### Data Source

Prescription and/or medical claims, IIS records

### Level of Analysis

• Health plan or PBM, specific to a state or U.S. territory

### Next Steps

Measure testing

# Select Preliminary IISR Measure Testing Results

Table 1. Select IIR Preliminary Results

Age (y)	Type of Vaccine(s) Queried	Type of Claim(s) Submitted	Type of Provider(s) Administering Vaccine	Documentation of Vaccination Present in the IIS
31	Hepatitis B Immune Globulin	Pharmacy	Pharmacy	yes
49	Mening Vac A,C,Y,W-135 Dip/Pf	Pharmacy	Pharmacy	yes
18	Measles, Mumps, Rubella, & V	Medical	Family Practice	yes
54	Hemophilus Influenza B Vacci	Medical	Family Practice	yes
18	Pneumococcal Conjugate Vacci	Medical	Rheumatology	yes
19	Hepatitis B Virus Vaccine/Pf	Pharmacy	Pharmacy	yes
42	Hepatitis A Virus Vaccine/Pf	Pharmacy	Pharmacy	no
54	Influenza Virus Vaccine, Who	Medical	Family Practice	no
32	Flu Vaccine Ts 2014-15 (4 Yr+)	Pharmacy	Pharmacy	no
90	Diph,Pertuss(Acell),Tet Vac/Pf	Pharmacy	Pharmacy	no
56	Hepatitis B Virus Vaccine/Pf	Pharmacy	Pharmacy	yes

# Challenges and Barriers to Implementation

- State variability in IIS reporting requirements
- IIS data quality and matching
- Implementation of standards and best practices
- Bidirectional capabilities

### Questions?

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