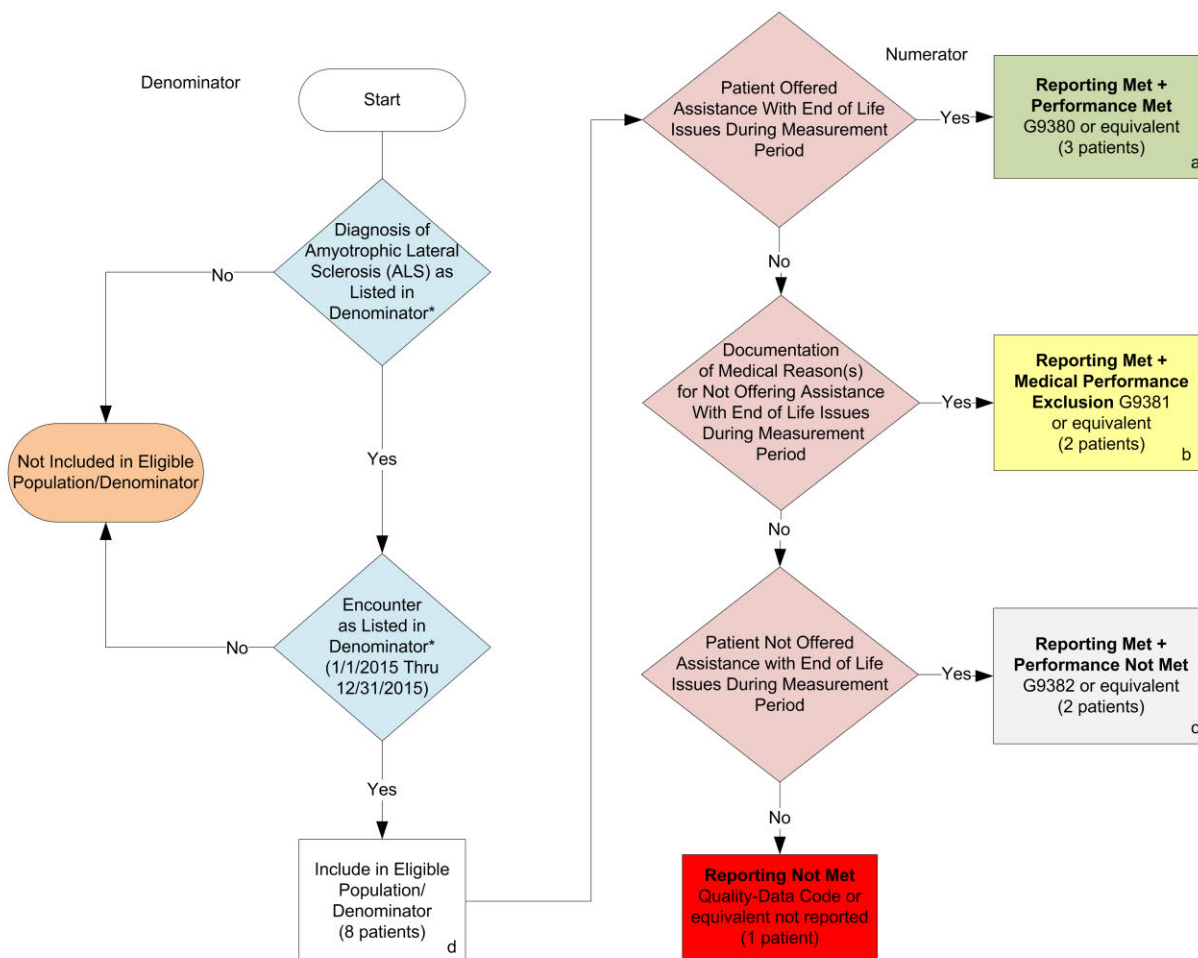


2015 Registry Individual Measure Flow
PQRS #386: Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS) Patient Care Preferences



SAMPLE CALCULATIONS:

Reporting Rate=

Performance Met (a=3 patients) + Performance Exclusion (b=2 patients) + Performance Not Met (c=2 patients) = 7 patients = 87.50%
 Eligible Population / Denominator (d=8 patients) = 8 patients

Performance Rate=

Performance Met (a=3 patients) = 3 patients = 60.00%
 Reporting Numerator (7 patients) – Performance Exclusion (b=2 patients) = 5 patients

* See the posted Measure Specification for specific coding and instructions to report this measure.

NOTE: Report Frequency – Patient-process

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Please refer to the specific section of the Measure Specification to identify the denominator and numerator information for use in reporting this Individual Measure.

1. Start with Denominator
2. Check Patient Diagnosis:
 - a. If Diagnosis of Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS) as Listed in Denominator equals No, do not include in Eligible Patient Population. Stop Processing.
 - b. If Diagnosis of Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS) as Listed in the Denominator equals Yes, proceed to check Encounter Performed.
3. Check Encounter Performed:
 - a. If Encounter as Listed in the Denominator equals No, do not include in Eligible Patient Population. Stop Processing.
 - b. If Encounter as Listed in the Denominator equals Yes, include in the Eligible population.
4. Denominator Population:
 - a. Denominator population is all Eligible Patients in the denominator. Denominator is represented as Denominator in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter d equals 8 patients in the sample calculation.
5. Start Numerator
6. Check Patient Offered Assistance with End of Life Issues During Measurement Period:
 - a. If Patient Offered Assistance with End of Life Issues During Measurement Period equals Yes, include in Reporting Met and Performance Met.
 - b. Reporting Met and Performance Met letter is represented in the Reporting Rate and Performance Rate in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter a equals 3 patients in Sample Calculation.
 - c. If Patient Offered Assistance with End of Life Issues During Measurement Period equals No, proceed to Documentation of Medical Reason(s) for Not Offering Assistance with End of Life Issues During Measurement Period.
7. Check Documentation of Medical Reason(s) for Not Offering Assistance with End of Life Issues During Measurement Period:
 - a. If Documentation of Medical Reason(s) for Not Offering Assistance with End of Life Issues During Measurement Period equals Yes, include in Reporting Met and Performance Exclusion.
 - b. Reporting Met and Performance Exclusion letter is represented in the Reporting Rate and Performance Rate in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter b equals 2 patients in the Sample Calculation.
 - c. If Documentation of Medical Reason(s) for Not Offering Assistance with End of Life Issues During Measurement Period equals No, proceed to Patient Not Offered Assistance with End of Life Issues During Measurement Period.

8. Check Patient Not Offered Assistance with End of Life Issues During Measurement Period:
 - a. If Patient Not Offered Assistance with End of Life Issues During Measurement Period Yes, include in the Reporting Met and Performance Not Met.
 - b. Reporting Met and Performance Not Met letter is represented in the Reporting Rate in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter c equals 2 patients in the Sample Calculation.
 - c. If Patient Not Offered Assistance with End of Life Issues During Measurement Period equals No, proceed to Reporting Not Met.
9. Check Reporting Not Met:
 - a. If Reporting Not Met, the Quality Data Code or equivalent was not reported. 1 patient has been subtracted from the reporting numerator in sample calculation.

SAMPLE CALCULATIONS:

Reporting Rate=

$$\frac{\text{Performance Met (a=3 patients) + Performance Exclusion (b=2 patients) + Performance Not Met (c=2 patients)}}{\text{Eligible Population / Denominator (d=8 patients)}} = \frac{7 \text{ patients}}{8 \text{ patients}} = 87.50\%$$

Performance Rate=

$$\frac{\text{Performance Met (a=3 patients)}}{\text{Reporting Numerator (7 patients) - Performance Exclusion (b=2 patients)}} = \frac{3 \text{ patients}}{5 \text{ patients}} = 60.00\%$$