

File Specifications

2014 to 2015 Patient-Level Data File Specifications Crosswalk

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1 Specification Updates

1.1 Purpose and Scope

This document illustrates the differences between the HEDIS® 2014 Patient-Level file specifications (2013 Measurement Year) and the HEDIS® 2015 Patient-Level file specifications (2014 Measurement Year) documents. Again this year, we will be collecting two documents: File 1 consists of all measures except the Plan All-Cause Readmissions (PCR) measure, which is contained in File 2.

2 2014 to 2015 Change Summary

2.1 Additions and Deletions to the 2015 File Specifications

As defined below, there has been only one addition to the HEDIS Medicare measures for HEDIS 2015 for which reporting is required:

- Non-Recommended PSA-Based Screening in Older Men

Additionally, two existing measures were retired in 2015 and therefore are no longer required to be reported upon, they include:

- Glaucoma Screening in Older Adults
- Cholesterol Management for Patients with Cardiovascular Conditions

It is important to note that several measures were revised for 2015 and while specific revision details can be found in the *Summary of Changes* or *Appendix 1* of the **HEDIS 2015 Technical Specifications for Health Plans Volume 2**, updated file layouts can be found in the specification documents noted below:

- “HEDIS 2015 Patient Level File Specifications File 1 of 2”
- “HEDIS 2015 PCR File Specifications File 2 of 2”

A crosswalk for each file follows.

Data Element Crosswalk of 2014 to 2015 HEDIS Data Specifications for Detail Records for File 1

Col #	2015 Col #	2014 Col #	2015 Col #	2014 Col #	2015 Col #	2014 Col #	2015 Col #	2014 Col #	2015 Col #	2014 Col #	2014 Col #
1-12	1-12	112	109	145	136	172	159	239-241	226-228	318-321	305-308
13-36	13-36	113	110	146	n/a	173	160	242-244	229-231	322-325	309-312
37-51	37-51	114	111	147	n/a	174	161	245-247	232-234	326-329	313-316
52-73	52-73	115	112	148	137	175	162	248-250	235-237	330-333	317-320
74-75	74-75	116	113	149	138	176	163	251-253	238-240	n/a	321
76-80	76-80	117	114	150	139	177	164	254	241	n/a	322
81	81	118	115	151	140	178	165	255	242		
82-89	82-89	119	n/a	152	141	179-181	166-168	256	243		
90-92	90-92	120	n/a	153	142	182-184	169-171	257	244		
93	93	121	n/a	154	143	185-187	172-174	258	245		
94-95	94-95	122	n/a	155	144	188-190	175-177	259	246		
96	96	123	116	156	n/a	191-193	178-180	260	247		
97	97	124	117	157	n/a	194-196	181-183	261	248		
98	98	125	n/a	158	145	197-199	184-186	262-265	249-252		
99	99	126	n/a	159	146	200-202	187-189	266-269	253-256		
100	100	127	118	160	147	203-205	190-192	270-273	257-260		
101	101	128	119	161	148	206-208	193-195	274-277	261-264		
102	102	129	120	162	149	209-211	196-198	278-281	265-268		
103	103	130	121	163	150	212-214	199-201	282-285	269-272		
104	104	131-132	122-123	164	151	215-217	202-204	286-289	273-276		
105	105	133-134	124-125	165	152	218-220	205-207	290-293	277-280		
106	106	135-136	126-127	166	153	221-223	208-210	294-297	281-284		
107	107	137-138	128-129	167	154	224-226	211-213	298-301	285-288		
108	n/a	139-140	130-131	168	155	227-229	214-216	302-305	289-292		
109	n/a	141-142	132-133	169	156	230-232	217-219	306-309	293-296		
110	n/a	143	134	170	157	233-235	220-222	310-313	297-300		
111	108	144	135	171	158	236-238	223-225	314-317	301-304		

Data Element Crosswalk of 2014 to 2015 HEDIS Data Specifications for Detail Records for File 2

2014 Col #	2015 Col #	2014 Col #	2015 Col #	2014 Col #	2015 Col #	2014 Col #	2015 Col #	2014 Col #	2015 Col #	2014 Col #	2015 Col #
1-12	1-12	74-75	74-75	82-89	82-89	94	94	111-113	111-113	138-149	138-149
13-36	13-36	76-80	76-80	90-92	90-92	95-102	95-102	114-125	114-125	150-161	150-161
37-51	37-51	81	81	93	93	103-110	103-110	126-137	126-137	162-173	162-173
52-73	52-73										