

Statin therapy for patients with cardiovascular disease

Measurement definition

Male patients ages 21 to 75 and female patients ages 40 to 75 who are identified as having clinical atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease (ASCVD) and who were dispensed at least one high-intensity or moderate-intensity statin medication

Event:

- Discharge from an inpatient setting with a myocardial infraction (MI) on the discharge claim
- Coronary artery bypass grafting (CABG), percutaneous coronary intervention (PCI), or any other revascularization in any setting the year prior to the measurement year (MY)

Diagnosis

Identify members as having ischemic vascular disease (IVD) who met at least one of the following criteria during both the MY and the year prior to the MY:

- At least one outpatient visit, telephone visit, e-visit, or virtual check-in with an IVD diagnosis
- At least one acute inpatient encounter with an IVD diagnosis without telehealth
- At least one acute inpatient discharge with an IVD diagnosis on the discharge claim

Exclusion criteria

Patients are excluded if they:

- Cannot tolerate statin medications, as evidenced by a claim for myalgia, myositis, myopathy, or rhabdomyolysis, during the MY.
- Received hospice care during the MY.
- Received palliative care during the MY.
- Have end stage renal disease or dialysis in the measurement year or the year prior to the MY.
- Have cirrhosis in the measurement year or the year prior to the MY
- Are female members with a diagnosis of pregnancy, in vitro fertilization (IVF), or at least one prescription for clomiphene (estrogen agonists) during the measurement year or the year prior to the MY.

Patient medical records

If patients are not able to tolerate statin medications and are excluded from the measure, submit a claim using the appropriate ICD-10-CM code:

Condition	ICD-10-CM code
Pregnancy	O00-O9A
ESRD	N18.6
Dialysis	Z99.2
Cirrhosis	K70.30, K70.31, K71.7, K74.3, K74.4, K74.5, K74.60, K74.69, P78.81
Myopathy	G72.0, G72.1, G72.2, G72.49, G72.81, G72.89, G72.9
Myalgia	M79.10, M79.11, M79.12, M79.18
Myositis	M60.80, M60.811, M60.812, M60.819, M60.821, M60.822, M60.829, M60.831, M60.832, M60.839, M60.841, M60.842, M60.849, M60.851, M60.852, M60.859, M60.861, M60.862, M60.869, M60.871, M60.872, M60.879, M60.88, M60.89, M60.9
Rhabdomyolysis	M62.82
Palliative care	ICD-10-CM: Z51.5

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Tips for success

At least one high-intensity or moderate-intensity statin medication during the MY to patients diagnosed with ASCVD

Category	Medication
High-intensity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Atorvastatin 40 to 80 mg • Amlodipine-atorvastatin 40 to 80 mg • Rosuvastatin 20 to 40 mg • Simvastatin 80 mg • Ezetimibe-simvastatin 80 mg
Moderate-intensity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Atorvastatin 10 to 20 mg • Amlodipine-atorvastatin 10 to 20 mg • Rosuvastatin 5 to 10 mg • Simvastatin 20 to 40 mg • Ezetimibe-simvastatin 20 to 40 mg • Pravastatin 40 to 80 mg • Lovastatin 40 mg • Fluvastatin 40 to 80 mg • Pitavastatin 1 to 4 mg

Tips for talking to patients:

- Educate your patients on the importance of statin medication adherence.
- Remind patients to contact you if they think they are experiencing adverse effects.
- Once patients demonstrate they can tolerate statin therapy, encourage them to obtain 90-day supplies at their pharmacy.

SPC billing codes:

Myocardial infarction (MI)	ICD-10-CM: I21.01, I21.02, I21.09, I21.11, I21.19, I21.21, I21.29, I21.3, I21.4, I21.9, I21.A1, I21.A9, I22.0, I22.1, I22.2, I22.8, I22.9, I23.0, I23.1, I23.2, I23. I23.3, I23.4, I23.5, I23.6, I23.7, I23.8, I25.2
Coronary artery bypass graft (CABG)	CPT®: 33510-33514, 33516-33519, 33521-33523, 33530, 33533-33536 HCPCS: S2205-S2209
Percutaneous coronary intervention (PCI)	CPT: 92920, 92924, 92928, 92933, 92937, 92941, 92943 HCPCS: C9600, C9602, C9604, C9606, C9607
Other revascularization	CPT: 37220, 37221, 37224-37231
Ischemic vascular disease (IVD)	ICD-10-CM: I20.0, I20.8, I20.9, I24.0, I24.8, I24.9, I25.10, I25.110, I25.111, I25.119, I25.5, I25.6, I25.700, I25.701, I25.708-I25.711, I25.718-I25.7021, I25.728-I25.731, I25.738, I25.739, I25.750, I25.751, I25.758, I25.759, I25.760, I25.761, I25.768, I25.769, I25.790, I25.791, I25.798, I25.799 I25.810, I25.811, I25.812, I25.82, I25.83, I25.84, I25.89, I25.9, I63.20, I63.211, I63.212, I63.213, I63.219, I63.22, I63.231, I63.232, I63.233, I63.239, I63.29, I63.50, I63.511, I63.512, I63.513, I63.519, I63.521, I63.522, I63.523, I63.529, I63.531, I63.532, I63.533, I63.539, I63.541, I63.542, I63.543, I63.549, I63.59, I65.01, I65.02, I65.03, I65.09, I65.1, I65.21, I65.22, I65.23, I65.29, I65.8, I65.9, I66.01, I66.02, I66.03, I66.09, I66.11, I66.12, I66.13, I66.19, I66.21, I66.22, I66.23, I66.29, I66.3, I66.8, I66.9, I67.2, I70.1, I70.201, I70.202, I70.203, I70.208, I70.209, I70.211, I70.212, I70.213, I70.218, I70.219, I70.221, I70.222, I70.223, I70.228, I70.229, I70.231, I70.232, I70.233, I70.234, I70.235, I70.238, I70.239, I70.241, I70.242, I70.243, I70.244, I70.245, I70.248, I70.249, I70.25, I70.261, I70.262, I70.263, I70.268, I70.269, I70.291, I70.292, I70.293, I70.298, I70.299, I70.301, I70.302, I70.303, I70.308, I70.309, I70.311, I70.312, I70.313, I70.318, I70.319, I70.321, I70.322, I70.323, I70.328, I70.329, I70.331, I70.332, I70.333, I70.334, I70.335, I70.338,

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Telephone visits	CPT: 98966, 98967, 98968, 99441, 99442, 99443
Online assessments	CPT: 98970, 98971, 98972, 99421, 99422, 99423, 99457 HCPCS: G0071, G2010, G2012

Resources:

- ICD-10-CM 2022, Optum
- NCQA, HEDIS®, and performance measurement: www.ncqa.org
- CPT 2022, AMA

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