

Statin Therapy for Patients with Cardiovascular Disease (SPC)



Measure Description

The percentage of males 21 – 75 years of age and females 40 – 75 years of age who were identified as having clinical atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease (ASCVD) and were dispensed at least one high or moderate-intensity statin medication during the measurement year.

- The measure is a weight of one **(1)** Star and is part of the **STARs P4P Incentive Program**.
- Patients are identified as having ASCVD via an event in the year prior to the measurement or an ischemic vascular disease (IVD) diagnosis.

Call to Action

- **Ensure** all patients with cardiovascular disease are prescribed a **high or moderate-intensity statin at least once**.
- **Consider** prescribing one of the low-cost **generic statin medications**.

Measure Requirements

Fills are based solely on prescriptions processed at the pharmacy under the Part D benefit. Samples and medications provided at no cost to patient and Health Plan are not counted.

- Please note only one fill of a statin medication is required for this measure. If a patient obtains two fills, they will be included to the **Medication Adherence Cholesterol (MAC)** measure.
- The statin medications listed below apply to this measure and to the **Statin Use in Persons with Diabetes (SUPD)** and Medication Adherence Cholesterol (MAC) measures.

Exclusions

Any time during the measurement year

- Members in hospice or using hospice services
- Members who died
- Members receiving palliative care: Z51.5
- Myalgia, myositis, myopathy or rhabdomyolysis diagnosis: G72.0, G72.2, G72.9, 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, M62.82, M79.10, M79.11, M79.12, M79.18
- Members ages 66 and older as of December 31 of the measurement year who had at least 2 diagnoses of frailty on different dates of services and advanced illness.

Any time during the measurement year or the year prior to the measurement year

- Cirrhosis: K70.30, K70.31, K71.7, K74.3-K74.5, K74.60, K74.69, P78.81
- Dispensed at least (1) prescription for clomiphene (Estrogen)
- End-stage renal disease (ESRD): N18.6
- Dialysis: 90935,90937,90945,90947,90997,90999,99512
- Pregnancy (1000+codes)*: O00.101, O10.011, O20.8, O30.001, O99.019, O99.210, O99.340, O99.81, O99.820, Z33.2, Z34.00, Z34.83, Z34.90-93
- In vitro fertilization

2024 Formulary

Tiers	High-Intensity Statins	Moderate-Intensity Statins	
Tier 1 *	Atorvastatin 40-80 mg	Atorvastatin 10-20 mg	Pravastatin 40-80 mg
	Rosuvastatin 20-40 mg	Rosuvastatin 5-10 mg	Lovastatin 40 mg
	Simvastatin 80 mg	Simvastatin 20-40 mg	Fluvastatin 40-80 mg
	Amlodipine-Atorvastatin 40-80 mg	Amlodipine-Atorvastatin 10-20 mg	Pitavastatin 1-4mg
	Ezetimibe-Simvastatin 80 mg	Ezetimibe-Simvastatin 20-40 mg	

*Lowest copay of all tier levels



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