

Glycemic Status Assessment for Patients with Diabetes (GSD)

Measure Description

Adult patients 18–75 years of age with diabetes (types 1 and 2) whose most recent glycemic status (hemoglobin A1c [HbA1c] or glucose management indicator [GMI]) was at the following levels during the measurement year:

- Glycemic Status <8.0%.
- Glycemic Status >9.0%.

Numerator Compliance

HbA1c Control <8% - most recent glycemic status assessment has a result of <8.0%.

NOTE: The patient is not compliant if the most recent glycemic status assessment has a result of >9.0% or is missing a result, or if a glycemic status assessment was not done during the measurement year.

Quality Value Set Directory Coding Tips

HbA1c Lab Test

CPT

83036, 83037

LOINC

17855-8, 17856-6, 4548-4, 4549-2, 96595-4

HbA1c Level Greater Than or Equal To 8.0

CPT-CAT-II

3046F, 3052F

HbA1c Level Less Than 8.0

CPT-CAT-II

3044F, 3051F

HbA1c Level Less Than or Equal To 9.0

CPT-CAT-II

3044F, 3051F, 3052F

HbA1c Test Result or Finding

CPT-CAT-II

3044F, 3046F, 3051F, 3052F

Best Practices

- ★ **Coordinate** care with patients' other providers.
- ★ **Ensure** documentation in the medical record includes the date when the HbA1c was performed and the result.
- ★ **Order** an HbA1c test every year and build care gap "alerts" in your electronic medical record.
- ★ **Outreach** patients who cancel appointments and reschedule them as soon as possible.
- ★ **Provide** nutritional counseling. If needed, refer patient to endocrinology or to the diabetes educational program.