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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Indicator Indicator type: Indicator

Short name: Indicator 9-Local arrangements to measure and act upon patient-reported

outcomes related to heavy menstrual bleeding

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Registration status: <u>Health!</u>, Standard 17/10/2018

Description: Evidence of local arrangements to measure and act upon patient-reported

outcomes related to heavy menstrual bleeding.

Indicator set: Clinical care standard indicators: heavy menstrual bleeding

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Collection and usage attributes

Computation description: Local arrangements should specify:

a requirement to regularly measure patient-reported symptom severity and
 available of life related to the patient's began meantained bloodings.

quality of life related to the patient's heavy menstrual bleeding;

a protocol outlining how a patient's results will be used to inform their

treatment and care.

Clinically-validated tools should be used for measurement (see Comments), administered at minimum at baseline (in primary care, this may be defined as first or second visit with a new presentation of heavy menstrual bleeding), and at clinically appropriate time intervals thereafter.

Computation: A healthcare setting where care is provided to patients with heavy menstrual

bleeding which has documented evidence of local arrangements should record

'Yes'. Otherwise, the healthcare setting should record 'No'.

Comments: Examples of tools assessing both symptoms of heavy menstrual bleeding and

condition-specific quality of life are:

• Aberdeen Menorrhagia Severity Scale (AMSS)

Menorrhagia Multiattribute Scale (MMAS)

• Menstrual Impact Questionnaire (MIQ)

• Menstrual Bleeding Questionnaire (MBQ)

Representational attributes

Representation class: Count

Data type: Real

Unit of measure: Service event

Format: Yes/No

Accountability attributes

Other issues caveats: Applicable settings: primary care settings (including general practice, family

planning and sexual health services), public and private specialist gynaecology

clinics and practices, and public and private hospitals.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care

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