**2015 PQRS QCDR MEASURES BY NQS DOMAIN (Revised 5/7/15)**

QCDR Reporting Requirements – Report 9 measures covering at least 3 NQS Domains; 2 of the 9 measures must be outcome measures. The outcome measures are highlighted in yellow. The remaining measures are process measures.

Click the following links for more information regarding the measures:

* [PY 2015 QCDR PQRS Measures](http://www.aqihq.org/files/pqrs/PY2015_QCDR_PQRS_measures_(existing_PQRS_measures).pdf)
* [2015 AQI non-PQRS Measures Specifications](http://www.aqihq.org/files/pqrs/2015_AQI_non-PQRS_Measures_Narrative__Final.pdf)

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| **NQS DOMAIN NAME** | **MEASURE** |
| **Person and Caregiver Centered Experience** | * **PQRS Measure #109**: Osteoarthritis – Function and Pain Assessment * **PQRS Measure #342**: Pain Brought Under Control within 48 hours * **PQRS Measure #358**: Patient Centered Surgical Risk Assessment and Communication * **ASA Measure #7**: Prevention of Post-Operative Nausea and Vomiting (PONV) – Combination Therapy (Adults) * **ASA Measure #8:** Prevention of Post-Operative Nausea and Vomiting (PONV) – Combination Therapy (Peds) * **ASA Measure #14**: Short Term Pain Management * **ASA Measure #16**: Composite Patient Experience Measure |
| **Patient Safety** | * **PQRS Measure #76:** Prevention of Catheter-Related Bloodstream Infections (CRBSI): Central Venous Catheter Insertion Protocol * **PQRS Measure #130:** Documentation of Current Medications in Medical Record * **PQRS Measure #193**: Perioperative Temperature Management * **ASA Measure #11**: Immediate Perioperative Cardiac Arrest Rate **(INV)\*\*** * **ASA Measure #12**: Immediate Perioperative Mortality Rate **(INV)\*\*** * **ASA Measure #13**: PACU Re-intubation Rate **(INV)\*\*** * **ASA Measure #15**: Composite Procedural Safety for Central Line Placement * **ASA Measure #17**: Timely Administration of Prophylactic Antibiotics (formerly PQRS #30) * **ASA Measure #18**: Perioperative Temperature Management * **ASA Measure #19**: Perioperative Use of Aspirin for patients with drug eluting stents * **ASA Measure #20**: Surgical Safety Checklist * **ASA Measure #22**: Corneal Injury diagnosed in PACU **(INV)\*\*** * **ASA Measure #31**: Total Knee Replacement – Venous thromboembolic and cardiovascular risk assessment * **ASA Measure #32**: Total Knee Replacement – Preoperative Antibiotic |
| **Communication & Care Coordination** | * **ASA Measure #6**: PACU Transfer of Care: Use of Checklist or Protocol for Transfer of Care from Procedure Room to ICU * **ASA Measure #9**: Post-Anesthetic Transfer of Care Measure: Procedure Room to PACU |
| **Community/Population Health** | * **PQRS Measure #131:** Pain Assessment and Follow-up * **PQRS Measure #226**: Preventative Care and Screening Tobacco Use: Screening and Cessation |
| **Effective Clinical Care** | * **PQRS Measure #44**: Preoperative Beta-Blocker in Patients with Isolated CABG surgery * **ASA Measure #10**: Composite Anesthesia Safety * **ASA Measure #21**: Smoking Abstinence * **ASA Measure #23**: CABG: Prolonged Intubation **(INV)\*\*** * **ASA Measure #24**: CABG – Stroke **(INV)\*\*** * **ASA Measure #25**: CABG – Post-op Renal Failure **(INV)\*\*** * **ASA Measure #28**: Rate of Post-op stroke or death in asymptomatic patients undergoing CAS **(INV)\*\*** * **ASA Measure #29**: Rate of Post-op stroke or death in asymptomatic patients undergoing CAE * **ASA Measure #30:** Rate of EVAR of small or moderate non-ruptured AAA who expire in the hospital * **ASA Measure #33:** Unplanned Hospital Readmission **(INV)\*\*** * **ASA Measure #34:** Surgical Site Infections **(INV)\*\*** |

**\*\*Note 1: INV** – Indicates an inverse measure. A lower calculated performance rate for these measures indicates better clinical care or control.