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Quality Measure

**Description:**

**Measure Title:** Cataracts: Improvement in Patient’s Visual Function within 90 Days Following Cataract Surgery

**NQF Measure Number:** 1536

**Measure Steward:** American Academy of Ophthalmology and Hoskins Center for Quality Eye Care

**Measure Description:** Percentage of patients aged 18 years and older who had cataract surgery and had improvement in visual function achieved within 90 days following the cataract surgery

**Numerator Statement:** Patients 18 years and older in sample who had improvement in visual function achieved within 90 days following cataract surgery, based on completing a pre-operative and post-operative visual function instrument

**Denominator Statement:** All patients aged 18 years and older in sample who had cataract surgery

**Exclusions:**

**Risk Adjustment:** No

**eMeasure Available:** No

**Measure Status:**

**Endorsement Type:** Endorsed

**Last Updated Date:** Apr 11, 2013

**Classification:**

**National Quality Strategy Priorities:** Effective Communication and Care Coordination

**Actual/Planned Use:** Payment Program, Public Reporting, Quality Improvement (Internal to the specific organization), Quality Improvement with Benchmarking (external benchmarking)
to multiple organizations)

**Care Setting:** Ambulatory Care: Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC), Ambulatory Care: Clinician Office/Clinic

**Condition:**

**Cross-Cutting Area:**

**Data Source:** Patient Reported Data/Survey

**Level of Analysis:** Clinician: Individual

**Measure Type:** Outcome

**Target Population:** Senior Care

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**MEASURE HISTORY:**

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