

Health Data, Technology, and Interoperability: Certification Program Updates, Algorithm Transparency, and Information Sharing (HTI-1) Proposed Rule

# ONC Health IT Certification Program Insights Condition Updated April 2023

#### Measure ID and Version: Interop\_Public Health\_1\_v1

**Measure Title:** Immunization Administrations Electronically Submitted to an Immunization Information System (IIS) through Certified Health IT

#### **Measure Description**

- Regulatory Reference: 42 CFR § 170.407(a)(8)
- Associated Certification Criteria: 42 CFR § 170.315(f)(1)
- This measure captures the use of certified health IT to export single patient and patient population EHI.

#### **Denominator(s)**

1. The number of immunizations administered during the reported period.

### Numerator(s)

1. The number of immunization administrations from which the information was electronically submitted to an IIS successfully (see Definitions) during the reporting period.

#### **Stratifications**

- Denominator 1 and Numerator 1:
  - IIS
  - Age Group
    - Adults = 18 years and over
    - Adolescents/infants = 17 years and under

#### **Definitions**

• **Successful Submission:** A successful submission to an IIS should be the total number of messages submitted minus acknowledgements with errors (2.5.1, severity level of E)

#### **Supplemental Reporting Information**

- Required: Reports shall include counts and be aggregated at the product level (across versions).
- **Required:** Reports shall include the percent proportion overall and by stratification and should include the numerator and denominator counts overall and by stratification.
- **Required:** Developers shall submit documentation on the data sources and methodology used to generate these measures.
- Optional: Developers may also submit descriptive or qualitative information to provide context.

#### **Notes**

- Not all clinicians consider immunizations in their scope of practice, and this will affect the data reported.
- Jurisdictions vary in mandated reporting for specific patient age groups, and the measure would only reflect those (patients) for which providers must electronically transmit data.



## **Exclusions**

• Products that are not certified to 42 CFR § 170.315(b)(10) are excluded from this measure.

## **Measure Characteristics**

- Measure Scoring: Proportion
- Measure Area: Public Health Information Exchange
- Measure Category: Interoperability

## **Expected Metrics**

• Percent of immunizations administered where the information was electronically submitted to an IIS.

