

Fields used in CAREWare to construct the In + Care Performance Measures-2011

Measure	Numerator	Denominator	Comments
#1 Visit gap Measure	<p>Visits by service category in date span=0</p> <p>Subfilter: <i>Srv Category=Outpatient/Ambulatory Medical care</i> <i>Date span: 0 to 180 days before end date</i> <i>Domain wide=No</i></p>	<p>1. HIV status=HIV positive (not AIDS) or HIV Pos (AIDS status unknown) or CDC-defined AIDS</p> <p>2. Visits by service category in date span>=1 Subfilter: <i>Srv Category=Outpatient/Ambulatory medical care</i> <i>Date span: First 6 months of measurement yr.</i> <i>Domain wide=No</i></p> <p>3. Enrollment status by date=Active, Inactive/case closed OR Unknown</p> <p>4. Vital status by end date: Not Equal to deceased</p>	<p>Numerator returns clients who did NOT have a visit</p>
#2 Medical visit frequency	<p>Under construction</p>	<p>1. HIV status=HIV positive (not AIDS) or HIV Pos (AIDS status unknown) or CDC-defined AIDS</p> <p>2. Visits by service category in date span=>1 Subfilter: <i>Srv Category=Outpatient/Ambulatory medical care</i> <i>Date span: First 6 months of 24 month measurement period (months 24 to 19)</i> <i>Domain wide=No</i></p> <p>3. Enrollment status by date=Active, Inactive/case closed OR Unknown</p> <p>4. Vital status by end date: Not Equal to deceased</p>	<p>Numerator returns clients who DID have at least one visit in each period</p>

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#3 Patients newly enrolled in medical care	<p>Visits by service category in span>=1 for each period</p> <p>Subfilter: <i>Srv Category</i>=Outpatient/Ambulatory Medical care <i>Date span</i>: 8 to 5 Months before end date <i>Date span</i>: 4 to 0 Months before end date</p> <p><i>Domain wide</i>=No</p>	<p>1. HIV status=HIV positive (not AIDS) or HIV Pos (AIDS status unknown) or CDC-defined AIDS</p> <p>2. Visits by service category in date span>=1 Subfilter: <i>Srv Category</i>=Outpatient/Ambulatory medical care <i>Date span</i>: First 4 months of measurement yr.(months 9-12) <i>Domain wide</i>=No</p> <p>3. Enrollment status by date=Active, Inactive/case closed OR Unknown</p> <p>4. Enrollment date: within measurement year (0 to 12 months)</p> <p>5. Vital status by end date: Not Equal to deceased</p>	<p>Numerator returns newly enrolled clients who DID have at least one visit in each period</p>
#4 Viral load suppression	<p>1. Last Quantitative Lab value: <=199</p> <p>Subfilter: <i>Quant test</i>= viral load <i>Quant lab date</i>: within measurement year (0 to 12 months) <i>Domain wide</i>=No</p>	<p>1. HIV status=HIV positive (not AIDS) or HIV Pos (AIDS status unknown) or CDC-defined AIDS</p> <p>2. Visits by service category in date span>=1 Subfilter: <i>Srv Category</i>=Outpatient/Ambulatory medical care <i>Date span</i>: measurement year (0 to 12 months) <i>Domain wide</i>=No</p> <p>3. Enrollment status by date=Active, Inactive/case closed OR Unknown</p> <p>4. Vital status by end date: Not Equal to deceased</p>	<p>Numerator returns clients whose latest viral load in year is suppressed (less than 200 copies)</p>