

Summary of Changes: Together 2 Goal® Campaign Measurement Specifications

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Five updates to the T2G Measure Specs for the campaign extension, beginning April 2019:

1. Extended for 2 years the table of measurement periods and reporting dates. Same quarterly data reporting schedule. See table below.
2. An optional change in how patients are qualified for the Active Initial Population (denominator for prevalence of type 2 diabetes) and the T2G Cohort (numerator for prevalence): 1 of the required 2 or more encounters (during the 18 months prior to the end of the 12-month measurement period) may now be a telehealth visit; and a type 2 diabetes diagnosis on an eligible telehealth encounter can be used to meet the inclusion criteria for the T2G cohort. For the telehealth encounters, we've added CPT codes to Table 1, and the HEDIS Value Set: Telehealth which includes CPT modifiers and CMS place-of-service (POS) code. See notes 2 and 4 in measure specifications.
3. Updated NCQA HEDIS value sets: HEDIS Value Sets for T2G Measures v3.0.xlsx.
4. Added CPT code 96160 to Table 1 (see table note for Table 1).
5. Added two new medications to Table 6, ACE inhibitors and ARBs: amlodipine-perindopril (Prestalia) and sacubitril-valsartan (Entresto).

We remain grateful to NCQA for permission to use the HEDIS value sets and to base the T2G campaign measures on the HEDIS measures of Comprehensive Diabetes Care (CDC) and Statin Therapy for Patients with Diabetes (SPD). None of the measures for the AMGA Foundation Together 2 Goal campaign has been validated by NCQA. NCQA specifications are provided in Together 2 Goal for reference only and are not an indication of measure validity.

Measurement Periods and Data Reporting Schedule for T2G Campaign Extension

T2G Year 4:	2019 Q2 (2018 Q3 – 2019 Q2)	2019 Q2 (2018 Jul 1 – 2019 Jun 30)	September 2, 2019	September 27, 2019
	2019 Q3 (2018 Q4 – 2019 Q3)	2019 Q3 (2018 Oct 1 – 2019 Sep 30)	December 2, 2019	December 20, 2019
	2019 Q4 (2019 Q1 – 2019 Q4)	2019 Q4 (2019 Jan 1 – 2019 Dec 31)	March 2, 2020	March 20, 2020
	2020 Q1 (2019 Q2 – 2020 Q1)	2020 Q1 (2019 Apr 1 – 2020 Mar 31)	June 1, 2020	June 26, 2020
T2G Year 5:	2020 Q2 (2019 Q3 – 2020 Q2)	2020 Q2 (2019 Jul 1 – 2020 Jun 30)	September 1, 2020	September 25, 2020
	2020 Q3 (2019 Q4 – 2020 Q3)	2020 Q3 (2019 Oct 1 – 2020 Sep 30)	December 1, 2020	December 22, 2020
	2020 Q4 (2020 Q1 – 2020 Q4)	2020 Q4 (2020 Jan 1 – 2020 Dec 31)	March 1, 2021	March 26, 2021
	2021 Q1 (2020 Q2 – 2021 Q1)	2021 Q1 (2020 Apr 1 – 2021 Mar 31)	June 1, 2021	June 25, 2021