Nursing Home Identifier (iQIIG)

Business Objective

To identify ESRD patients who reside in a nursing home.

Business Description

Dialysis in nursing homes in growing at a rapid rate and we don't have good visibility into where that is occurring or how well. There needs to be the ability to identify these types of patients in EQRS. If patient becomes acute later then they will be dropped from EQRS.

Benefit Hypotheses

- Be able to identify nursing home patients receiving in-center treatment that are associated with the in-center positive COVID-19 nursing home
- Be able to identify nursing home patients receiving treatment in the nursing home to improve care.
- Will allow us to perform quality improvement activities

Acceptance Criteria

Acceptance Criteria	Notes/Questions	Team(s) Involved
Add a checkbox " *Is the patient in a nursing home setting?* " in the Patient address/contact information to track if patient is in a Nursing home setting		
Add Nursing Home Setting drop down with following values in the Patient address/contact information 1. Permanent Resident 2. Short Term Care/Rehabilitation 3. Other		

*Feature size based on requirements

Assumptions

Dependencies

Dependency	Outgoing Team(s)	Receiving Team(s)	Date Needed	Date Completed	Notes

Notes

- Nursing home patients typically have higher access infections and rates of anemia.
- Higher rates of mortality within the first 90 days. Are they getting proper treatment within that period?

Additional Resources

https://www.cms.gov/regulations-and-guidance/guidance/transmittals/downloads/r29soma.pdf

newest version: https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Guidance/Manuals/Downloads/som107c02.pdf