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Memo

August 27, 2021

To: NQF members

From: NQF staff

Re: Prevention and Population Health Spring 2021 Technical Report

Background

This report reflects the review of a measure in the Prevention and Population Health project. Measures in this portfolio include measures for health-related behaviors to promote healthy living; community-level indicators of health and disease; social, economic, and environmental determinants of health; primary prevention and health screening; and oral health. The measure reviewed during the spring 2021 cycle targets recommended adult immunizations for individuals by age and four vaccination types (i.e., influenza; tetanus and diphtheria [Td] or tetanus, diphtheria, and acellular pertussis [Tdap]; zoster; and pneumococcal).

The 23-person Prevention and Population Health Standing Committee reviewed one measure and recommended the measure for endorsement.

Recommended Measures:

- **NQF #3620** Adult Immunization Status (National Committee for Quality Assurance)

The Standing Committee requests comments on all measures, but specifically for the measures where consensus was not reached.

NQF Member and Public Commenting

NQF members and the public are encouraged to provide comments via the online commenting tool on the draft report as a whole or on the specific measure evaluated by the Prevention and Population Health Standing Committee.

Please note that commenting concludes on September 27, 2021, at 6:00 PM ET—no exceptions.