

Appendices Table 1
ICD-9-CM Principal Diagnosis Codes for Ischemic Stroke

433.01	OCCLUSION AND STENOSIS OF BASILAR ARTERY WITH CEREBRAL INFARCTION
433.10	OCCLUSION AND STENOSIS OF CAROTID ARTERY WITHOUT CEREBRAL INFARCTION
433.11	OCCLUSION AND STENOSIS OF CAROTID ARTERY WITH CEREBRAL INFARCTION
433.21	OCCLUSION AND STENOSIS OF VERTEBRAL ARTERY WITH CEREBRAL INFARCTION
433.31	OCCLUSION AND STENOSIS OF MULTIPLE AND BILATERAL PRECEREBRAL ARTERIES WITH CEREBRAL INFARCTION
433.81	OCCLUSION AND STENOSIS OF OTHER SPECIFIED PRECEREBRAL ARTERY WITH CEREBRAL INFARCTION
433.91	OCCLUSION AND STENOSIS OF UNSPECIFIED PRECEREBRAL ARTERY WITH CEREBRAL INFARCTION
434.00	CEREBRAL THROMBOSIS WITHOUT MENTION OF CEREBRAL INFARCTION
434.01	CEREBRAL THROMBOSIS WITH CEREBRAL INFARCTION
434.11	CEREBRAL EMBOLISM WITH CEREBRAL INFARCTION
434.91	CEREBRAL ARTERY OCCLUSION UNSPECIFIED WITH CEREBRAL INFARCTION
436	ACUTE, BUT ILL-DEFINED, CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE

Appendices Table 2
ICD-9-CM Principal Diagnosis Codes for Hemorrhagic Stroke

430	SUBARACHNOID HEMORRHAGE
431	INTRACEREBRAL HEMORRHAGE

**Appendices Table 3
Cholesterol-Reducing Medications**

Abitrate
Advicor
Altacor
Atorvastatin
Atorvastatin/amlodipine
Atromid-S
B-3-50
B3-500-Gr
Caduet
Cholestyramine
Cholestyramine Light
Choloxin
Clofibrate
Colesevelam
Colestid
Colestid Flavored
Colestipol
Crestor
Dextrothyroxine Sodium
Ezetimibe
Ezetimibe/simvastatin
Fenofibrate
Fluvastatin
Gemcor
Gemfibrozil
Lescol
Lescol XL
Lipitor
Locholest
Locholest Light
Lofibra
Lopid
Lorelco
Lovastatin
Mevacor
Niacin
Niacin ER
Niacin ER Starter Pack
Niacin Extended Release
Niacin SR
Niacin TD
Niacin TR

Table 3 Cholesterol-Reducing Medications (cont.)
Niacor
Niacor B3
Niaspan
Niaspan ER
Niaspan ER Starter Pack
Nico-400
Nicobid Tempules
Nicolar
Nicotinex
Nicotinic Acid
Pravachol
Pravachol/aspirin
Pravastatin
Pravastatin/aspirin
Pravigard
Pravigard PAC
Prevalite
Prevalite Powder
Probucol
Questran
Questran Light
Rosuvastatin
Simvastatin
Slo-Niacin
Tricor
Vytorin
Welchol
Zetia
Zocor

**Appendices Table 4
Statin Medications**

Crestor (Rosuvastatin)
Lescol (Fluvastatin)
Lescol XL (Fluvastatin XL)
Lipitor (Atorvastatin)
Mevacor (Lovastatin)
Pravachol (Pravastatin)
Advicor (Lovastatin/extended release Niacin)
Simcor (Simvastatin/extended release Niacin)
Vytorin (Ezetimibe/Simvastatin)
Zocor (Simvastatin)

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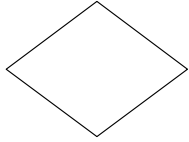
PART II: Provide current information for this measure as follows:

Have any modifications been made to this measure since the Measure Information Form was submitted?	[] Yes	[] No
<p><u>If this measure has been modified:</u></p> <p><u>Describe the modifications and note when the change took place</u></p> <p><u>Describe what prompted the need for the change</u></p> <p>NOTE: If the measure has undergone significant reconstruction during the certification cycle, e.g., redefining of numerator and/or denominator, submit a revised Measurement Information Form. Please contact your Account Representative.</p>		
<p>PART III:</p> <p><u>Describe how data for this measure have been used to evaluate processes and/or patient outcomes of care.</u></p>		
<p><u>Identify potential opportunities for improvement.</u></p>		
<p><u>Describe any interventions and/or process modifications that may have been made based on measurement results and how the effectiveness of these changes were/will be measured.</u></p>		
<p><u>Explain any significant variations occurring in the updated data submitted for this measure. This would include any interruption in continuous data collection or change in the normal pattern of the data, that is, those variations that may be attributable to a special cause.</u></p>		

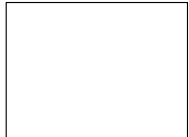
Flowchart Symbols



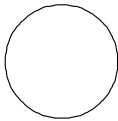
Start/Stop denotes the beginning or end of an algorithm.



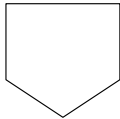
Diamonds represent "If...Then" decision points for logic tests and comparisons. Two or three flow lines exit the decision point to reflect alternative actions based upon an evaluation of the condition(s) stated around the decision point.



Rectangles or process boxes show when computation or manipulation of the data are required, such as a calculation or summarization.

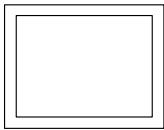


Circle or "On-page" connectors, labeled with a letter, show a link to sections of the algorithm which are continued on the same page.



Five-sided or "Off-page" connectors, labeled with a letter, show a link to sections of the algorithm which are continued on different pages.

Note: Both circular, On-page, and five-sided, Off-page, Connectors containing the letters A, B, C, D, E, F, or G lead to measure Outcome Boxes.



Outcome Boxes represent the result of data passed through the algorithm. Connectors extending from outcome boxes lead to the end of the algorithm, or to risk adjustment procedures, where applicable. This symbol is also used to identify the strata within a stratified measure.



Symbol to represent comments that should be taken into account when programming flowchart.

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