Core Objective 9

Record smoking status for patients 13 years old or older. - 170.302(g)

More than 50% of all unique patients 13 years old or older seen by the EP have smoking status recorded as structured data.

Smoking status is captured using the Tobacco Control Smart Form that is available in every Progress Note. The Smart Form contains branching logic; based on the answer to the question, subsequent questions will appear. In the case of “Never a Smoker”, the form is considered complete at that point. Results of the Smart Form populate the Progress Note (as appropriate) and the form itself is saved in the Patient Documents area of the application.

The Registry calculates the numerator and denominator for this quality measure as recorded by Smart Form completion.