

## The Lab-Procedure Data File *is used in the Colorectal Cancer Screening, Optimal Diabetes Care, Optimal Vascular Care, Spine Surgeries and Total Knee Replacement measures.*

### Milestone 2B: Query Building phase:

#### General Tips:

- Lab codes and procedure codes should NOT be limited to only clinical quality data to minimize the need to update the query in the future.
- Include lookback periods every time patient is pulled into data file:
  - i. Colonoscopies: 10 years from start of submission period
  - ii. LDLs, Sigmoidoscopies, and CT Colonography: 5 years from start of submission period
  - iii. FIT-DNA tests: 3 years from start of submission period
- If there is a result documented in patient record, prioritize pulling record to the lab code column and submit the result. If there is no result documented, populate the standard code in the procedure column.

#### Labs:

##### Lab Code:

Include all standard lab codes documented in patient record, including:

- ✓ Every lab performed by submitting medical group.
- ✓ Every lab documented with a standard code that was not completed by medical group.
- ✓ Panel Labs:
  - Prioritize LOINC codes to pull the result for each individual test completed as part of a lab panel.
  - If LOINC codes are not available, pull the CPT code for each individual test.
  - Panel CPT codes are not eligible for numerator credit because it is not possible to confirm which result should be attributed to which individual lab test.

##### Lab Type:

- ✓ Include Labs *without* a standard lab code and relevant to MNCM current quality measures.

##### Lab result:

- ✓ Pull lab results exactly as they are documented in patient record (i.e., numeric, text, etc.).

### Procedures:

#### **Procedure Date:**

- ✓ Pull the date procedure was completed or resulted. Order dates are not acceptable.

#### **Procedure Code:**

Include all standard procedure codes documented in patient record, including:

- ✓ Every procedure performed by submitting medical group.
- ✓ Every procedure documented with a standard code that was not completed by medical group.
- ✓ Include Diagnostic Imaging procedures and immunizations.

#### **Procedure Type:**

- ✓ Include procedures *without* a standard code and relevant to MNCM current quality measures

#### **Knee Replacement Laterality (For TKR only):**

- ✓ Indicate which knee was replaced (if documented).
- ✓ Sequential procedures are treated as two separate procedures.
- ✓ Leave blank if patient had bilateral procedure.

Questions can be directed to [support@mncm.org](mailto:support@mncm.org).

#### **Additional Resources:**

- [Milestone 2B article](#)
- Data File Extract
  - [Document](#)
  - [Video](#)
- [Important PIPE Considerations](#)
- [Total Colectomy criteria](#)