

REAL Readmissions Report Guide

Time frame – Rolling 6 months

Number – Count of Index hospital admissions (not patients) or Readmissions (not patients) for HQIC hospitals

NW – Non-White, **W** – White

All patients admitted to an HQIC Participating hospital including OB and newborns unless noted otherwise

Index Admissions Overview

- 1) # Index Admissions
 - + Number of index admissions by month and NW/W
- 2) # Index Admissions over Time
 - + Monthly trend line of number of index admissions by NW/W
- 3) % Index Admissions over Time
 - + Monthly trend line of percent of index admissions by NW/W
- 4) # Index Admissions by Age Group
 - + Number of index admissions by age and NW/W
- 5) # Index Admissions by Age and Sex (excludes ages < 1 year of age due to larger number of patients in this age group)
 - + Age trend line of number of index admissions by sex and NW/W
- 6) Index Admissions by Sex
 - + Percent and number of index admissions by sex and NW/W
- 7) Index Admissions by Sex and Race
 - + Percent and number of index admissions by sex and race

Maps

- + Lighter colored counties have lower number of index admissions or lower ages and darker colored
- + Counties have higher number of index admissions or higher ages as compared within the state
- + Counties that are empty (no color) do not have any index admissions comparisons across states aren't applicable
- + HQIC hospitals are located in counties with gray dots
- + Counties that are colored and without HQIC hospitals (no gray dots) have patients with index admissions at HQIC hospitals located in other counties

- 8) Index Admits for NW Patients
 - + Identifies which counties have lesser or greater number of admissions within each state for Non-White patients
- 9) Index Admits per 100 for NW Patients
 - + Identifies which counties have lesser or greater admissions per 100 within each state for Non-White patients
- 10) Index Admits Ave Age for NW Patients

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- + Identifies which counties have younger or older average age at admissions within each state for Non-White patients
 - 11) Index Admits for W Patients
 - + Identifies which counties have lesser or greater number of admissions within each state for White patients
 - 12) Index Admits per 100 for W Patients
 - + Identifies which counties have lesser or greater admissions per 100 within each state for White patients
 - 13) Index Ave Age for W Patients
 - + Identifies which counties have younger or older average age at admissions within each state
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All Readmissions Overview

Same as Index Admissions Overview, but for All Readmissions (readmissions to the same hospital as index admissions and readmissions to different hospitals)

- 1) # All Readmissions
 - + Number of readmissions by month and NW/W
- 2) # All Readmissions over Time
 - + Monthly trend line of number of all readmissions by NW/W
- 3) % Readmissions over Time
 - + Monthly trend line percent of all readmissions by NW/W
- 4) # All Readmissions by Age Group
 - + Number of all readmissions by age and NW/W
- 5) # All Readmissions by Age and Sex
 - + Age trend line of number of readmissions by sex and NW/W
- 6) All Readmissions by Sex
 - + Percent and number of all readmissions by sex and NW/W
- 7) All Readmissions by Sex and Race
 - + Percent and number of all readmissions by sex and race

Maps

- + Lighter colored counties have lower number of all readmission or lower ages and darker colored counties have higher number of all readmissions or higher ages as compared within the state
- + Counties that are empty (no color) do not have any all readmissions
- + Comparisons across states aren't applicable
- + HQIC hospitals are located in counties with gray dots
- + Counties that are colored and without HQIC hospitals (no gray dots) have patients with all readmissions at HQIC hospitals in other counties

- 8) All Readmits for NW Patients
 - + Identifies which counties have lesser or greater number of all readmissions within each state for Non-White patients
- 9) All Readmits per 100 for NW Patients
 - + Identifies which counties have lesser or greater all readmissions per 100 within each state for Non-White patients

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- 10) All Readmits Ave Age for NW Patients
 - + Identifies which counties have younger or older average age at all readmissions within each state for Non-White patients
 - 11) All Readmits for W Patients
 - + Identifies which counties have lesser or greater number of all readmissions within each state for White patients
 - 12) All Readmits per 100 for W Patients
 - + Identifies which counties have lesser or greater all readmissions per 100 within each state for White patients
 - 13) All Readmits Ave Age for W Patients
 - + Identifies which counties have younger or older average age at all readmissions within each state for W patients
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Readmissions Utilization (Both All or Same Hospital)

- 1) #/Rate All Readmissions
 - + Number and rate of all readmissions by month for NW/W
 - + Rate is calculated from number of readmissions (numerator) and number of admissions (denominator listed in Index Admissions Overview on page 1, Index Admissions Overview)
- 2) # All Readmissions
 - + Monthly trend line of number of readmissions by NW/W
- 3) All Readmissions Rate
 - + Monthly trend line of readmissions rate by NW/W
- 4) #/Rate Same Hosp Readmissions
 - + Number and rate of same hospital readmissions by month for NW/W
 - + Rate is calculated from number of readmissions (numerator) and number of admissions (denominator listed in Index Admissions Overview on page 1, Index Admissions Overview)
- 5) # Same Hosp Readmissions
 - + Monthly trend line of number of same hospital readmissions by NW/W
- 6) Same Hosp Readmissions Rate
 - + Monthly trend line of same hospital readmissions rate by NW/W
- 7) Days since Index Discharge – All Readmits
 - + Number of all readmissions and % all readmissions by days after discharge and NW/W
- 8) Index LOS – All Readmits
 - + Number of all readmissions and % all readmissions by index admission LOS and NW/W
- 9) Index Discharge Weekday – All Readmits
 - + Number of all readmissions and all readmissions rate by index discharge weekday and NW/W
- 10) Days since Index Dschg – Same Hosp Readmits
 - + Number of same hospital readmissions and % same hospital readmissions by days after discharge and NW/W
- 11) Index LOS – Same Hosp Readmits
 - + Number of same hospital readmissions and % same hospital readmissions by index admission LOS and NW/W
- 12) Index Discharge Weekday – Same Hosp Readmits
 - + Number of same hospital readmissions and same hospital readmission rate by index discharge weekday and NW/W

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Readmissions DRGs and ICD-10s (All or Same Hospital)

Rankings are based on total numbers (sum of NW/W) for each DRG.

- 1) Top Index Admit DRGs by Number All Readmits
 - + List of top 10 DRGS for all readmissions by number, percent and NW/W
- 2) Top Index Admit DRGs by Number All Readmits w/in 7 Days Dschg
 - + List of top 10 DRGs for all readmissions within 7 days of index discharge by number, percent and NW/W
- 3) Top Index Admit DRGs by Number Same Readmits
 - + List of top 10 DRGS for same hospital readmissions by number, percent and NW/W
- 4) Top Index Admit DRGs by Number Same Readmits w/in 7 Days Dschg
 - + List of top 10 DRGs for same hospital readmissions within 7 days of index discharge by number, percent and NW/W
- 5) Top Index Admits ICD10s by Number All Readmits
 - + List of top 10 ICD-10 diagnosis codes for all readmissions by number, percent and NW/W
- 6) Top Index Admits ICD10s by Number All Readmits w/in 7 Days Dschg
 - + List of top 10 ICD-10 diagnosis codes for all readmissions within 7 days of index discharge by number, percent and NW/W
- 7) Top Index Admits ICD10s by Number Same Readmits
 - + List of top 10 ICD-10 diagnosis codes for same hospital readmissions by number, percent and NW/W
- 8) Top Index Admits ICD10s by Number Same Readmits w/in 7 Days Dschg
 - + List of top 10 ICD-10 diagnosis codes for same hospital readmissions within 7 days of index discharge by number, percent and NW/W

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