Measure #23: Perioperative Care: Venous Thromboembolism (VTE) Prophylaxis (When Indicated in ALL Patients)

NOTE: This measure is to be reported each time a procedure is performed during the reporting period for all patients who undergo surgical procedures for which VTE prophylaxis is indicated.

Is the patient 18 years or older scheduled for a surgical procedure from the list on the following page?  

- Yes
  - Is there documentation of order (written, verbal or standing order/protocol) for VTE prophylaxis* to be given 24 hours pre- or post-operatively OR documentation that VTE prophylaxis was given?  
    - Yes
      - Report 4044F
    - No
      - Report 4044F-1P if not ordered for a medical reason
      - Report 4044F-8P if not ordered for an unspecified reason

- No
  - No PQRS code reported

*Does not include TED hose.
| Genitourinary Surgery | 50020, 50220, 50225, 50230, 50234, 50236, 50240, 50543, 50545, 50546, 50547, 50548, 50715, 50722, 50725, 50727, 50728, 50760, 50770, 50780, 50782, 50783, 50785, 50800, 50810, 50815, 50820, 50947, 50948, 51550, 51555, 51565, 51570, 51575, 51580, 51585, 51590, 51595, 51596, 51597, 51800, 51820, 51900, 51920, 51925, 51960, 55810, 55812, 55815, 55821, 55831, 55840, 55842, 55845, 55866 |