

Quality Provider Program — Nephrology

Working Your Open Gaps List: Blood Pressure for Hypertension & Diabetes (CBP & BPD)

Instructions

STEP 1

Create a current gaps-in-care list:

1. Open your "Gaps-in-Care for Download" report: [QPP Report Hub](#).
2. Apply these filters:
 - **Super clinic:** Choose your clinic.
 - **Measure:** Click on "Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP)" and/or "Blood Pressure Control for Patients with Diabetes (BPD)."
 - **Status:** Unclick the "Compliant" box; this will filter for only the achievable and noncompliant members.
3. In the dropdown menu on the top right side of the page, change the view from **Member** to **Download**.
4. Follow the instructions on the screen to export the data to Excel.

Refer to [Report Hub Instructions: Basic User](#).

STEP 2

Format your Excel export.

(Refer to [Formatting a Gaps List in Excel](#).)

STEP 3

Review "Tips for Working your Gaps-in-Care List" (beginning on [page 2](#)).

NOTE: Example screens used in this document are for instructional purposes only; the dates that appear are only representative of what a user might see.

Measure Information

The lower your blood pressure, the better your chances of delaying or preventing a heart attack or a stroke. When your blood moves through your vessels with too much force, you have high blood pressure or hypertension. When your heart must work harder, your risk for heart disease and diabetes increases. High blood pressure raises your risk for heart attack, stroke, eye problems, and kidney disease.

CONTROLLING HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE (CBP):

- **Qualified Date:** The second date where members ages 18 to 85 had at least two outpatient, telephone, or virtual check-in visits on different dates of service with a diagnosis of hypertension through the use of claim/encounter data during the measurement year.
- **Compliance Date:** The most recent BP <140/90 mm Hg reading during the measurement year on or after the second diagnosis of hypertension.

BLOOD PRESSURE CONTROL FOR PATIENTS WITH DIABETES (BPD):

- **Qualified Date:** The date where members ages 18 to 75 have been identified as having diabetes (type 1 or type 2) during the measurement year.
- **Compliance Date:** The most recent BP <140/90 mm Hg reading during the measurement year.

These measures must be completed by December 31 of the measurement year.

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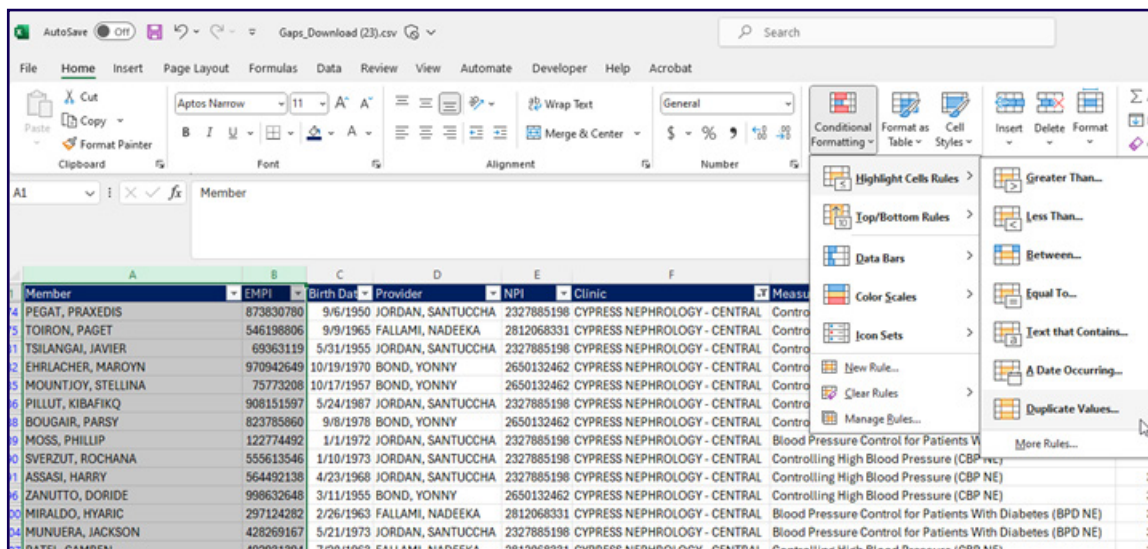
TIPS FOR WORKING YOUR GAPS-IN-CARE LIST

1. **After pulling an open gaps list**, designate staff member(s) to scrub charts to check if the latest blood pressure recorded is compliant as follows:

- **Compliant:** If the BP is <140/90 mm Hg.
- **Achievable or Non-Compliant:**
 - The BP is $\geq 140/90$ mm Hg.
 - There is no BP reading during the measurement year.
 - The reading is incomplete (e.g., the systolic or diastolic level is missing).
 - The BP is taken during an acute inpatient stay or an ED visit.
 - The BP is taken on the same day as a diagnostic test or diagnostic or therapeutic procedure that requires a diet or medication change either the day of or day before a test/procedure (except for fasting blood tests).
 - The BP is taken by the member using a non-digital device (e.g., manual blood pressure cuff and stethoscope). *

2. **Call and schedule appointments** for members who are on the list. Sort “Qualified Date” by “Oldest to Newest” to prioritize those who fell in the measure sooner for an appointment. Select the column labeled “Member” and “EMPI,” and use conditional formatting to identify duplicate values.

3. **There may be member(s) who are compliant; however, they are listed as “Achievable” or “Non-Compliant” on our list.** It can take 6 weeks from the date of service for the claims lag to catch up; therefore, check the patient chart before calling and scheduling an appointment.



Member	EMPI	Birth Date	Provider	NPI	Clinic	Measure
PEGAT, PRAXEDIS	873830780	9/6/1950	JORDAN, SANTUOCHA	2327885198	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)
TOIRON, PAGET	546198806	9/9/1965	FALLAMI, NADEEKA	2812068331	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)
TSILANGAI, JAVIER	69363119	5/31/1955	JORDAN, SANTUOCHA	2327885198	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)
EHRLACHER, MAROYN	970942649	10/19/1970	BOND, YONNY	2650132462	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)
MOUNTJOY, STELLINA	75773208	10/17/1957	BOND, YONNY	2650132462	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)
PILLUT, KIBAFIKQ	908151597	5/24/1967	JORDAN, SANTUOCHA	2327885198	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)
BOUGAIR, PARSY	823785960	9/8/1978	BOND, YONNY	2650132462	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)
MOSS, PHILLIP	122774492	1/1/1972	JORDAN, SANTUOCHA	2327885198	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)
SVERZUT, ROCHANA	555613546	1/10/1973	JORDAN, SANTUOCHA	2327885198	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)
ASSAJI, HARRY	564492138	4/23/1968	JORDAN, SANTUOCHA	2327885198	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)
ZANUTTO, DORIDE	998632648	3/11/1955	BOND, YONNY	2650132462	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)
MIRALDO, HYARIC	297124282	2/26/1963	FALLAMI, NADEEKA	2812068331	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Blood Pressure Control for Patients With Diabetes (BPD NE)
MUNUERA, JACKSON	428269167	5/21/1973	JORDAN, SANTUOCHA	2327885198	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Blood Pressure Control for Patients With Diabetes (BPD NE)
RATU, CAMREN	402631394	7/20/1962	FALLAMI, NADEEKA	2812068331	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)

Member	EMPI	Birth Date	Provider	NPI	Clinic	Measure	Qualified Date	Compliance	Status	Detail
NICOLAE, ISAU	366090445	5/5/1972	JORDAN, SANTUOCHA	2327885198	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)	2/2/2023	Achievable	Numerator detail, ci	
HARRY, FARANA	551964223	5/29/1953	BOND, YONNY	2650132462	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)	2/2/2023	Achievable	Numerator detail, ci	
DUBILE, SOFAN	510941179	4/19/1947	FALLAMI, NADEEKA	2812068331	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)	2/4/2023	Achievable	Numerator detail, ci	
PUSSARD, ARAKE	779402429	6/17/1952	BOND, YONNY	2650132462	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)	2/8/2023	Achievable	Numerator detail, ci	
MENASSAT, MOZAPHELE	82608145	8/25/1962	JORDAN, SANTUOCHA	2327885198	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)	2/12/2023	Achievable	Numerator detail, ci	
TOHOUNGA, DANIEKA	525680287	1/3/1994	JORDAN, SANTUOCHA	2327885198	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)	2/13/2023	Achievable	Numerator detail, ci	
PURBARET, MATIEKA	857657945	9/15/1998	BOND, YONNY	2650132462	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)	2/19/2023	Achievable	Numerator detail, ci	
BURMALDE, MASSARATOU	318936981	5/30/1995	FALLAMI, NADEEKA	2812068331	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)	2/20/2023	Achievable	Numerator detail, ci	
DOS, KARLA	782434357	9/2/1947	JORDAN, SANTUOCHA	2327885198	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)	2/24/2023	Achievable	Numerator detail, ci	
PAUKANT, ONIKAR	322680596	3/11/1968	JORDAN, SANTUOCHA	2327885198	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)	2/24/2023	Achievable	Numerator detail, ci	
PAULLOUSE, DAYAMI	581078181	12/9/1948	FALLAMI, NADEEKA	2812068331	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)	2/26/2023	Achievable	Numerator detail, ci	
SAKIZI, TABASSI	961571183	4/27/1953	BOND, YONNY	2650132462	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)	2/26/2023	Achievable	Numerator detail, ci	
PEGAT, PRAXEDIS	873830780	9/6/1950	JORDAN, SANTUOCHA	2327885198	CYPRESS NEPHROLOGY - CENTRAL	Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP NE)	2/28/2023	Achievable	Numerator detail, ci	

* BP readings taken by the member and documented in the member's medical record are eligible for use in reporting (provided the BP does not meet any exclusion criteria). There is no requirement that there be evidence the BP was collected by a PCP or specialist.