

Diabetes: Hemoglobin A1C Poor Control

Description: Percentage of patients 18-75 years of age with diabetes who had hemoglobin A1c>8.0% during the measurement period

Initial Population: Patients 18-75 years of age with diabetes with a visit during the measurement period

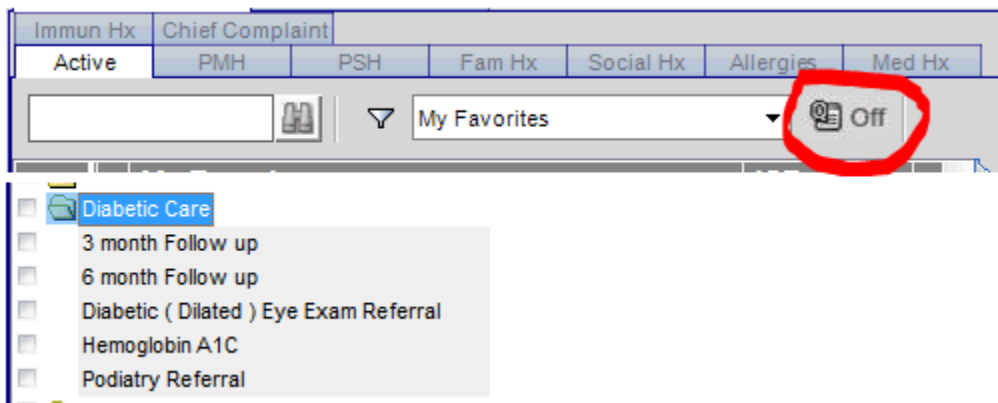
Denominator: Equals Initial Population

Numerator: Patients whose most recent HbA1c level (performed during the measurement period) is > 8.0%

Exclusions: Gestational diabetes or steroid-induced diabetes

After reviewing the chart, if the patient has not had an A1c this measurement year, one will need to be ordered.

An Order Group called **Diabetic Care** can be found on the **Lab** tab. This will direct the user to order the correct lab. **The order Groups will not be visible if you have your QuickList on, so turn it off to view the folder.**



If the patient is poor controlled, it is recommended to repeat the A1c every 3 months.

The last A1c in the year, is the one that counts for this measure.

