

Measure #38e. PREPARED Survey – Medical Practitioner Version

CARE COORDINATION MEASURE MAPPING TABLE

	MEASUREMENT PERSPECTIVE		
	<i>Patient/Family</i>	<i>Health Care Professional(s)</i>	<i>System Representative(s)</i>
CARE COORDINATION ACTIVITIES			
Establish accountability or negotiate responsibility		□	
Communicate		□	
<i>Interpersonal communication</i>			
<i>Information transfer</i>		■	
Facilitate transitions			
<i>Across settings</i>		□	
<i>As coordination needs change</i>			
Assess needs and goals		□	
Create a proactive plan of care		□	
Monitor, follow up, and respond to change			
Support self-management goals		□	
Link to community resources		□	
Align resources with patient and population needs		□	
BROAD APPROACHES POTENTIALLY RELATED TO CARE COORDINATION			
Teamwork focused on coordination			
Health care home			
Care management			
Medication management		□	
Health IT-enabled coordination			

Legend:

- = ≥ 3 corresponding measure items
- = 1-2 corresponding measure items

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Purpose: To gather information on the quality of process and outcomes of discharge planning activities undertaken in the acute hospital setting from the medical practitioner perspective.

Format/Data Source: 19-item questionnaire

Date: Measure released in 1998.¹

Perspective: Health Care Professional(s)

Measure Item Mapping:

- **Establish accountability or negotiate responsibility:** 5
- **Communicate:**
 - *Across health care teams or settings:* 11
 - Information transfer:
 - *Across health care teams or settings:* 1-4, 6, 8-9
- **Facilitate transitions:**
 - Across settings: 7, 15
- **Assess needs and goals:** 7, 10
- **Create a proactive plan of care:** 15
- **Support self-management goals:** 15
- **Link to community resources:** 12
- **Align resources with patient and population needs:** 12
- **Medication management:** 11

Development and Testing: The measure was developed through a process that included a literature review, focus groups, and pilot surveys. A small group of general medical practitioners in Adelaide and Sydney were given the draft measure and asked to comment on layout, item wording, and question intent. Minor revisions were made based on the feedback received.²

Link to Outcomes or Health System Characteristics: None described in the sources identified.

Logic Model/Conceptual Framework: None described in the sources identified.

Country: Australia

Past or Validated Applications*:

- **Patient Age:** Adults, Older Adults
- **Patient Condition:** General Population/Not Condition Specific
- **Setting:** Inpatient Facility, Primary Care Facility, Long Term Care Facility, Not Setting Specific

*Based on the sources listed below and input from the measure developer.

Notes:

- The PREPARED instrument is available in 6 versions: (1) Australian Patient Version, (2) Australian Carer Version, (3) Australian Residential Care Staff Version, (4) Australian Community Service Provider Version, (5) Australian Medical Practitioner Version, and (6) American Medical Practitioner Version. All of the Australian instruments can be found online.¹
- This instrument contains 19 items; 13 were mapped.

Sources:

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