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## **Inpatient Quality Indicator 07 (IQI 07) Carotid Endarterectomy Volume**

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**Provider-Level Indicator**

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**DESCRIPTION**

The number of hospital discharges with a procedure for carotid endarterectomy for patients 18 years and older or obstetric patients.

**NUMERATOR**

Discharges, for patients ages 18 years and older or MDC 14 (pregnancy, childbirth, and puerperium), with any-listed ICD-10-PCS procedure codes for carotid endarterectomy.

*Carotid endarterectomy procedure code: (PRCEATP)*

03CH0ZZ Extirpation of Matter from Right  
Common Carotid Artery, Open  
Approach

03CK0ZZ Extirpation of Matter from Right  
Internal Carotid Artery, Open Approach

03CJ0ZZ Extirpation of Matter from Left  
Common Carotid Artery, Open  
Approach

03CL0ZZ Extirpation of Matter from Left Internal  
Carotid Artery, Open Approach

## **NUMERATOR EXCLUSIONS**

Exclude cases:

- with missing gender (SEX=missing), age (AGE=missing), quarter (DQTR=missing), year (YEAR=missing) or principal diagnosis (DX1=missing)