



BlueCross BlueShield of Illinois

2010 Annual BCBSIL Hospital Profile Indicators for Information ONLY

BCBSIL is providing the additional information for your hospital:

- iExchange
- Utilization Efficiency: Admissions for Maternity and Newborns with Major and Minor Problems

Efficiency
iExchange Data Source: BCBSIL Network Data
iExchange is an automated notification tool. iExchange supports the direct submission and processing of pre-certifications by network physicians, professional providers and facilities within Illinois. This tool allows physicians and other professional providers to obtain approval of inpatient procedures, 24 hours a day, seven days a week. This tool is accessible via a Web-based application: (http://www.bcbsil.com/provider/ec/lexchange.htm)

Efficiency
Utilization Efficiency: Admissions for Maternity and Newborns with Major and Minor Problems Data Source: 10/1/2008 - 9/30/2009 BCBSIL claims data
Utilization Efficiency data for Maternity care and newborns with major and minor problems is provided for information only.

Annual BCBSIL Hospital Profile – Potential Indicators for Scoring in 2011

BCBSIL is considering adding the following indicators in the 2011 Hospital Profile:

- Leapfrog: Reduce ICU Infections
- Hospital Quality Alliance: Surgical Infection Prevention – “Surgery Patients on a Beta Blocker Prior to Arrival Who Received a Beta Blocker During the Perioperative Period”
- “Central Line-Associated Blood Stream Infections” from the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH) Hospital Report Card and Consumer Guide to Health Care

Leapfrog
Data source: Leapfrog Web site (www.leapfroggroup.org), 1/15/2010. Thresholds will be similar to those used for Leapfrog indicators currently included in the BCBSIL Hospital Profile.
Reduce ICU Infections
Public Reporting on Leapfrog Web site regarding Reducing ICU Infections
<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Progress towards meeting the Leapfrog Reduce ICU Infections standard<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Fully meets the standard▪ Substantial progress▪ Some progress▪ Willing to report▪ Hospital not publicly reporting on Leapfrog Web site as of 1/15/2010

Hospital Quality Alliance Indicators
Data source: Hospital Compare (http://www.hospitalcompare.hhs.gov) as of 2/1/2010. Data utilized is from 4/1/2008 - 3/31/2009. Thresholds will be similar to those used for Hospital Quality Alliance indicators currently included in the BCBSIL Hospital Profile.
Surgical Infection Prevention
<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Surgery Patients on a Beta Blocker Prior to Arrival Who Received a Beta Blocker During the Perioperative Period

Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH) Hospital Report Card and Consumer Guide to Health Care
Data source: IDPH Web site (http://www.idph.state.il.us), 1/1/2009 - 6/30/2009.
Central Line-Associated Blood Stream Infections
<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Central Line-Associated Bloodstream Infection (CLABSI) Rates in Adult Intensive Care Units