PREFERRED CARE NETWORK
A UnitedHealthcare Company

Statin Use in Person with Diabetes (SUPD) Measure

Measure Description

The percentage of patients 40 – 75 years of age, who were identified as diabetic during the measurement year and were dispensed at least one statin medication during the measurement year.

- The measure is a weight of **(1)** star and is part of the **STARs P4P Incentive Program**
- Patients are considered diabetic if they were dispensed two or more prescriptions fills on different dates of service of any oral diabetes medication, injectable incretin mimetics, or insulin during the measurement year.

Measure Requirements

Fills are based solely on prescriptions processed at the pharmacy under the Part D benefit. Samples and medications provided at no cost to patient and Health Plan are not counted.

- Please note only one fill of a statin medication is required for this measure. If a patient obtains two fills, they will be included to the **Medication Adherence Cholesterol (MAC)** measure.
- The statin medications listed below apply to this measure and to the **Statin Therapy for Patients with Cardiovascular Disease (SPC)** and **Medication Adherence Cholesterol (MAC)** measures.

Call to Action

- **Ensure** all diabetic patients are prescribed a **statin medication at least once**.
- **Consider** prescribing one of the low-cost **generic statin medications**.
- **Conside**r extended day fills (e.g., 90- or 100-day supply) or send to home delivery.

Exclusions (Any time during the measurement year)

- Members in hospice or using hospice benefit
- Members undergoing fertility treatment
- End-stage renal disease (ESRD) or Dialysis
- Beneficiaries with rhabdomyolysis or myopathy
- Lactation
- Pregnancy
- Cirrhosis
- Polycystic Ovary Syndrome (PCOS)
- Pre-Diabetes

2025 Formulary		
Tiers	**Statins**	
Tier 1*	Lovastatin Simvastatin Rosuvastatin Atorvastatin Ezetimibe-Simvastatin Pravastatin Fluvastatin Amlodipine-Atorvastatin	
Tier 3	Livalo	

*Preferred Tier

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