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PSI 3 Pressure Ulcer	1.2	1.3	7	\$109,870	\$ 769,087	N		6	7	7	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
PSI 6 Iatrogenic Pneumothorax	0.5	0.6	1	\$36,576	\$ 36,576	N		2	1	1	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
PSI 7 Central Venous Catheter-Related Bloodstream Infections	3.2	0.9	25	\$82,147	\$ 2,053,675	Y		10	10	8	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
PSI 8 Postoperative Hip Fracture	0.0	0.0	3	\$147,947	\$ 443,841	N		3	3	1	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
PSI 9 Postoperative Hemorrhage or Hematoma	3.0	3.5	1	\$59,727	\$ 59,727	N		4	3	2	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
PSI 10 Postoperative Physiologic and Metabolic Derangement	0.9	1.5	4	\$120,629	\$ 482,516	N		3	3	2	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
PSI 11 Postoperative Respiratory Failure	12.9	12.9	14	\$61,566	\$ 861,924	N		3	3	2	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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PSI 12 Postoperative Pulmonary Embolism or Deep Vein Thrombosis	7.6	8.0	10	\$64,476	\$ 644,760	N		7	5	4	Y	N	Y	Y	Y
PSI 13 Postoperative Sepsis	12.7	11.7	15	\$49,215	\$ 738,225	N		9	7	3	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
PSI 14 Postoperative Wound Dehiscence	1.9	2.0	2	\$55,790	\$ 111,580	N		2	2	3	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
PSI 15 Accidental Puncture or Laceration	3.2	3.3	1	\$22,629	\$ 22,629	Y		4	3	7	Y	N	Y	Y	Y
Obstetric PSI 17 Birth Trauma-Injury to Neonate	0.0	0.1	0	\$88,000	\$ -	N		2	3	9	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
PSI 18 Obstetric Trauma-Vaginal Delivery With Instrument	134.8	135.1	17	\$90,000	\$ 1,530,000	N		2	3	8	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
PSI 19 Obstetric Trauma-Vaginal Delivery Without Instrument	17.0	17.9	5	\$96,000	\$ 480,000	N		2	3	8	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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Death	PSI 2 Death in Low-Mortality DRGs	0.4	0.0	1	\$24,919	\$ 24,919	N		6	2	5	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
	PSI 4 Death Among Surgical Inpatients	129.7	142.9	15	\$13,906	\$ 208,590	N		6	3	5	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sentinel Event	PSI 5 Foreign Body Left During Procedure	0.0	0.0	0	\$53,699	\$ -	Y		6	9	8	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
	PSI 16 Transfusion Reaction	0.0	0.0	0	\$86,698	\$ -	N		2	2	1	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
AHRQ Inpatient Mortality for Selected Conditions Quality Indicator Composite	Conditions Composite	0.9	0.9	1	n/a		N		3	1	4	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
	IQI 15 AMI Mortality	6.5	5.0	16	\$38,000	\$ 608,000	N		3	2	2	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
	IQI 16 Congestive Heart Failure (CHF) Mortality	2.0	2.6	15	\$18,927	\$ 283,905	N		2	1	1	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
	IQI 17 Acute Stroke Mortality	8.9	10.9	42	\$35,000	\$ 1,470,000	N		2	3	3	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
	IQI 18 Gastrointestinal Hemorrhage Mortality	2.3	2.3	5	\$9,659	\$ 48,295	N		1	2	4	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
	IQI 19 Hip Fracture Mortality	2.7	0.0	3	\$18,152	\$ 54,456	N		3	3	3	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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IQI 20 Pneumonia Mortality	2.7	3.0	13	\$15,829	\$ 205,777	N		1	4	1	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
AHRQ Inpatient Mortality for Selected Procedures Quality Indicator Composite															
Procedures Composite	1.0	1.0	n/a	n/a		N		2	3	4	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
IQI 8 Esophageal Resection Mortality	3.0	3.1	2	\$18,000	\$ 36,000	N		2	3	2	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
IQI 9 Pancreatic Resection Mortality	2.0	2.9	3	\$65,557	\$ 196,671	N		2	4	2	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
IQI 11 AAA Repair Mortality	4.1	4.0	1	\$23,299	\$ 23,299	N		4	2	4	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
IQI 12 CABG Mortality	3.1	3.5	4	\$25,140	\$ 100,560	N		2	2	2	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
IQI 13 Craniotomy Mortality	5.5	6.0	10	\$15,867	\$ 158,670	N		2	1	1	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
IQI 14 Hip Replacement Mortality	0.1	0.0	1	\$35,000	\$ 35,000	N		1	3	3	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
IQI 6 and IQI 30 Percutaneous Transluminal Coronary Angioplasty						N		3	2	2	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
IQI 7 and IQI 31 Carotid Endarterectomy						N		1	3	4	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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