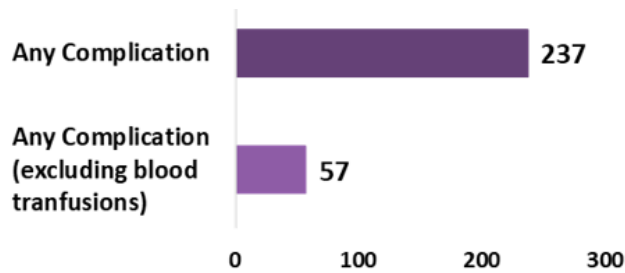# CY 2023 Severe Obstetric Complications for 2024 Public Reporting Electronic Clinical Quality (eCQM) Measure Factsheet

2024 Complication Measure Results
Risk-Standardized Complication Rate (RSCR)

Observed National Complication Rates (per 10,000 deliveries)

Where can I find my hospital's results?

- CMS publicly reports measure results through the **data catalog** on Data.CMS.gov for hospital-level results.
- **Public reporting preview reports** display info about your results on all reported measures.
- **Hospital-Specific Reports (HSRs)** show detailed, discharge-level data on your results.

Please note that HSRs are shared with hospitals through the User Interface in the HQR system. To access your results, please contact your Hospital Quality Reporting (HQR) Security Administrator/Official (SA/SO).

How are the measures calculated?

Cohort

Includes patients:

- Between 8 years to under 65 years
- Hospitalized due to delivery for live births and stillbirths with ≥20 weeks 0 days gestation completed at delivery
- Who did not have COVID-19 with a respiratory complication

Outcome

The measure has 2 outcomes:
1) Any complications: Severe medical (i.e., sepsis, eclampsia, respiratory, cardiac, etc.) and procedural (i.e., hysterectomy) complications, including death.
2) Any Complications excluding blood transfusion only cases: Any complications (above) but excludes cases where blood transfusion was the only complication.

Risk Adjusted

The measures are adjusted for differences in **risk variables** such as:

- Maternal age
- Preexisting conditions and pregnancy characteristics
- Laboratory tests and vital signs upon hospital arrival
- Long-term anticoagulant use
- Social risk factors

Data

Includes **deliveries** that were discharged between:

January 1, 2023 to December 31, 2023

Did you know…

*In FY 2026, the Severe Obstetric complications measure (PC-07) will be **mandatory in the IQR Program** for hospitals to report using CY 2024 deliveries.*

Results are stratified by race & ethnicity and payer.

Want more information?

- For **additional methodology information**, please see the **Methodology Report** on the **eCQI Resource Center**
- Additional information, including an FAQ, can be found on **QualityNet > Hospitals – Inpatient > Measures > eCQMs > Resources**
- Send your technical measure questions on **JIRA >** create an issue ticket or **General Questions > Program >** IQP - Inpatient Quality Reporting **> Topic**: eCQMs

FAQ: Frequently Asked Questions FY: Fiscal Year IQR: Inpatient Quality Reporting eCQM: Electronic Clinical Quality Measure