

# EP Device Implant Registry

## ***Dashboard NEWS.....***

### **Updated Metric Information for Version 2.3**

• Metric 25 and 27 (Guideline metrics) work is still in progress to account for movement of Anticipated Requirement of >40% RV pacing under a different sequence number and integration of the ventricular fibrillation element. Completion is anticipated mid-September. The goal is to provide two weekends of dashboard aggregation for metric review prior to the September 30th data deadline.

• Due to the continued work on the appropriate use criteria (AUC) metrics Metric 50 – 58 for V2.3, the metrics will be temporarily suppressed until all updates are complete. Upon completion, retrospective aggregation will be performed for 2021 Q2.

### **New and Updated FAQs Posted to the v2.3 FAQ Database**

Please review the new and updated FAQs:

New FAQs:

FAQ #25363 – Seq. 14731 (Reason Pacing Indicated)

FAQ #25364 – Seq. 14731 (Reason Pacing Indicated)

FAQ #25365 – Seq. 14735 (Primary Pacing Mode)

FAQ #25366 – Seq. 14732 (Shared Decision Making)

FAQ #25367 – Seq. 7625 (Final Device Type)

Updated FAQ:

25292 – Seq. 14731 (Reason Pacing Indicated)

### **2021Q1 R4Q US Registry Benchmarks are Published**

The 2021Q1 hospital performance and registry benchmarks for Executive Summary Metrics and Detail Lines are available from the dashboard when the Ending Timeframe is set to 2021Q1. Please review the Release Notes for each report cycle by navigating to the hamburger menu in the dashboard and selecting 'Release Notes'. Both Executive Summary and Detail Line views offer filtering options, weekly aggregation, a bookmarking feature, volume group and registry comparison, patient level drill down on select detail lines, and the ability to export to PDF or Excel. This transition marks the end of posted PDF outcome reports. Please continue to monitor the announcements page for the updated Executive Summary Metric companion guide.

### **Dashboard Update: Version 2.3 (2021Q2) Pacemaker Procedure Detail Lines Now Available**

• Navigate to Dashboard > Using the "View" drop down select "Detail Lines" > select 2021Q2 from Ending Timeframe.

• Explant procedures are not included in pacemaker detail line denominators.

• Explant procedure information can be found under the Volume Summary section within the "Category" drop down on the Detail Line dashboard.

• Pacemaker sections will be noted as such within the "Category" drop down.

• Note the Detail Line view offers a filtering option, weekly aggregation, a bookmarking feature, volume group and registry comparison, patient level drill down on select detail lines, and the ability to export to pdf or Excel. Visit the detail line dashboard Volume Summary section and Metric Key 12426 to see an example of this patient level drill down feature.



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### NEWS – Name Change for the Provider Level Dashboard

To more accurately convey the NCDR Provider Level Dashboards display the care of skilled cardiovascular professionals who are tailoring their treatments to individual patients, we are pleased to share the name has been updated to Professional Level Dashboard. Healthcare professionals with a National Provider Identification (NPI) number (e.g. medical doctors, nurse practitioners, etc.) who are identified in the data abstraction process will receive registry metric feedback on the Professional Level Dashboard and can harness this data for their ongoing quality improvement efforts.

Please join us in sharing this exciting news with your clinical team! And thank you in advance for your patience as we introduce this naming convention throughout the NCDR webpages and in our support documents.

### New v2.3 (2021Q2) Dashboard Updates:

Executive Summary Metric Changes Implemented 2021Q2:

Discharge medication metrics #4 and #14 were updated to include the new medication Angiotensin Receptor-Nepriylsin Inhibitor (v2.3, 2021Q2) in the numerator. The patient level drill down report will contain a new column for display of this medication.

All discharge medication metrics (numbers 4, 5, 6, & 14) and the adverse event metric (#13) were updated to exclude explants from the denominator. With the addition of pacemaker procedures, select explant detail lines will be reported separately within the detail line section and will be available soon.

Version 2.3 (2021Q2) Defibrillator Detail Lines Now Available

Explant procedures are not included in defibrillator detail line denominators.

Transition to full dashboard detail line views will mark the end of pdf outcome reports

Registry benchmarks will be available for any given quarter once “Not Published” is removed from the quarter when viewing the Ending Timeframe drop down.

Detail line view offers a filtering option, weekly aggregation, a bookmarking feature, volume group and registry comparison, patient level drill down on select detail lines, and the ability to export to pdf or Excel. Visit the detail line dashboard Generator Procedures Adverse Event section and Metric Key 1517 to see an example of this patient level drill down feature.

Please monitor the announcements page for upcoming release information for Pacemaker detail lines, Explant detail lines, and the updated companion guide.

