

Pneumonia Process of Care Measures

Higher Percentages Are Better (some of the recommended care given to patients if appropriate*)

Hospital Process of Care Measures Tables	Average for all reporting hospitals in the U.S.	Average for all reporting hospitals in Iowa	MERCY MEDICAL CENTER-DES MOINES	Data Collected	
				From	To
Pneumonia Patients Assessed and Given Pneumococcal Vaccination	88%	89%	97% of 500 patients	1/1/2009	12/31/2009
Pneumonia Patients Whose Initial Emergency Room Blood Culture Was Performed Prior To The Administration Of The First Hospital Dose Of Antibiotics	93%	94%	98% of 592 patients	1/1/2009	12/31/2009
Pneumonia Patients Given Smoking Cessation Advice/Counseling	91%	82%	98% of 267 patients	1/1/2009	12/31/2009
Pneumonia Patients Given Initial Antibiotic(s) within 6 Hours After Arrival	94%	95%	98% of 554 patients	1/1/2009	12/31/2009
Pneumonia Patients Given the Most Appropriate Initial Antibiotic(s)	89%	90%	97% of 334 patients	1/1/2009	12/31/2009
Pneumonia Patients Assessed and Given Influenza Vaccination	86%	86%	93% of 197 patients	10/1/2009	12/31/2009