



## Adult Immunization Status (AIS-E)

### AIS-E Measure Description<sup>1</sup>

The percentage of members 19 years of age and older who are up-to-date on recommended routine vaccines for influenza, tetanus and diphtheria (Td) or tetanus, diphtheria and acellular pertussis (Tdap), zoster and pneumococcal.

### Why is AIS-E Important?<sup>1</sup>

Vaccines are recommended for adults to prevent serious disease, hospitalization and death. Specifically, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) recommends adults ages 19 and older receive an annual influenza vaccine and booster doses every 10 years of either tetanus and diphtheria (Td) or tetanus, diphtheria and acellular pertussis (Tdap) vaccine.

ACIP also recommends routine zoster vaccination for adults ages 50 and older and pneumococcal vaccination for adults ages 65 and older. Many adults are not fully vaccinated and improving adult vaccination is a national priority. For instance, the National Adult Immunization Plan outlines a set of actions needed to achieve optimal prevention of infectious disease and specifically recommends regular monitoring of recommended adult vaccines.

### Best Practices

- ✓ Schedule appointments to coincide with required timeframes for immunization administration.
- ✓ During visits, talk about the importance of being immunized.
- ✓ Ensure the member's medical record includes immunization history from all sources.
- ✓ Reference the CDC Immunization Vaccine Schedule: [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules)

## Numerator Compliance<sup>2</sup>

**Rate 1: Immunization Status: Influenza (Age 19-65)** - Members who received an influenza vaccine on or between July 1 of the year prior to the measurement period and June 30 of the measurement period, or members with anaphylaxis due to the influenza vaccine any time before or during the measurement period.

**Rate 2: Immunization Status: Td/Tdap (Age 19-65)** - Members who received at least one Td vaccine or one Tdap vaccine between 9 years prior to the start of the measurement period and the end of the measurement period, or members with a history of at least one of the following contraindications any time before or during the measurement period:

- Anaphylaxis due to the diphtheria, tetanus or pertussis vaccine.
- Encephalitis due to the diphtheria, tetanus or pertussis vaccine.

**Rate 3: Immunization Status: Zoster (Age 50-65)** - Members who received at least one dose of the herpes zoster live vaccine or two doses of the herpes zoster recombinant vaccine at least 28 days apart, any time on or after the member's 50th birthday and before or during the measurement period, or Members with anaphylaxis due to the herpes zoster vaccine any time before or during the measurement period.

**Rate 4: Immunization Status: Pneumococcal (Age 19-65)** - Members who were administered at least one dose of an adult pneumococcal vaccine on or after their 19th birthday and before or during the measurement period, or members with anaphylaxis due to the pneumococcal vaccine any time before or during the measurement period.

## Numerator Codes<sup>2</sup>

Refer to HEDIS Numerator Codes Dashboard on the Trillium HEDIS Resources website.

## Data Collection Method<sup>2</sup>

Administrative (Claims)



## Trillium Percentages/NCQA National Averages<sup>1</sup>

AIS-E	Calendar Year	Trillium	NCQA National Average
Rate 1: Influenza	2022	-	14.2
	2021	-	-
Rate 2: Td/Tdap	2022	-	36.7
	2021	-	-
Rate 3: Zoster	2022	-	7.8
	2021	-	-
Rate 4: Pneumococcal	2022	-	-
	2021	-	-

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<sup>1</sup> Source: [ncqa.org/hedis/measures](https://ncqa.org/hedis/measures)

<sup>2</sup> Source: HEDIS MY 2024 Tech Specs Manual Vol. 2