

Genetic Testing in Tetralogy of Fallot Patients	
Measure Description: Proportion of Tetralogy of Fallot (ToF) patients who received a test for 22q11.2 deletion.	
Numerator	Number of ToF patients who received or had an order for 22q11.2 deletion testing any time in their medical history.
Denominator	Number of patients, ≤ 18 years old, with ToF who had a visit during the measurement period.
Denominator Exclusions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patient or parent refusal • Patients with repaired TOF with A-V canal, Pulmonary Atresia/MAPCAS or TOF with absent valve. • Other known genetic diagnoses (e.g Trisomy 21, 13, 18 and Alagille syndrome)
Denominator Exceptions	None
Definitions/Notes	None
Measurement Period	Quarterly
Sources of Data	Medical Record
Attribution	This measure should be reported by qualified providers with experience and expertise in this modality
Care Setting	Outpatient
Rationale	
<p>These measures are meant to be applied to all patients with a ‘typical’ tetralogy of Fallot repair and may not be suitable for those smaller groups with more complex subtypes. Repaired TOF patients with A-V canal, Pulmonary Atresia/MAPCAS or TOF with absent valve will be excluded. Those with major underlying genetic disorders (e.g. Trisomy 21, 13, 18;) will also be excluded from this set of measures.</p> <p>Patients with TOF can have significant associated genetic syndromes or chromosomal anomalies in up to 25% of cases, including trisomies 21, 18 and 13, Alagille syndrome and others. Up to 15% of cases of ToF have 22q 11.2 deletion (including 6% in those with normal aortic arch and branching). This testing is important as it can have implications on the management of the patient as well as on the counseling of the family.</p>	
Clinical Recommendation(s)	
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Challenges to Implementation

Data collection, submission and database management costs

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