

Table 1: DPRP Adult Standards, Performance Criteria and Scoring

Clinical Measures (Required)	Criteria	Points
HbA1c Poor Control >9.0%*	≤15% of patients in sample	15.0
HbA1c Control <7.0%	40% of patients in sample	10.0
Blood Pressure Control ≥ 140/90 mm Hg*	≤35% of patients in sample	15.0
Blood Pressure Control <130/80 mm Hg	25% of patients in sample	10.0
Eye Examination	60% of patients in sample	10.0
Smoking Status and Cessation Advice or Treatment	80% of patients in sample	10.0
LDL Control ≥130 mg/dl*	≤37% of patients in sample	10.0
LDL Control <100 mg/dl	36% of patients in sample	10.0
Nephropathy Assessment	80% of patients in sample	5.0
Foot Examination	80% of patients in sample	5.0
Total Points		100.0
Points Needed to Achieve Recognition		75.0
Patient Survey Measures (Optional)	Criteria	Points
Self-Management Education	90% of patients in sample	10.0
Medical Nutrition Therapy	90% of patients in sample	10.0
Self-Monitoring of Blood Glucose:		
• Non-Insulin Treated Patients	50% of patients in sample	1.0
• Insulin Treated Patients	97% of patients in sample	4.0
Patient Satisfaction With:		
• Diabetes Care Overall	58% of patients in sample	1.0
• Answers to Diabetes Questions	56% of patients in sample	1.0
• Emergency Access	46% of patients in sample	1.0
• Explanation of Laboratory Results	50% of patients in sample	1.0
• Courtesy/Personal Manner	77% of patients in sample	1.0
Total Points (including Required Clinical Measures)		130.0
Points Needed to Achieve Recognition		95.0

*Denotes poor control

Adult Age Requirement: Adult patients must be between the ages of 18 and 75.

Benefits to DPRP Recognition

- Physicians can demonstrate to the public and to their professional peers that they provide quality diabetes care through a press release and by having their achievements posted on the ADA and NCQA Web sites.
- Physicians can use Recognition status to demonstrate that they provide quality diabetes care when contracting with health organizations and purchasers of health services.
- Physicians receive referrals of consumers seeking a physician through the ADA's 1-800-DIABETES National Call Center.
- Physicians can identify areas of practice that vary from appropriate performance criteria for treatment of people with diabetes.
- Where applicable, physicians can establish eligibility for pay-for-performance bonuses or differential reimbursement from payers and health plans.