

Draft DRWG Assessment Criteria

- Availability
 - Existing measures: whether measures to address the question are currently available
 - Yes, no, other notes
 - If no, could it be developed?
 - ✓ if it can be developed, what is recommended source, the estimated effort and realistic timeline to produce metric
 - Data sources for measures: provide the data sources, e.g., data files and reports, for measures
 - Open text
- Feasibility
 - Data access
 - public use files or reports, data use agreement required, state agency only
 - Study population
 - Inclusion and exclusion criteria
 - Sample size and distribution across subpopulations of interest
 - Data collection/reporting for measures
 - Mode of data collection
 - Frequency of data collection
 - ✓ Ongoing, monthly, quarterly, annually, biannually, no fixed schedule, others
 - Potential for trend or longitudinal analysis (has it been available for a while, will it continue to be available in a comparable form)
 - ✓ Yes, no, unknown
 - Data quality for measures
 - scale 1 (low) to 5 (high)
- Standards
 - Measures derivation meets industry standards
 - Yes, no, unknown, industry standards unavailable
 - Benchmarks are available for comparisons
 - Yes, no, unknown
- Resources/Efforts
 - Level of resources required to use identified measures to answer the question (level of effort may depend on whether answer to the Data Availability above is yes or no)
 - Direct application, some transformation/revision, moderate transformation/revision, significant transformation/revision, new measures to be developed, or
 - Scale 1 (low) to 5 (high) with open text for estimated hours (if possible)
- Potential limitations