Readmissions

Returning to the hospital for unplanned care disrupts patients’ lives, increases their risk of harmful events like healthcare-associated infections, and costs more money. High quality care during the initial hospital stay can keep patients from returning to the hospital and reduce their stay if they had to come back.

Unplanned Readmissions & Hospital Return Days By Medical Condition

Rates of readmission show the percentage of patients who return to the hospital for an unplanned inpatient admission within 30 days of leaving the hospital.

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### 30-Day Unplanned Readmission & Hospital Return Days By Surgical Procedure

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