



Did You Know?

HOSPITAL PERFORMANCE, 1st QUARTER 2006 THROUGH 4th QUARTER 2006

Broadlawns Medical Center participates in and is benchmarked by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) on four hospital core measure sets, which are acute Myocardial Infarction, Heart Failure, Community Acquired Pneumonia, and Surgical Care Improvement Project. The first three measures are reported to The Joint Commission and all four measures are reported to CMS.

Broadlawns Medical Center continually strives to meet or exceed the state or national average on these quality measures. Although we have a small number of patients in each category, Broadlawns still scored equal to or higher for the aggregate four quarters than the state average on 10 out of 20 expanded set measures.

Source: Carol Nicholson, Performance Improvement Coordinator, Quality Management, Broadlawns Medical Center

This is a Fact of Life!

