

What are we measuring?

We measure the rate of inpatient falls which were experienced during the hospitalization.

Why is this important?

Inpatient falls that occur in the hospital can result in serious injury. Because of that, inpatient fall ratio is one of the major indicator that shows the quality of nursing care. Collecting and analyzing the data of inpatient falls is very important to prevent it.

What does our performance tell us?

The chart below shows the 6 month average of AHG's for 2009 which is 0,44 per thousand. Fall is not something expected, our goal is, of course, 0.

Formula: $\frac{\text{The number of inpatient falls}}{\text{total hospitalization days}} \times 1000$

