# (NQF 1822) External Beam Radiotherapy for Bone Metastases Overview

This measure reports the percentage of patients, regardless of age, with a diagnosis of painful bone metastases and no history of previous radiation who receive external beam radiation therapy (EBRT) with an acceptable fractionation scheme.

\*Final web design is subject to change as it is dependent on web real estate and IT capacity. Changes will not impact the data elements but rather the application layout.\*

# Accessing the Web-Based Application

The user enters their assigned User ID and password to access the secure site and information for their individual hospital.

Figure 1 Sign In



Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4

**NUMERATOR**

All patients, regardless of age, with painful bone metastases, and no previous radiation to the same anatomic site who receive EBRT with any of the following recommended fractionation schemes: 30Gy/10fxns, 24Gy/6fxns, 20Gy/5fxns, 8Gy/1fxn.

Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4

**DENOMINATOR**

All patients with painful bone metastases and no previous radiation to the same anatomic site who receive EBRT.

Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4

**Percent of Total**

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