

Bree Collaborative Implementation Survey Results | Medical Group Prostate Cancer Screening

This report summarizes adoption of the Bree Collaborative Prostate Cancer Screening Recommendations, completed by Washington State medical groups in 2016. We measured adoption of specific recommendations using 0-3 point scale, self-assessed by each medical group.

Results: 11 Medical Groups Responding

0 -No action taken; **1** -Actively considering adoption; **2** -Some/similar adoption; **3** -Full adoption

	AVERAGE SCORE
For average-risk men between 55 and 69 years old: Only men who express a definite preference for screening after discussing the advantages, disadvantages, and scientific uncertainty are screened with prostate specific antigen (PSA) testing	1.82
For high-risk men: Men who are at higher risk of prostate cancer because of African American descent, a family history or first degree male relative diagnosed with prostate cancer prior to age 65, Agent Orange exposure, or having a known or suspected familial genetic predisposition to breast, ovarian cancer, or prostate cancer (e.g. BRCA1, BRCA2) are given the opportunity to discuss the harms, benefits, and scientific uncertainty about PSA testing using a formal and documented shared decision-making process including conversations about increased risk; This conversation can begin earlier than age 55; Only men who express a definite preference for screening have PSA testing	1.73
Patients are not screened: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At average risk 70 years and older • At average risk under 55 years old • Who have significant co-morbid conditions, or with a life expectancy less than 10 years 	1.91
Clinicians are trained on the shared decision-making process	1.55
Patient decision aids available for PSA testing	1.55
Tracking of the shared decision-making process within the patient's medical record is allowed	1.20

Scale

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0 - No action taken	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No leadership awareness of Bree Collaborative Topics • No team formed
1 - Actively considering adoption	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bree topics, aims and components have been discussed • Education, assessment, information gathering • Changes planned but not tested • Information gathering and baseline measurement begun
2 - Some/similar adoption	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Initial test cycles completed for more than one element • Quality metrics and data available demonstrating adoption/effectiveness • Other similar (Bree-like) changes adopted for this topic
3 - Full adoption	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Changes implemented in all areas • All components integrated into care process (i.e. orders, etc.) • Partial or complete closure of gap between baseline & target outcomes

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Participating Medical Groups

Confluence Health	Providence: Pacific Medical Centers
The Everett Clinic	Providence Medical Group: SE Region
Evergreen Health Partners	Providence: Swedish Medical Group
Group Health Cooperative	Vancouver Clinic
Northwest Physicians Network	Virginia Mason
Polyclinic	MultiCare