

# Document Links:

[VTE Instrument](#)

**CATNUM** (rcvd on pull list)  
Sample category number  
66 – Principal VTE sub-population  
67 – Secondary VTE sub-population

**REVSTAT**  
REVIEW STATUS (not abstracted)  
0. Abstraction has not begun  
1. Abstraction in progress  
2. Abstraction completed w/o errors  
3. TVG failure (exclusion)  
4. Record contains missing required answers  
5. Administrative exclusion from all measures

**AGE** (calculated field)  
VTEADMDT - BIRTHDT

**VTEDCDT** (VTE)  
Discharge Date

**VTEADMDT** (VTE)  
Date of admission to acute inpatient care:

**VTEPRIN** (VTE)  
Enter the ICD-10-PCS principal diagnosis code:

**VTEOTHDX#** (1-24) (VTE)  
Enter the ICD-10-CM other diagnosis codes:

**ARRVTEDX** (VTE)  
Is there documentation by the physician/APN/PA that venous thromboembolism (VTE) was diagnosed or suspected from hospital arrival to the day after admission?  
1. Yes  
2. No

NONE invalid and  
NONE on table  
7.03 or 7.04)

ANY on table 7.03 or 7.04

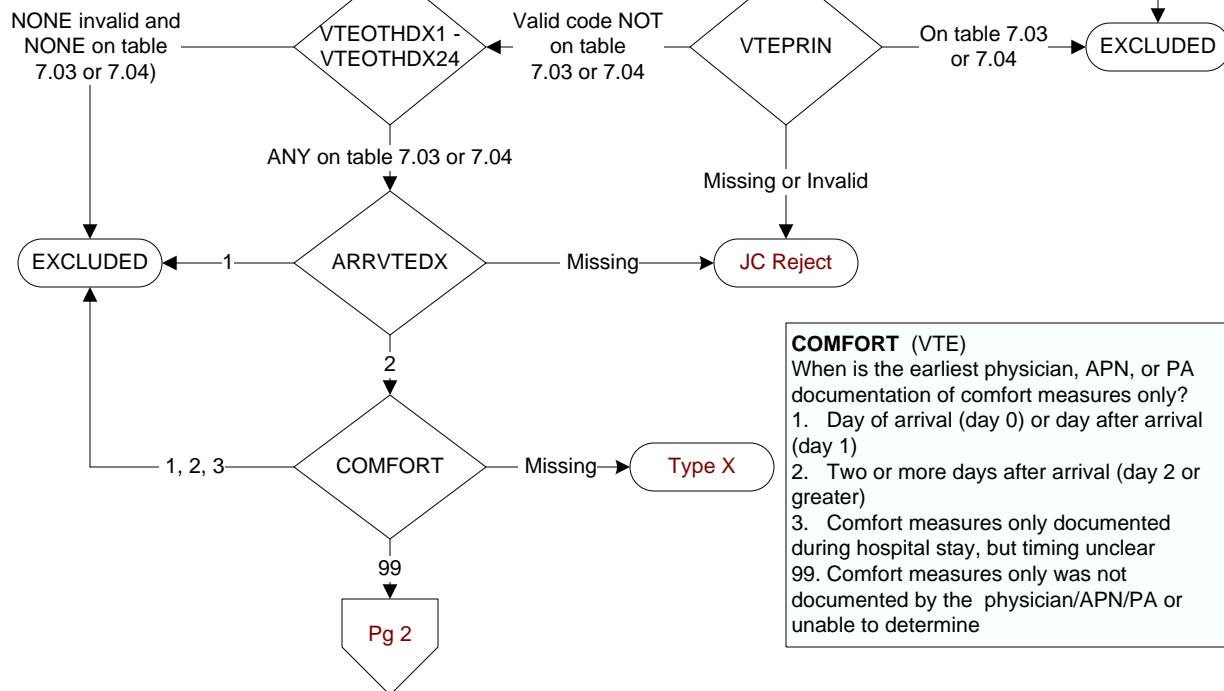
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**COMFORT** (VTE)  
When is the earliest physician, APN, or PA documentation of comfort measures only?  
1. Day of arrival (day 0) or day after arrival (day 1)  
2. Two or more days after arrival (day 2 or greater)  
3. Comfort measures only documented during hospital stay, but timing unclear  
99. Comfort measures only was not documented by the physician/APN/PA or unable to determine

**CLNTRIAL (VTE)**

During this hospital stay, was the patient enrolled in a clinical trial in which patients with venous thromboembolism (VTE) were being studied?

1. Yes
2. No

**VTETEST (VTE)**

Is there documentation that a diagnostic test for VTE was performed on the day of arrival or anytime during the hospitalization?

**VTE Diagnostic testing includes the following (ALL Inclusive):**

- Compression Ultrasound/Venous Ultrasound/Duplex ultrasound (DUS)/Venous Doppler/Vascular vein mapping of lower extremities
- Computed tomography angiography (CTA) / Angiogram/Pulmonary Angiogram of Chest/Abdomen/Pelvis
- Computed tomography (CT) of thorax (chest), abdomen/abdominal aorta/pelvis, or lower extremity leg veins with IV contrast
- CT pulmonary angiogram (CTPA)/CTPA Scan/CT pulmonary embolism (CTPE)
- Magnetic resonance imaging (MRI or MRV) of the thorax(chest. cardiac), abdomen/pelvis, or lower extremity leg veins
- Nuclear Medicine Pulmonary Scan/ventilation/perfusion (V/Q) lung scan
- Pulmonary arteriography/angiography/angiogram
- Cavagram/cavogram
- Inferior venocavagram
- Venography/Venogram of pelvic, femoral or other lower extremity veins using IV contrast material

1. Yes
2. No

**POSVTE (VTE)**

Is there physician/APN/PA documentation that a new/acute VTE was confirmed in one of the defined locations on the day of arrival, or anytime during hospitalization?

**VTE Confirmed in Defined Locations:**

- **Pulmonary Emboli (PE), pulmonary artery embolism, pulmonary trunk embolism, saddle embolism**

**OR**

- **Deep Vein Thrombosis (DVT) located in:**

- **Common femoral vein;**
- **Common iliac;**
- **External iliac vein;**
- **Femoral/superficial femoral vein;**
- **Inferior vena cava (IVC);**
- **Infrarenal IVC**
- **Intrahepatic IVC;**
- **Internal iliac,**
- **Popliteal vein;**
- **Profunda/deep femoral vein.**
- **Saphenofemoral junction WITH extension into the common femoral vein**
- **Tumor thrombus in the IVC or another defined location**

1. Yes
2. No or unable to determine from medical record documentation

**VTEPROADM (VTE)**

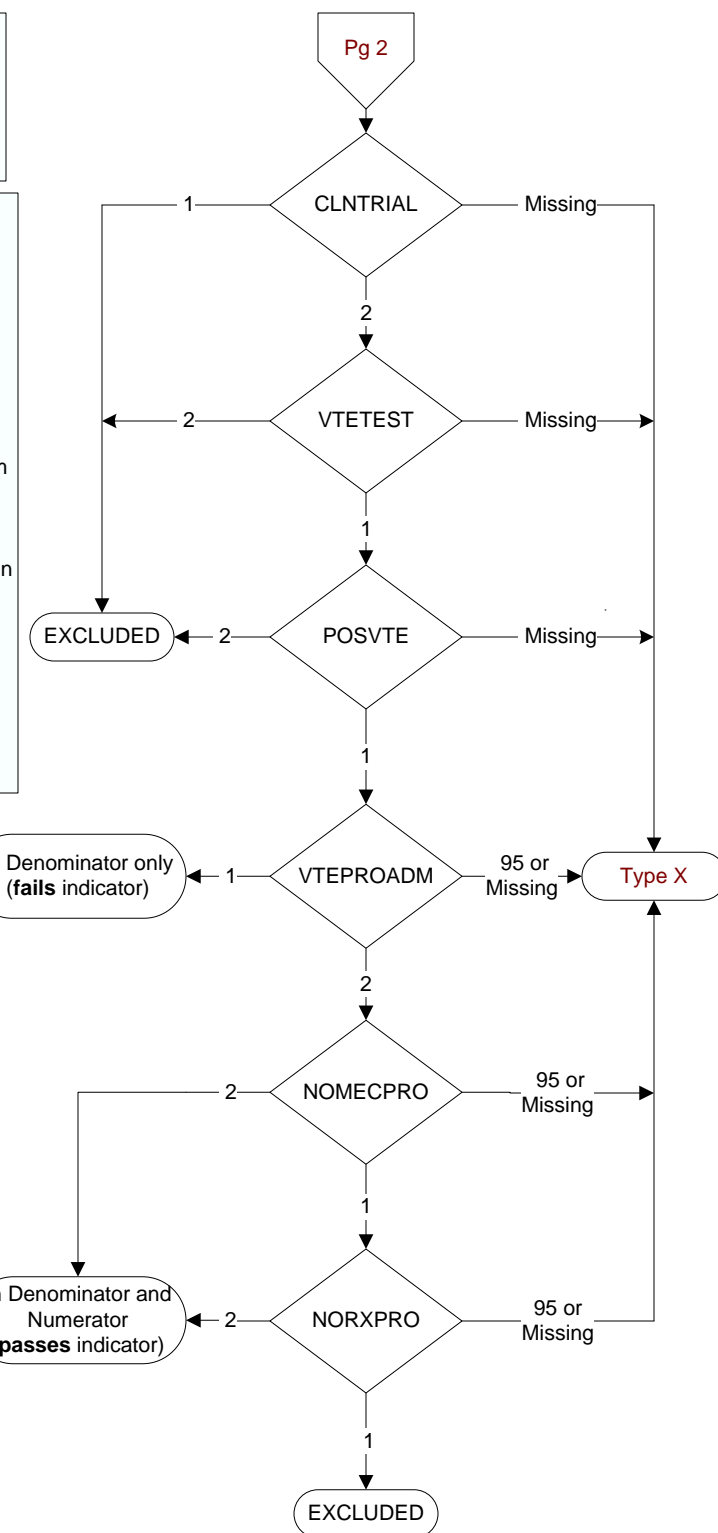
Was mechanical and/or pharmacological VTE prophylaxis administered between the arrival date and the day before the VTE diagnostic test order date?

1. Yes
2. No

**NOMECPRO (VTE)**

Is there physician/APN/PA or pharmacist documentation why mechanical VTE prophylaxis was not administered on the day(s) between arrival and the day before the VTE diagnostic test order date?

1. Yes
2. No
95. Not applicable


**NORXPRO (VTE)**

Is there physician/APN/PA or pharmacist documentation why pharmacological VTE prophylaxis was not administered on the day(s) between arrival and the day before the VTE diagnostic test order date?

1. Yes
2. No
95. Not applicable