

University of Nebraska Medical Center

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The purpose of this Site Profile is to provide an overview of the basic research processes at University of Nebraska Medical Center. This profile can help you understand: the types of patients within the electronic medical records; current PCORnet® Study participation; patient recruitment methods and institutional procedures related to Institutional Review Board and contracting; and data linkages.

Table 1. Characteristics of the patient population between January 1 – December 31, 2024

The characteristics of the patient population presented in this table are based on data from the health system’s electronic health records mapped to the PCORnet® Common Data Model as of September 2025 and do not reflect any public-facing or official characteristics reported by the health system or its partners. This data can be used to help inform researchers of the types of patients, care settings, and location data that are available for research.

Unique Patient Records	100,001-500,000 [presented as range]
AGE IN YEARS	%
Children 0-9	22 %
Children 10-19	17 %
Adults 20-34	14 %
Adults 35-54	18 %
Adults 55-64	10 %
Adults 65-74	11 %
Adults 75+	8 %
SEX	
Female	54 %
Male	46 %
Unknown	<1 %
Missing	0 %
RACE	
White	75 %
Black or African American	7 %
Asian	2 %
Multiple race	2 %
American Indian or Alaska Native	1 %
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	<1 %
Unknown	9 %
Missing	4 %
HISPANIC	
No	85 %
Yes	11 %
Unknown	3 %
Missing	1 %
CARE SETTING – <i>patients may have more than one encounter type</i>	
Ambulatory Visit	88 %
Emergency Department	23 %
Telehealth	10 %
Inpatient hospital stay	4 %
Emergency to inpatient	5 %
Observation stay	1 %
Non-acute institutional stay	0 %
AREA DEPRIVATION INDEX	
Quartile 1 (Highest Socioeconomic Status)	28 %
Quartile 2	20 %
Quartile 3	19 %
Quartile 4 (Lowest Socioeconomic Status)	10 %
Missing	22 %

RURAL-URBAN RESIDENCE

Metropolitan/Urban area	56 %
Micropolitan/Large rural area	12 %
Small town	5 %
Isolated rural area	6 %
Missing	21 %

US STATE*

Nebraska	71 %
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*For state data, the site profile report will only list states with ≥ 10% of the patients.

PCORnet® Study Leadership (Studies listed below where University of Nebraska Medical Center is the lead site)

Consented Studies (interventional trials & studies with patient-reported data collection)

None

Observational Studies

- Behavioral Economic and Staffing Strategies to Increase Adoption of the ABCDEF Bundle in the ICU (BEST-ICU)

Data Science

None

Engagement (for example, PCORI-funded Science of Engagement projects)

None

PCORnet® Study Participation (Studies listed below where University of Nebraska Medical Center is participating)

Consented Studies (interventional trials & studies with patient-reported data collection)

- A Comparative Effectiveness Study of Oral Medications Used for Migraine Prevention: The APT Comparison Study
- Aspirin Dosing: A Patient-Centric Trial Assessing Benefits and Long-term (ADAPTABLE)
- HERO Registry & Trial: Healthcare Worker Exposure Response and Outcomes
- Pragmatic Evaluation of Events and Benefits of Lipid-Lowering in Older Adults (PREVENTABLE)
- PRECIDENTD - PREvention of Cardiovascular and DiabEtic kidNey disease in Type 2 Diabetes
- REDucing future fractureS and improving ouTcomes of fRagility fracture (RESTORE)
- VictORION-INCLUSION: Evaluating Inclisiran for Cholesterol Management in Heart Disease (V-INCLUSION)

Observational Studies

- Comparing the Benefits and Harms of Three Types of Weight Loss Surgery -- The PCORnet® Bariatric Study
- The RECOVER Post-Acute Sequelae of SARS-CoV-2 (PASC) Electronic Health Record (EHR) Cohort Study
- Understanding the Short- and Long-term Effects of Disasters and other Big Events on the Overdose Crisis
- Using PCORnet to Compare Blood Pressure Control Strategies

Data Science

None

Engagement (for example, PCORI-funded Science of Engagement projects)

- Measurement Matters: Refining and Validating a Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Engagement Measure

Participant Recruitment Capabilities

Mechanisms

- Patient portal Email Post mail Schedule-driven clinic intercept

Outreach

- System-wide outreach permitted Clinic-specific outreach (physician approval required)

Institutional Review Board (IRB) Policy

- Recruitment messaging with “opt-out” language permitted

Primary Patient Groups

- Adult Pediatric Safety net

Institutional Procedures

Institutional Review Board (IRB) Arrangements

- May rely on single/central IRB for federally mandated studies only
- May rely on single/central IRB for non-federally mandated studies
- May accept commercial IRB review

Order of Activation

- IRB approval required before contract execution
- Contract execution required before IRB approval
- IRB and contract can be executed in parallel

Administrative Efficiencies

- Will accept PCORnet® Master Clinical Research Agreement without redlines for PCORI-funded studies
- Has signed the PCORnet® Master Data Sharing Agreement
- Has contracted directly with Industry funders

Linkage with Other Data Sources

Health Plan Claims

- In same or adjacent data mart with common ID
- Established linkage infrastructure and regulatory

Name(s) of Plan(s)

Medicare claims linked to Common Data Model (CDM), hospital tumor registry, and social/geographic data in a centralized repository maintained at the University of Missouri (“GROUSE”)

Other (non-EHR) Data

- Linked in DataMart*
- Established linkage infrastructure and regulatory

Name(s) of Data Source(s)

North American Association of Central Cancer Registries (NAACCR) data, Death data, Community Social determinants of health, tumor table

*DataMart refers to a specific data source consisting of data collected, captured or otherwise obtained by the health system. Each site’s PCORnet DataMart houses data standardized to the PCORnet® Common Data Model.

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