

PVI Registry™

Frequently Asked Questions

1) What is the PVI Registry™ and why was it developed?

The PVI Registry is a comprehensive registry to include adult patients, eighteen years of age or older, undergoing carotid stenting and/or carotid endarterectomy and lower extremity catheter-based arterial interventions. It was developed to provide improved care and optimize outcomes for patients with vascular disease.

2) Why did the CARE Registry® expand to the PVI Registry?

In response to many participant requests, the NCDR approved the expansion of the CARE Registry to include lower extremity catheter-based arterial intervention procedures and to update the carotid stenting and endarterectomy data set. The goal of the NCDR is to successfully collect data to provide reliable information relating to the broader population with peripheral vascular disease undergoing diagnostic angiography or catheter-based interventions, use of procedures or real-world procedural outcomes. Renal, aortic, abdominal aortic aneurysm, aortic arch, mesenteric and upper extremity interventions may be added in future versions.

3) How can my facility join the PVI Registry?

If your facility enrolled or re-enrolled for the CARE Registry for 2014, you were automatically transitioned to the PVI Registry, on April 10, 2014. If you are new to the PVI Registry and would like to request additional information or enroll, please [click here](#).

4) How can we get copies of the Data Collection Forms and Data Dictionary?

To download the PVI Data Collection Forms, log into the NCDR web page, go to the PVI Registry and click on “Documents”, under the “Resources” drop-down menu. You can also contact us at 1-800-257-4737 or at the email address ncdr@acc.org.

5) When did the PVI Registry go live?

The PVI Registry was launched on April 10, 2014 and data entry began at that time for patients with discharge dates of April 1, 2014 and forward.

6) What will happen to CARE data that has been entered?

Participants using the ACC online tool to enter data will have a designated period of time in which to retrieve their data from CARE before the site is retired on September 30, 2014. Those participants using a third party vendor currently certified for the CARE Registry should contact the vendor to find out how to retrieve their data. All Outcomes Reports from the CARE Registry will be migrated over to PVI for retrieval, but not the raw data itself.

7) When will data entry into CARE Registry end?

Q1-2014 will be the only quarter to have data entered into the CARE Registry for 2014. The Data Deadline for Q1-2014 is June 30, 2014 for CARE. The CARE Registry will remain active until September

30, 2014 for sites to retrieve their data if they should want to keep it. The CARE Registry will reject any entries for discharge dates after 3/31/2014. Q2 patient data must all be entered into the PVI Registry.

8) What vendors are certified for the PVI Registry?

We expect the current CARE vendors to be certified on the new PVI Registry; however they may not have completed the certification process prior to the launch date. The ACC online tool will be available as a bridge until the vendor product is available. Please check with your vendor as to their expected delivery date of the PVI Registry.

9) Will the PVI Registry have DQR functionality?

Yes, the PVI Registry will be on the same platform as the other registries currently are and this will mean there will be a series of Quality Checks to run first, followed by submitting to the DQR to check for completeness.

10) What kind of training is NCDR providing for the new registry?

NCDR is providing multiple training opportunities for PVI participants. This includes recorded webinars available on demand, FAQ's, resource documents, announcements on homepage and presentations. For more information, please visit NCDR.com/PVI.