

# Clinical outcome assessment

A [clinical outcome assessment](#) is a measure that describes or reflects how a patient feels, functions, or survives. Types of COAs include [Patient-reported outcome](#) (PRO) measures. Observer-reported outcome (ObsRO) measures

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Research aimed at assessing the quality and effectiveness of health care as measured by the attainment of a specified result or outcome. Measures include parameters such as improved health, lowered morbidity or mortality, and improvement of abnormal states (such as elevated blood pressure).

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