



SCW Confidential Performance Report
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Lap. Cholecystectomy

Figure 1. Unadjusted median morphine-equivalent dose provided to patients following Lap. Cholecystectomy

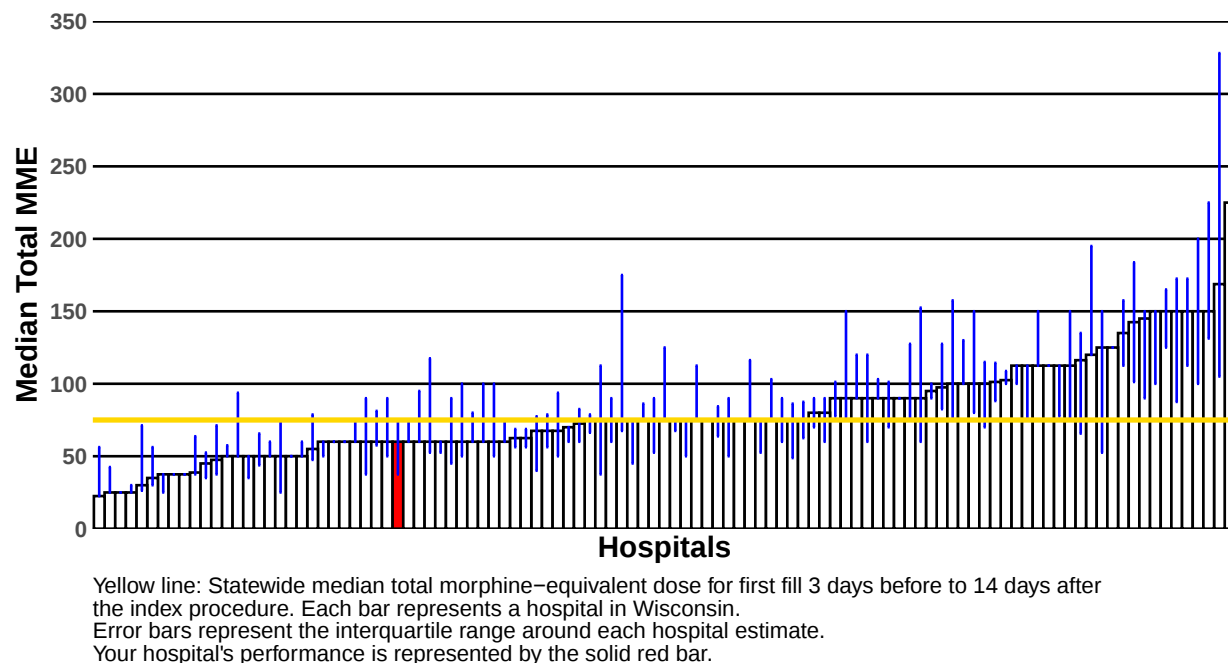


Table 1. Case volume and initial opioid fills 3 days before through 14 days following Laparoscopic Cholecystectomy

	Opioid Prescribing Recommendation	Your Cases	Your Hospital	Participating Hospitals (n=74)	All WI Hospitals (n=117)
Number of Cases		–	206	2906	3854
Number of Cases with Opioid Fill		–	158	1926	2553
Hydrocodone (Norco) 5 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	0-10	–	12 (12-12)	12 (10-15)	12 (10-20)
Codeine (Tylenol #3) 30 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	N/A	–	–	12 (9-15)	15 (11-15)
Tramadol 50 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	0-10	–	<5	14 (10-24)	16 (12-24)
Oxycodone 5 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	0-10	–	8 (5-10)	10 (6-14)	10 (7-15)
Hydromorphone (Dilaudid) 2 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	N/A	–	<5	8 (5-20)	10 (5-18)

Appendectomy

Figure 2. Unadjusted median morphine-equivalent dose provided to patients following Appendectomy

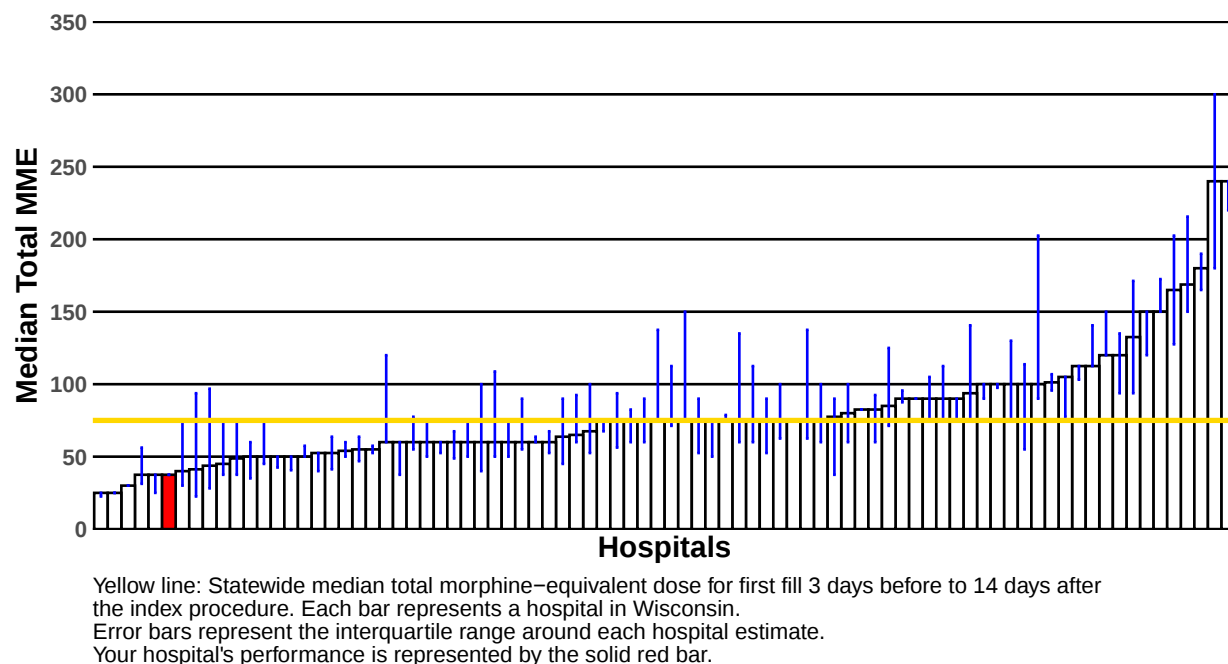


Table 2. Case volume and initial opioid fills 3 days before through 14 days following Appendectomy

	Opioid Prescribing Recommendation	Your Cases	Your Hospital	Participating Hospitals (n=63)	All WI Hospitals (n=99)
Number of Cases		–	127	1248	1691
Number of Cases with Opioid Fill		–	102	830	1107
Hydrocodone (Norco) 5 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	0-10	–	<5	12 (10-15)	12 (10-16)
Codeine (Tylenol #3) 30 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	N/A	–	–	<5	<5
Tramadol 50 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	0-10	–	<5	20 (12-24)	20 (12-24)
Oxycodone 5 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	0-10	–	5 (5-5)	10 (5-12)	10 (5-14)
Hydromorphone (Dilaudid) 2 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	N/A	–	<5	<5	<5

Inguinal Hernia Repair

Figure 3. Unadjusted median morphine-equivalent dose provided to patients following Inguinal Hernia Repair

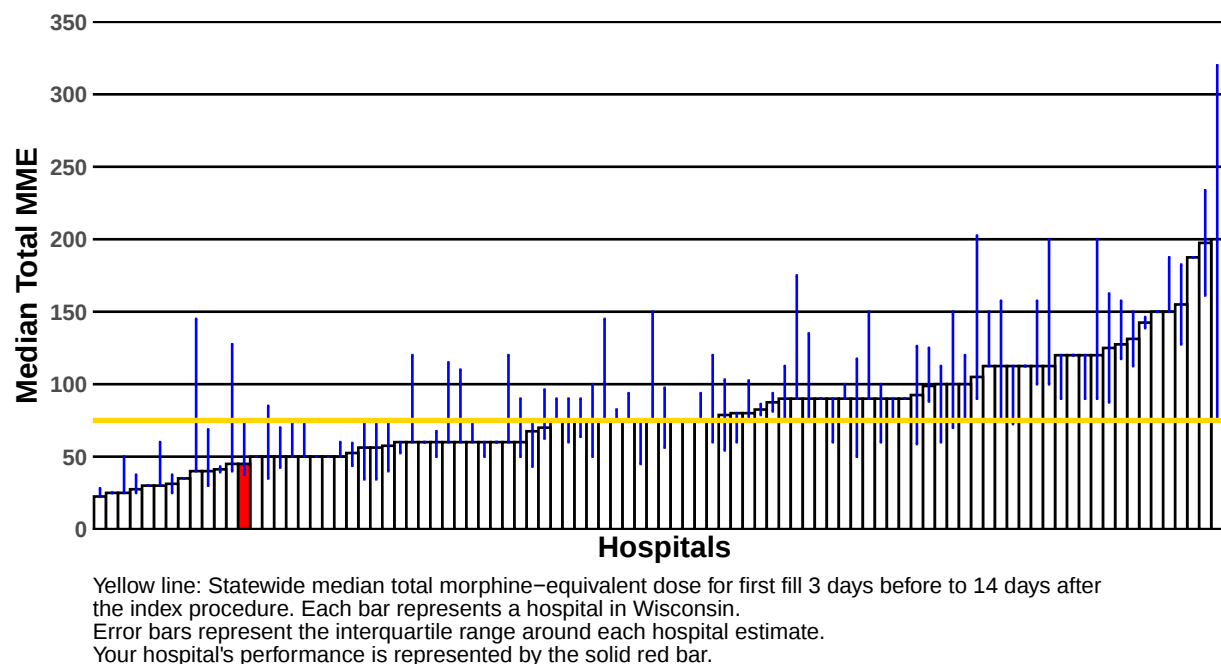


Table 3. Case volume and initial opioid fills 3 days before through 14 days following Inguinal Hernia Repair

	Opioid Prescribing Recommendation	Your Cases	Your Hospital	Participating Hospitals (n=75)	All WI Hospitals (n=116)
Number of Cases		–	142	1574	2112
Number of Cases with Opioid Fill		–	104	1016	1381
Hydrocodone (Norco) 5 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	0-10	–	10 (6-12)	12 (10-15)	12 (10-18)
Codeine (Tylenol #3) 30 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	N/A	–	–	<5	<5
Tramadol 50 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	0-10	–	<5	16 (10-24)	20 (12-28)
Oxycodone 5 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	0-10	–	6 (5-10)	10 (6-14)	10 (6-15)
Hydromorphone (Dilaudid) 2 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	N/A	–	<5	<5	<5

Lumpectomy

Figure 4. Unadjusted median morphine-equivalent dose provided to patients following Lumpectomy

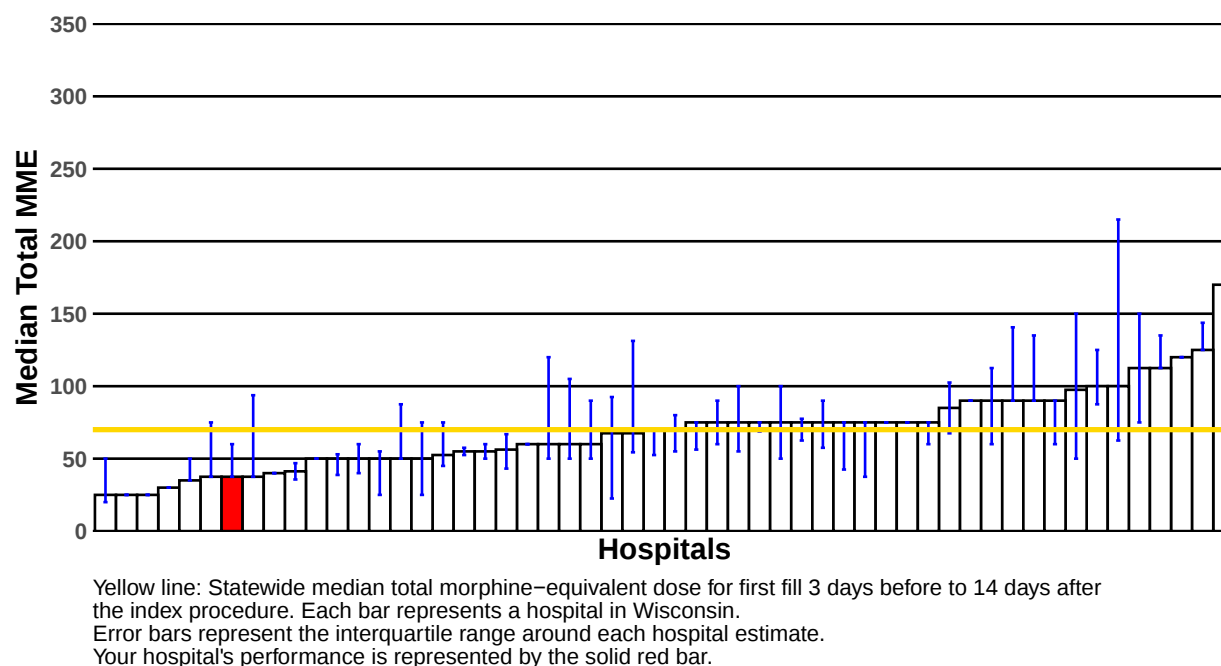


Table 4. Case volume and initial opioid fills 3 days before through 14 days following Lumpectomy

	Opioid Prescribing Recommendation	Your Cases	Your Hospital	Participating Hospitals (n=65)	All WI Hospitals (n=96)
Number of Cases		–	190	1062	1347
Number of Cases with Opioid Fill		–	73	453	582
Hydrocodone (Norco) 5 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	0-5	–	<5	12 (8-15)	12 (10-15)
Codeine (Tylenol #3) 30 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	N/A	–	–	5 (5-5)	5 (5-10)
Tramadol 50 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	0-5	–	10 (5-20)	10 (8-20)	10 (8-20)
Oxycodone 5 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	0-5	–	5 (5-5)	7 (5-10)	7 (5-10)
Hydromorphone (Dilaudid) 2 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	N/A	–	–	–	–

Mastectomy without Reconstruction

Figure 5. Unadjusted median morphine-equivalent dose provided to patients following Mastectomy

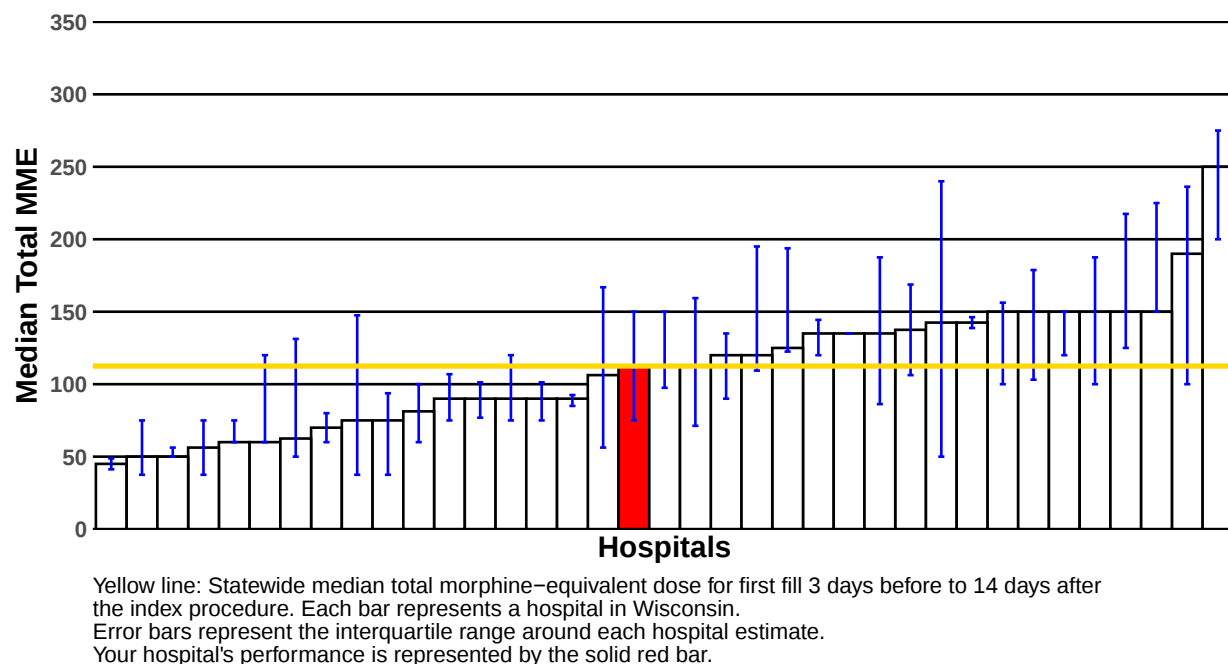
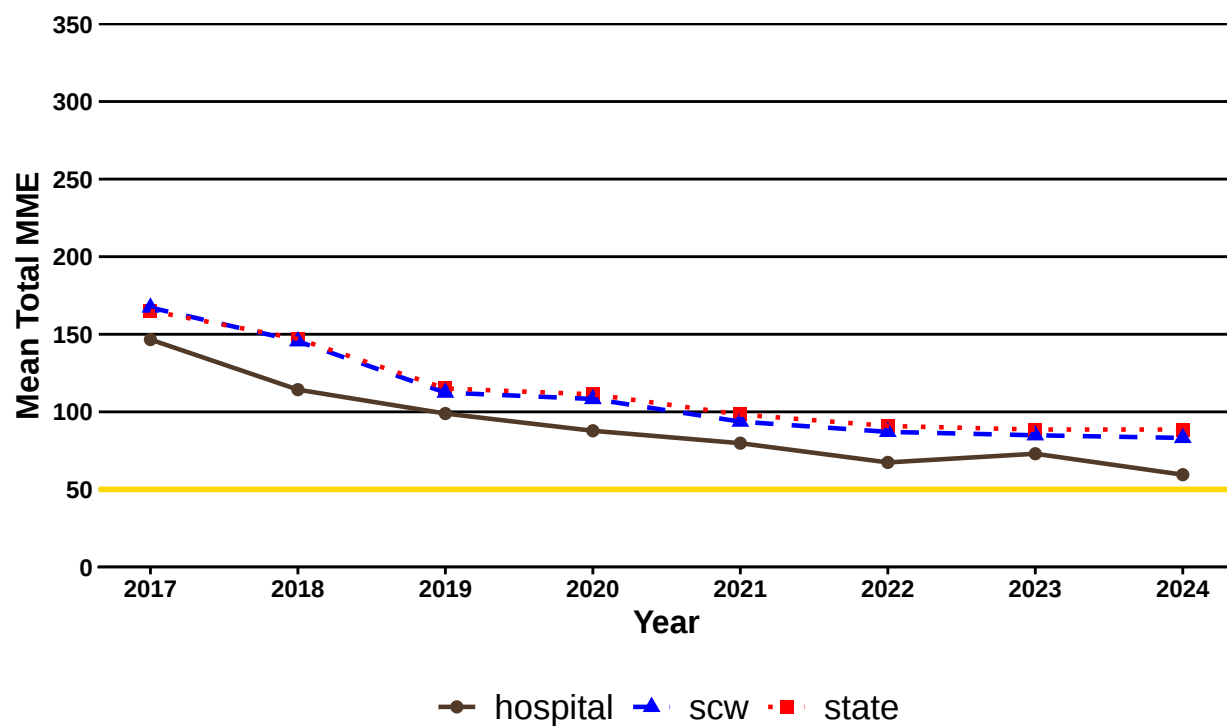


Table 5. Case volume and initial opioid fills 3 days before through 14 days following Mastectomy

	Opioid Prescribing Recommendation	Your Cases	Your Hospital	Participating Hospitals (n=52)	All WI Hospitals (n=69)
Number of Cases		–	108	545	640
Number of Cases with Opioid Fill		–	77	357	425
Hydrocodone (Norco) 5 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	0-20	–	<5	18 (12-26)	20 (12-30)
Codeine (Tylenol #3) 30 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	N/A	–	–	<5	<5
Tramadol 50 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	0-20	–	<5	15 (10-24)	16 (10-24)
Oxycodone 5 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	0-20	–	15 (10-16)	12 (10-18)	14.5 (10-20)
Hydromorphone (Dilaudid) 2 mg Tablets (Median, IQR)	N/A	–	–	–	–

Trend in Average Opioid Prescription Dose

Figure 6. Mean morphine-equivalent dose provided to patients following laparoscopic cholecystectomy, appendectomy, and inguinal hernia repair by year



Yellow line: Guideline maximum morphine-equivalent dose.

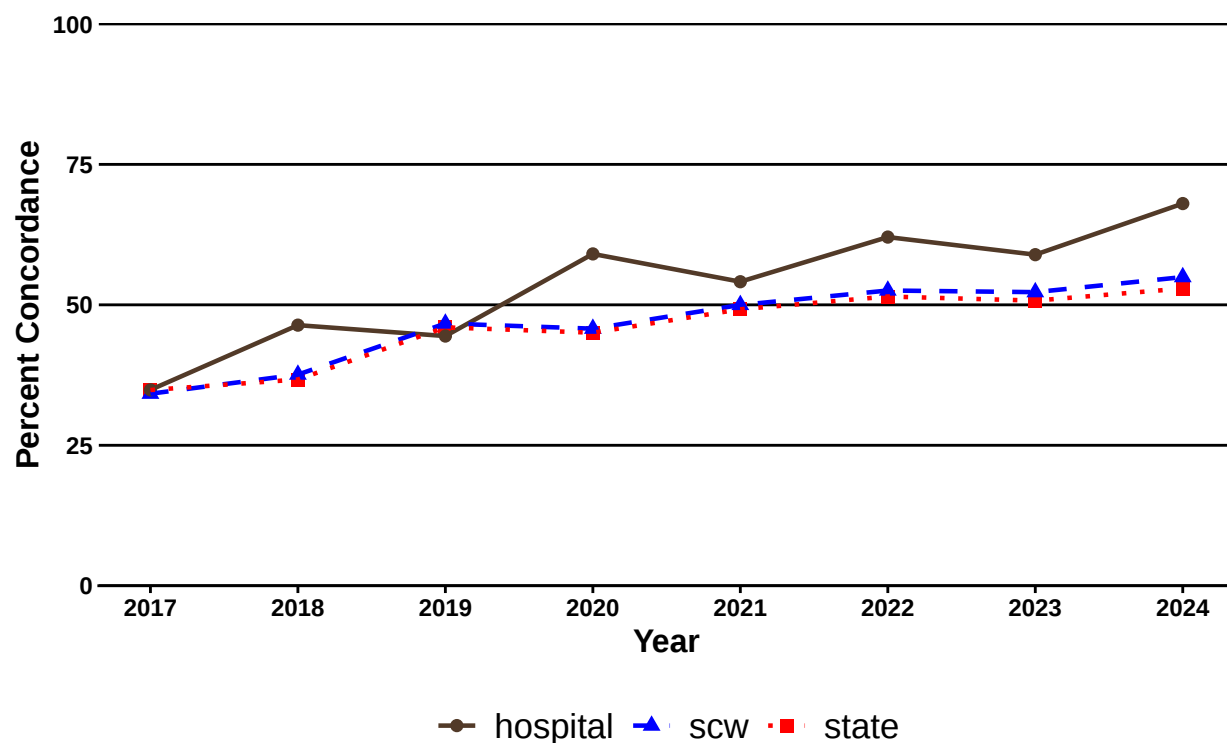
Estimates are mean dose for first fill 3 days before to 14 days after the index procedure. For 2017, the data only starts from April 2017.

Table 6. Median initial opioid prescription 3 days before through 14 days following procedures

	Your Cases	Your Hospital	Participating Hospitals	All WI Hospitals
2017(Median, IQR)	—	112.5 (96-175)	150 (112-205)	150 (112-200)
2018(Median, IQR)	—	90 (75-112)	125 (100-180)	127.5 (100-180)
2019(Median, IQR)	—	75 (60-120)	100 (75-150)	100 (75-150)
2020(Median, IQR)	—	75 (50-112)	90 (60-135)	90 (60-150)
2021(Median, IQR)	—	60 (38-90)	75 (60-112)	77.5 (60-120)
2022(Median, IQR)	—	60 (38-75)	75 (50-100)	75 (52-112)
2023(Median, IQR)	—	60 (38-75)	75 (50-100)	75 (50-105)
2024(Median, IQR)	—	37.5 (38-75)	75 (50-100)	75 (50-105)

Trend in Guideline-Concordant Prescribing

Figure 7. Guideline-concordant prescribing after laparoscopic cholecystectomy, appendectomy, and inguinal hernia repair, proportion per year



Guideline concordant prescribing = total MME of first fill 3 days before to 14 days after the index procedure is at or below the maximum recommended dose, including no opioid fill. For 2017, the data only starts from April 2017.

Table 7. Total count of procedures performed on patients with pharmacy coverage

	Your Cases	Your Hospital	Participating Hospitals	All WI Hospitals
2017	–	109	2911	4047
2018	–	166	4438	5974
2019	–	423	4919	6444
2020	–	171	4806	6381
2021	–	316	6194	8310
2022	–	427	6192	8323
2023	–	336	6332	8471
2024	–	466	6092	8103