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                    : Operationalization and validation of a novel method to calculate adherence to polypharmacy
                    with refill data from the Australian Benefits Scheme (PBS) database
                    : SAS program for calculating DPPR from refill data
* Description
* need to have variables named the following:
     ID - id of patient
     group - user defined drug group for atc code
     atc code - specific atc code for the supply
     supply date - date of supply
     quantity - quantity of medication supplied
     end date - readmission date (this is the final date used in calculations)
     dose - dose of medication per day
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* there should be no repeat supply dates by group, atc code and ID;
* there should be complete fields for each observation - no missing cells e.g. no missing atc codes;
* import dataset, rename variables and remove labels;
data indatal (drop = adm date adm time sep date sep time sex age diagl dodl ddd units);
     set <<dataset name>>;
     rename rootnum = ID atc7 = atc_code totqty = quantity eop = end_date drg_grp = group supp_date = supply_date;
     attrib _all_ label = '';
     dose = 1;
     if atc7 = 'C07AG02' or atc7 = 'C07AB02 T' then dose = 2;
run;
* sort data by patient ID, drug group and supply date;
proc sort data = indata1;
     by ID group supply_date;
run;
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* calculate duration of supply in days, create variable with first supply date for each group by group and patient;
data indata2 start dates1 (keep = ID group start date);
      set indata1;
      by ID group ;
      format start date ddmmyy10.;
      retain start date;
      duration = quantity/dose;
      if first.group = 1 then start date = supply date;
      start date = start date;
      output indata2;
      if first.group = 1 then output start dates1;
run;
* sort start dates dataset by ID and start date, want to find if patient had staggered start dates;
proc sort data = start_dates1;
      by ID start date;
run;
* if a patient has staggered start dates then class a new supply start as starting a new period;
* want number of periods by patient and the start date of each new period;
data start_dates2 (drop = prev_start) start_dates3 (keep = ID period rename = (period = total_periods));
      set start dates1;
      by ID;
      format prev start ddmmvv10.;
      retain period prev start;
      if first.id = 1 then do;
            period = 1;
            prev_start = start_date;
      end;
      if prev_start < start_date then period = period + 1;</pre>
      prev_start = start_date;
      output start dates2;
      if last.id = 1 then output start_dates3;
run;
* merge the start date of each period and the total number of periods together by ID;
data start dates4;
      merge start_dates2 start_dates3;
      by ID;
run;
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* want to calculate a variable called repeats which will indicate how many times to repeat the supply record (proxy
start date to have clean calulations);
* if a patient has staggered supply starts then we need to create proxy supplies (0 quantity) but start date of new
period so need to create repeats now;
data repeats1 repeats2;
      set start dates4;
      repeats = total periods - period;
      output repeats1;
      do repeat i = 1 to repeats;
            output repeats2;
      end;
run;
* set the two datasets together: one with all actual supplies and dataset with proxy supply dates (repeated supplies
with start date missing);
data repeats3;
      set repeats1 repeats2;
      if repeat i >=1 then start date = .;
      if repeat i >=1 then period = period + repeat i;
      if repeat i = . then repeat i = 0;
      drop repeats;
run;
* sort by patient ID, period and repeat index;
proc sort data = repeats3;
      by ID period repeat i;
run;
* retain down the supply date of new period for the new proxy repeat supplies;
data repeats4 (drop = start_date repeat_i);
      set repeats3;
      by ID period;
      format supply date ddmmyy10.;
      retain supply date;
      if first.ID = 1 then supply date = start date;
      if start date ne . then supply_date = start_date;
run;
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* read from dataset repeats4, if the ID, group and supply date match to a record in indata2 then keep and output as
match;
* read from dataset repeats4, if the ID, group and supply date do not match to a record in indata2 then keep and output
as indata2 only;
data match indata2_only (drop = total_periods period);
      if 0 then set repeats4;
      if n = 1 then do;
            declare hash a(dataset:'repeats4');
            a.defineKey('ID', 'group', 'supply_date');
            a.defineData(all: 'yes');
            a.defineDone();
      end;
      set indata2;
      if a.find() = 0 then output match;
      if a.find() ne 0 then output indata2_only;
run;
* read from dataset indata2, if the ID, group and supply date do not match to a record in repeats4 then keep and output
as repeats4 only;
data repeats4 only (keep = id group supply date total periods period);
      if 0 then set indata2;
      if n_{-} = 1 then do;
            declare hash b(dataset: 'indata2');
            b.defineKey('ID', 'group', 'supply date');
           b.defineData(all: 'ves');
           b.defineDone();
      end;
      set repeats4;
      if b.find() ne 0 then output repeats4 only;
run;
* set all three datasets together with their key (match, original supply or dummy supply);
data all1;
      set match (in = match) indata2 only (in = d2) repeats4 only (in = d7);
      format source $8.;
      if match then source = 'match';
      if d2
             then source = 'original';
      if d7 then source = 'dummy';
      if duration = . AND source = 'dummy' then duration = 0;
run;
* sort patient id, supply date, descending period in order to retain dates for next step;
proc sort data = all1;
      by ID supply date descending period ;
run;
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* retain down period and total periods for original supplies;
data all2 (drop = total periods retain period retain start date);
      set all1;
      by ID period notsorted;
      retain total periods retain period retain;
      if first.ID = 1 then do;
            total periods retain = .;
           period retain = .;
      end;
      if total periods ne . then total periods retain = total periods;
      total_periods = total_periods_retain;
      if period ne . then period_retain = period;
      period = period retain;
run;
* sort data;
proc sort data = all2;
      by ID group period supply_date atc_code;
run;
* retain down atc_code, quantity, end_date and dose for dummy supplies;
data all3;
      set all2;
      retain quantity end date dose atc code;
      if quantity ne . then quantity = quantity;
      else quantity = quantity;
      if end_date ne . then _end_date = end date;
      else end_date = _end_date;
      if dose ne . then dose = dose;
      else dose = _dose;
      if atc_code ne '' then _atc_code = atc_code;
      else atc_code = _atc_code;
      drop quantity end date dose atc code;
run;
* create next supply date and next atc code variables;
data all4;
      recno = n + 1; /* select next observation */
      set all3 end = last; /* last is the end observation in the dataset */
      if last ne 1 then set all3 (keep = supply_date atc_code rename = (supply_date = next_supply_date atc_code =
next_atc_code)) point = recno;
      else do;
            next supply date = .; /* set the last observation of the dataset to missing for the two new variables */
            next atc code = '';
      end;
run;
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* need to set the last supply date for each group to end_date and set next_atc_code to missing for last group,
* also flag if next supply is different by atc code as need to discard previous supplies if changing medication ;
data all5;
      set all4;
      by ID group;
      if last.group = 1 then do;
            next_supply_date = end_date;
            next atc code = '';
      end;
      if last.group ne 1 and atc code ne next atc code then next atc code diff = 1;
run;
* calculate time to next supply in days, difference in days between duration of supply and time to next supply,
* possible oversupply after second supply date, possible number of days not on drugs between two dates;
data all6;
      set all5;
      by ID group;
      ttns = next_supply_date - supply_date;
      diff_days = ttns - duration;
      if diff_days < 0 then do;</pre>
            if atc_code = next_atc_code then poss_ovs = abs(diff_days);
            if atc_code ne next_atc_code then poss_ovs = 0;
      end;
      if diff days >= 0 then do;
            poss ovs = 0;
            poss dnod = diff days;
      end;
      if diff days < 0 then poss dnod = 0;
run;
* calculate actual oversupply, retain down for future 'gaps' to calculate actual days not on drug;
data all7;
      set all6;
      by ID group;
      retain act ovs 0;
      if first.group = 1 then act ovs = 0;
      act_ovs = act_ovs + poss_ovs - poss_dnod;
      if act_ovs <= 0 then act_dnod = abs(act_ovs); /* set act_dnod to number of days without supply */</pre>
      if act_ovs > 0 then act_dnod = 0; /* set act_dnod to 0 if there is oversupply */
      if act_ovs <= 0 then act_ovs = 0; /* finally set act_ovs to 0 if less than 0 */</pre>
run;
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* now we're only really interested in days not on drugs to calculate dppr;
* calculate cumulative number of days in period by ID, group and period (sum together time to next supply by period);
* calculate cumulative number of days in period not on drug by ID, group and period (sum together act dnod by period);
data all8;
      set all7;
      by ID group period;
      retain period group dnod period days;
      if first.period = 1 then do;
            period group dnod = 0;
            period days = 0;
      end;
      period_group_dnod = period_group_dnod + act_dnod;
      period days = period days + ttns;
run;
* keep the last observation with cumulative sums on for calculations by ID, group and period;
data periods1 (keep = ID total periods group period period group dnod period days);
      set all8;
      by ID group period;
      if last.period = 1;
run;
proc sort data = periods1;
      by ID period group;
run;
* calculate cumulative days not on drug by period, number of groups in period, dppr numerator by period, dppr
denominator by period;
data periods2 (keep = ID period total periods no groups period num period den);
      set periods1;
      by ID period;
      retain period_dnod no_groups;
      if first.period = 1 then do;
            period dnod = 0;
            no groups = 0;
      end;
      period_dnod = period_dnod + period_group_dnod;
      no groups = no groups + 1;
      if last.period = 1 then do;
            period_num = period_days - period_dnod/no_groups;
            period_den = period_days;
      end;
      if last.period = 1;
run;
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* calculate dppr by ID;
data dppr (keep = ID total_periods no_groups DPPR);
      set periods2;
      by ID;
      format dppr 8.2;
      retain num den ;
      if first.ID = 1 then do;
            num = 0;
            den = 0;
      end;
      num = num + period_num;
      den = den + period_den;
      if last.ID = 1 then dppr = (num/den)*100;
      if last.ID = 1;
run;
* keep only dppr dataset;
proc datasets lib = work nolist;
      save dppr ;
quit;
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