



Supplemental Figure 4: Changes in Charlson and Elixhauser Indices (with 95% CI) overtime per ½ standard deviation increase. Model 1 contains only comorbidity index. Model 2 adjusted for age, sex, income, time period (year and quarter), and insurer. Model 3 adjusted for Model 2 covariates as well as discharge disposition, hospital length of stay, care intensity, and hospital characteristics (ownership type, teaching hospital status, location, size, annual number of discharges, and proportion of Medicaid patients).