

**Appendix E: *Relatedness Rubrics for Aims 2 and***

**Appendix E Table 2. HF relatedness rubric**

<b>Population</b>	
Chronic HF population	
Acute Decompensated Population (Admitted or ER)	
NYHA Class within + 10%	
<b>LVEF Subtype</b>	
Reduced LVEF	
Preserved LVEF	
<b>Space/Time</b>	
Continent	
Enrollment Years	
Enrollment (for acute HF models)	
Admission	
Inpatient	
At time of discharge	

Rubric developed by clinicians to assess population relatedness between the HF CPMs and the clinical trials with which they were matched. Each domain was compared between the CPM and clinical trial for a relatedness assessment: little to no significant clinical differences would result in “Related,” and many and/or significant differences would result in “Distantly Related” determinations.