

Healthcare Effectiveness Data and Information Set (HEDIS®) Descriptions

Measure	Description
Childhood Immunizations	<p>The percentage of children turning 2 years old during the measurement year, who received the following immunizations on, or prior to, their 2nd birthday:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Four diphtheria, tetanus, acellular pertussis (DTaP) vaccines • Three injectable polio vaccines (IPV) • One measles, mumps, rubella (MMR) vaccine • Two haemophilus influenza B (HIB) vaccines • Two hepatitis A vaccines • Three hepatitis B vaccines • One varicella-zoster virus (VZV) vaccine (or history of chickenpox disease) • Four pneumococcal conjugate vaccines • Two or Three rotavirus (RV) vaccines • Two Influenza (Flu) vaccines
Adolescent Immunizations	<p>The percentage of adolescents turning 13 years old by December 31 of the measurement year who had one dose of meningococcal vaccine and one tetanus, diphtheria toxoids and acellular pertussis vaccine (Tdap) or one tetanus diphtheria toxoids vaccine (Td) by their 13th birthday.</p>
Lead Screening in Children	<p>The percentage of children 2 years old who had one or more capillary or venous lead blood tests for lead poisoning by their 2nd birthday.</p>
Well-Infant Visits	<p>The percentage of infants turning 15 months in the measurement year, who had six or more Well-Child visits with a primary care physician during the first 15 months of life.</p> <p>The exam should include all of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health and developmental history (both mental and physical) • Physical examination • Health education and anticipatory guidance

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Well-Child Visits	<p>The percentage of children turning 3-6 years old during the measurement year who had at least one Well-Child visit to a primary care physician during the year.</p> <p>The exam should include all of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health and developmental history (both mental and physical) • Physical examination • Health education and anticipatory guidance
Well-Adolescent Visits	<p>The percentage of adolescents turning 12-21 years old during the measurement year, who had at least one Well-Adolescent visit with a primary care physician or OB/GYN during the year.</p> <p>The exam should include all of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health and developmental history (both mental and physical) • Physical examination • Health education and anticipatory guidance
Frequency of Ongoing Prenatal Care	<p>The percentage of Medicaid deliveries between November 6 of the year prior to the measurement year and November 5 of the measurement year that received the following number of expected prenatal visits:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • < 21% of expected visits • 21-40% of expected visits • 41-60% of expected visits • 61-80% of expected visits • ≥ 81% of expected visits
Prenatal and Postpartum Care	<p>The percentage of women who had a live birth during the measurement year, who had their first prenatal visit or prenatal testing during the 1st trimester or within 42 days of enrollment.</p> <p>AND</p> <p>The percentage of women who had their postpartum visit 21–56 days after their delivery date.</p>
Cervical Cancer Screening (Pap Smear)	<p>The percentage of women turning 21-64 years old during the measurement year, who had a reported Pap test with results within the past 3 years.</p> <p>The following guidelines apply:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A cervical vaginal culture does not constitute a Pap test. • Women who have had a total hysterectomy are excluded from the measure.

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<p>Comprehensive Diabetes Care</p>	<p>Members 18-75 years old who have been diagnosed with Type I or Type II diabetes who have had the following tests performed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hemoglobin A1C (HbA1c) The most recent HbA1c is > 9%, < 8% and < 7%. The results are expressed as percentages. • An LDL-C screening was conducted during the year. The most recent LDL-C is lower than 100 mg/dl. • Nephropathy screening/attention <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Microalbuminuria screening test in the year OR – Medical attention to nephropathy OR – Positive macroalbuminuria test during the year • Dilated retinal eye exam was conducted within the year or a negative exam was received during the previous year. • A blood pressure reading was taken and the level was < 130/80 and < 140/90.
<p>Cholesterol Management</p>	<p>Members 18-75 years old who were discharged alive for a myocardial infarction (AMI), coronary artery bypass graft (CABG), or percutaneous transluminal coronary angioplasty (PTCA) during the first 10 months of the previous year or who had a diagnosis of ischemic vascular disease (IVD) during the measurement year and previous year.</p> <p>Those persons were to have had an LDL-C drawn and LDL-C control (< 100 mg/dL) in the measurement year.</p>
<p>Controlling High Blood Pressure</p>	<p>The percentage of members 18-85 years old who were diagnosed with hypertension on or before June 30 of the measurement year and whose most recent blood pressure reading after diagnosis was < 140/90 during the measurement year.</p>
<p>Weight Assessment and Counseling for Nutrition and Physical Activity (WCC)</p>	<p>The percentage of members 3-17 years old who had an outpatient visit with a PCP or OB/GYN and who had evidence of BMI percentile documentation, counseling for nutrition and counseling for physical activity during the measurement year.</p>
<p>Adult BMI Assessment (ABA)</p>	<p>The percentage of members 18-74 years old who had an outpatient visit and who had their body mass index (BMI) value documented during the measurement year or year prior to the measurement year.</p>