

QUALTITY BEST PRACTICE TIPS





General Recommendations:

- Schedule Visits timely to ensure age requirements are met for the patient, including follow-up visits for 2-dose
 vaccines. There must be at least 146 days between the first and second dose of the HPV Vaccines and 14 days
 between visits.
- Take advantage of every visit including sick visits to address the **preventive care measures.**
- Use appropriate billing codes for each measure to ensure credit is provided. Codes are included for your review.
- Comply with documentation and timeliness requirements related to vaccine administration.
- Consider an expansion of your office hours into the evening, early morning, or weekends to accommodate working parents.
- Use **Telehealth** when appropriate including for W30.

Childhood Immunization Status (CIS):

Children 2 years of age who had 4 DTaP (90698, 90700, 90723), 3 IPV (90698, 90713, 90723), 1 MMR (90707, 90710), 3 HiB (90644, 90647, 90648, 90698, 90748), 3 HepB (90723, 90740, 90744, 90747, 90748), 1 VZV (90710, 90716), 4 PCV (90670), 1 HepA (90633), 2 or 3 RV (90681, 90680), and 2 flu (90655, 90657, 90661, 90673, 90685, 90686, 90687, 90688, 90689) vaccines by their second birthday.

Child and Adolescent Well-Care Visits (WCV):

Children who turn **3-21 years:** 1 or more **well-care visits** during measurement year, which must occur with a **PCP or an OB/GYN** practitioner that does not have to be the provider assigned to the member.

ICD: Z00.00, Z00.01, Z00.129, Z00.121.

CPT: 99381, 99382, 99384,99385, 99391, 99392, 99394, 99395, 99461.

Lead Screening in Children (LSC):

Children who turned **2 years old** during the measurement year must have **1 or more capillary or venous lead blood tests for lead poisoning** (Lead Tests Value Set) by their 2nd birthday. When documenting lead screening, include the **date** the test was performed and **results**. **CPT: 83655.**



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Immunization for Adolescents (IMA):

Adolescents **13 years of age** who had 1 dose of meningococcal vaccine, 1 Tdap vaccine and the complete human papillomavirus vaccine series by their 13th birthday. There must be at **least 146 days** between the first and second dose of the HPV Vaccines and **14 days** between visits.

CPT: 1 Meningococcal between 11 & 13th birthday: 90734, 1 Tdap between 10 and 13th birthday: 90715, 2 HPV between 9 and 13th birthday: 90649, 90650, 90651.

Weight Assessment and Counseling for Nutrition and Physical Activity for Children/Adolescents (WCC):

Children who turned **3-17 years of age** during the measurement year who had an outpatient visit with a PCP or an OB/GYN and who had evidence of the following: BMI percentile documentation, counseling for physical activity, counseling for nutrition

BMI Percentile: **Z68.51-Z68.54**

Nutrition Counselling: 97802, 97803, 97804, Z71.3

Physical Activity Counselling: Z02.5, Z71.82

Outpatient Visit: 99202-99205, 99211-99215, 99241-99245, 99341-99345, 99381-99387, 99391-99397, 99411, 99456.

Well-Child Visits in the First 30 Months of Life (W30):

Children who turned **15 months old** during measurement year: 6 or more well-child visits on different dates of service on or before the 15-month birthday.

Children who turned **30 months old** during measurement year: 2 or more well-child visits on different dates of service between the child's 15-month birthday plus 1 day and the 30-month birthday.

ICD: Z00.110: Health examination for newborn under 8 days old.

Z00.111: Health examination for newborn 8-28 days old.

Z00.129: Encounter for routine child health check without abnormal findings

CPT: 99381- 99385, 99391- 99395, 99461