Reporting Diabetes (HbA1c) Control

TIP SHEET

This tip sheet provides information about how to code appropriately so your practice receives credit for the work you do with your diabetic patients to improve their health and encourage better control of their Hemoglobin A1c (HbA1c) levels.

HEDIS Measure Description

Assesses the percentage of members 18-75 years of age with diabetes (type 1 or type 2) whose Hemoglobin A1c (HbA1c) levels are considered well controlled (< 8.0%) or poorly controlled (>9.0%).

The most recent HbA1c test result submitted will be used in the performance rate calculation.

Coding

The table below shows CPT Level 2 (CPT II) codes you should use to specify a member's HbA1c level.

Description	CPT II code
HbA1c level < 7.0	3044F
HbA1c level ≥ 7.0 and < 8.0	3051F
HbA1c level ≥ 8.0 and ≤ 9.0	3052F
HbA1c level > 9.0	3046F

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