

HEDIS Provider Guide: Follow-up After Emergency Department Visit for Substance Use (FUA)



Measure Description

The percentage of emergency department (ED) visits among members aged 13 years and older with a principal diagnosis of substance use disorder (SUD), or any diagnosis of drug overdose, for which there was a follow-up visit or a pharmacotherapy dispensing event. Two rates reported: Follow up within 30 days and follow up within 7 days.

Using Correct Billing Codes

Codes to Identify Follow-up Visits

Description	Codes				
Diagnosis of SUD or Drug Overdose	ICD-10: F10-F16, F18, F19, T40-T43, T51				
Follow-up and Telehealth Visits	CPT: 90791, 90792, 90832-90834, 90836-90840, 90845, 90847, 90849, 90853, 90875, 90876, 99221-99223, 99231-99233, 99238, 99239, 99251-99255	With	POS: 03, 05, 07, 09, 11-20, 22, 33, 49, 50, 53, 57, 58, 71, 72 Telehealth POS: 02, 10	With or without	Telehealth Modifier: 95, GT
Behavioral Health (BH) Outpatient Visit	CPT: 98960-98962, 99078, 99201-99205, 99211-99215, 99241-99245, 99341-99345, 99347-99350, 99381-99387, 99391-99397, 99401-99404, 99411, 99412, 99483, 99492-99494, 99510 HCPCS: G0155, G0176, G0177, G0409, G0463, G0512, H0002, H0004, H0031, H0034, H0036-H0040, H2000, H2010-H2020, T1015			With or without	Telehealth Modifier: 95, GT
Partial Hospitalization/ Intensive Outpatient Visit	HCPCS: G0410, G0411, H0035, H2001, H2012, S0201, S9480, S9484, S9485				
Observation Visit	CPT: 99217-99220				
e-Visit or Virtual Check-In	CPT: 98969-98972, 99421-99423, 99444, 99457 HCPCS: G0071, G2010, G2012, G2061-G2063				
Telephone Visits	CPT: 98966-98968, 99441-99443				
Peer Support Service	HCPCS: G0177, H0024, H0025, H0038-H0040, H0046, H2014, H2023, S9445, T1012, T1016				
Opioid Treatment Service	HCPCS: G2086, G2087, G2067-G2077, G2080				
Substance Use Services	CPT: 99408, 99409 HCPCS: G0396, G0397, G0443, H0001, H0005, H0006, H0007, H0015, H0016, H0022, H0028, H0047, H0050, H2035, H2036, T1006, T1012				
Behavioral Health Screening or Assessment for SUD or Mental Disorders	CPT: 99408, 99409 HCPCS: G0396, G0397, G0442, G2011, H0001, H0002, H0031, H0049				
Pharmacotherapy Dispensing Event	HCPCS: G2067, G2069, G2070, G2072, G2073, H0020, H0033, J0570-J0575, J2315, Q9991, Q9992, S0109				

How to Improve HEDIS® Scores

- Schedule follow-up appointments within 7 days of ED visit (ideally before the patient leaves the ED).
- Outreach to patients who cancel or miss appointments; assist with rescheduling as soon as possible.
- Help patients navigate barriers, such as using their transportation benefit for follow-up visits.
- Use diagnosis codes for AOD abuse or dependence, substance use, or drug overdose at each follow-up visit or ensure visits are with a mental health provider.