## HEDIS Provider Guide: Well Child Visits in the First 30 Months of Life (W30)



Measure Description	Using Correct Billing	g Codes
• Part I: Children who turned 15 months old during the measurement year and who had at least 6 well child visits with a primary care physician (PCP) prior to turning 15 months.	Codes to Identify Well Child Visits	
	Description	Codes
• <b>Part II:</b> Children 15 months-30 months old during the measurement year and who had at least 2 well child visits with a PCP.	Well Child Visits	CPT: 99381-99385, 99391-99395, 99461
		HCPCS: G0438, G0439, S0302, S0610, S0612, S0613
<ul> <li><u>A well child visit consists of:</u> <ul> <li>A Health History</li> <li>A physical developmental history</li> <li>A mental developmental history</li> <li>A physical exam</li> <li>Health education/anticipatory guidance</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		ICD-10: Z00.00, Z00.01, Z00.110, Z00.111, Z00.121, Z00.129, Z00.2, Z00.3, Z01.411, Z01.419. Z02.5, Z76.1 Z76.2
<b>Notes:</b> Well child visits <b>must</b> be at least 14 days apart to count.		

## How to Improve HEDIS® Scores

- Avoid missed opportunities by taking advantage of every office visit (including sick visits) to provide a well child visit, immunizations, and lead testing.
- Make daycare physicals into well child visits by performing and documenting the required elements and submitting appropriate codes.
- Ensure that medical records include the date that a health and developmental history and physical exam was performed, and what health education/anticipatory guidance was given.
- Use standardized templates in charts and in electronic medical records (EMRs) that allow checkboxes for standard counseling activities.
- Follow the Bright Futures/American Academy of Pediatrics periodicity schedule.
- Schedule the next well-child visit appointment at the end of the visit.
- Consider after hours/weekend hours to accommodate busy schedules.
- Telehealth visits are also acceptable to meet the measure requirements.
- Request a focused list of members who need to complete the well child visit series from your Blue Shield Promise Quality Program Manager.

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