

# HEDIS<sup>®</sup> Tips:

## Prenatal Care – Timeliness

### MEASURE DESCRIPTION

Prenatal care visit in the first trimester or within 42 days of enrollment. *Prenatal care visit, where the practitioner type is an OB/GYN or other prenatal care practitioner or PCP\**, with one of these:

- Basic physical obstetrical exam that includes auscultation for fetal heart tone, or pelvic exam with obstetric observations, or measurement of fundus height (a standardized prenatal flow sheet may be used)
- Obstetric panel
- Ultrasound of pregnant uterus
- Pregnancy-related diagnosis code (For visits to a PCP, a diagnosis of pregnancy must be present)
- TORCH antibody panel (Toxoplasma, Rubella, Cytomegalovirus, and Herpes simplex testing)
- Rubella antibody test/titer with an Rh incompatibility (ABO/Rh) blood typing (e.g., a prenatal visit with rubella and ABO, a prenatal visit with rubella and Rh, or a prenatal visit with rubella and ABO/Rh)
- Documented LMP or EDD with either a completed obstetric history or prenatal risk assessment and counseling/education

\* For visits to a PCP, a diagnosis of pregnancy must be present along with any of the above.

### USING CORRECT BILLING CODES

Please note that global billing or bundling codes do not provide specific date information to count towards this measure.

Description	Codes
Prenatal Care Visits	<b>CPT:</b> 99201-99205, 99211-99215, 99241-99245, 99500 <b>CPT II:</b> 0500F, 0501F, 0502F <b>HCPCS:</b> H1000-H1004, T1015, G0463 <b>UB Rev:</b> 0514
Obstetric Panel	<b>CPT:</b> 80055, 80081
Prenatal Ultrasound	<b>CPT:</b> 76801, 76805, 76811, 76813, 76815-76821, 76825-76828 <b>*ICD-9 Procedure:</b> 88.78 <b>ICD-10 PCS:</b> BY49ZZZ, BY4BZZZ, BY4CZZZ, BY4DZZZ, BY4FZZZ, BY4GZZZ
ABO and Rh	<b>CPT (ABO):</b> 86900 <b>CPT (Rh):</b> 86901
TORCH	<b>CPT (Toxoplasma):</b> 86777, 86778 <b>CPT (Rubella):</b> 86762 <b>CPT (Cytomegalovirus):</b> 86644 <b>CPT (Herpes Simplex):</b> 86694, 86695, 86696
Pregnancy Diagnosis (for PCP, use these codes and one of the codes above)	<b>*ICD-9 Diagnosis:</b> 640.x3, 641.x3, 642.x3, 643.x3, 644.x3, 645.x3, 646.x3, 647.x3, 648.x3, 649.x3, 651.x3, 652.x3, 653.x3, 654.x3, 655.x3, 656.x3, 657.x3, 658.x3, 659.x3, 678.x3, 679.x3, V22-V23, V28 <b>ICD-10:</b> O09-O16, O20-O26, O28-O36, O40-O48, O60.0, O71, O88, O91, O92, O98, O99, O9A, Z03.7, Z33, Z34, Z36

\*ICD-9 codes are included for historical purposes only and can no longer be used for billing.

### HOW TO IMPROVE HEDIS<sup>®</sup> SCORES

- Schedule prenatal care visits starting in the first trimester or within 42 days of enrollment.
- Ask front office staff to prioritize new pregnant patients and ensure prompt appointments for any patient calling for a pregnancy visit to make sure the appointment is in the first trimester or within 42 days of enrollment.
- Have a direct referral process to OB/GYN in place.
- Complete and submit Molina's pregnancy notification as soon as a pregnancy diagnosis is confirmed.
- Refer Molina patients to our Motherhood Matters<sup>®</sup> program.