

Women's Health: Prenatal Services

Information for Medicaid providers who offer obstetrics and gynecological services

Quality Measure – Timeliness of Prenatal Care:

The quality measure, timeliness of prenatal care, is based upon a **prenatal visit in the first trimester** or a **prenatal visit within 42 days** of becoming a Molina Healthcare member.

Prenatal care visit, where the practitioner type is Obstetrics and Gynecology (OB/GYN) or other prenatal care practitioner or Primary Care Provider (PCP), with one of these:

- Basic physical obstetrical exam that includes auscultation for fetal heart tone, pelvic exam with obstetric observations, or measurement of fundus height (a standardized prenatal flow sheet may be used)
- Documented last menstrual period (LMP) or estimated date of delivery (EDD) with either a completed obstetric history or prenatal risk assessment and counseling/education
- Evidence that a prenatal procedure was performed, such as:
 - Obstetric panel (must include all the following: Hematocrit, differential White Blood Cell (WBC) count, platelet count, Hepatitis B surface antigen, rubella antibody, syphilis test, Red Blood Cell (RBC) antibody screen, Rhesus Factor (Rh) and ABO blood typing)
 - Ultrasound of pregnant uterus, which must also include an Office Visit
 - Pregnancy-related diagnosis code (a positive pregnancy test diagnosis does not count)
 - TORCH antibody panel (Toxoplasma, Rubella, Cytomegalovirus and Herpes simplex testing)
 - Rubella antibody test/titer with a Rh incompatibility (ABO/Rh) blood typing

Codes Included in the Current Quality Measures:

Description	Codes
Prenatal Care Visits (must be billed with a pregnancy diagnosis)	CPT[®]: 99201-99205, 99211-99215, 99241-99245, 99500, 99483
	CPT II[®]: 0500F, 0501F, 0502F
	HCPCS: H1000-H1004, T1015, G0463
Pregnancy Diagnosis	ICD-10: O09-O16, O20-O26, O28-O36, O40-O48, O60.0, O71, O88, O91, O92, O98, O99, O9A, Z03.7, Z34, Z36
Prenatal Bundled Services (indicates delivery only and should be billed with a prenatal care visit code)	CPT[®]: 59400, 59425, 59426, 59510, 59610, 59618
	HCPCS: H1005

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Quality Measure – Prenatal Risk Assessment Form (PRAF):

Submitting the PRAF 2.0 using NurtureOhio is easy:

- Open the NurtureOhio website to access the PRAF: <http://www.nurtureohio.com>.
- Instructions can be found at <http://medicaid.ohio.gov/Provider/PRAF>.
- Users must register in the Medicaid Information Technology System (MITS). For username and password issues visit <http://www.ohmits.com/>.
- For difficulties with NurtureOhio, email: Progesterone_PIP@medicaid.ohio.gov.

A complete PRAF helps pregnant women receive the best support for a healthy pregnancy. Provider benefits of submitting a PRAF include:

- Automatically notifies the County Department of Job and Family Services (CDJFS), Managed Care Plan and Home Health Care provider (when indicated on the PRAF) of the pregnancy, need for Progesterone and any other need indicated on the form.
- Allows for an Ohio Board of Pharmacy-approved Progesterone prescription to be printed and faxed to the appropriate pharmacy.
- Allows provider staff updates by multiple users prior to submission.
- Maintains a pregnant woman's Medicaid eligibility without disruption in coverage, equating to prompt provider payment for services throughout the woman's pregnancy.
- **Molina offers an additional provider payment of \$50 for online submission of the PRAF.**

Ensuring Prompt Care:

Every pregnant woman with Medicaid coverage should be linked to needed services on her first prenatal visit. An online PRAF 2.0 submission ensures:

- Medicaid coverage for mom and baby without disruption through the immediate post-partum period.
- Serves as pregnancy notification to managed care plans and initiation of timely health care and connection to added resources, like care management, which is important for at-risk pregnancies.

How to Improve Quality Measure Outcomes:

- **Timeliness of Prenatal Care:** Perform a full prenatal care visit on a pregnant woman during the first trimester and confirm the claim contains a pregnancy diagnosis code.
Note: The Medicaid reimbursement for an Evaluation and Management (E&M) code with a TH modifier (Prenatal Visit) is typically higher than the base E&M rate.
- **Ultrasound:** When performing an ultrasound, make sure to include an office visit and submit both services on the claim.
Note: If the patient does not see a physician/midwife/nurse practitioner, it doesn't count for a Healthcare Effectiveness Data and Information Set (HEDIS®) prenatal visit.
- **PRAF:** Complete and submit the PRAF through NurtureOhio (<http://nurtureohio.com>) at the first pregnancy related visit.
Note: This notifies your patient's health plan and state about her pregnancy, helping her to keep her health coverage and connecting her to care coordination and support services.

Molina Pregnancy Rewards:

Molina is here to help our pregnant women by incentivizing them and new mothers to complete prenatal and well child provider visits.

The Molina Pregnancy Rewards program begins in the member's first trimester and ends when the baby is 15 months old. Only pregnant women who are Molina Medicaid members at the time services are rendered are eligible for rewards.

To enroll, eligible members must call (800) 642-4168 (TTY 711). Members can also enroll in Molina's Care Management program at the same time.

Members must complete exams/services during the designated timeframes to qualify for these incentives. Services completed for previous pregnancies do not qualify for rewards.

A total of \$225 is available in gift cards:

\$25 Gift Card Requirement:

- Current Molina members must visit their physician for the **first prenatal visit** within the **first trimester** (weeks 1-12 of pregnancy).
- Newly enrolled members must enroll in Pregnancy Rewards, take a short pregnancy assessment and visit their physician for their **first prenatal visit** within **42 days of joining** Molina.

\$100 Gift Card Requirement:

- The member must be enrolled in the Pregnancy Rewards program and go to their **postpartum visit** within **7-84 days of delivery**. A visit to remove staples from a C-section does NOT qualify for this reward.

\$100 Gift Card Requirement:

- The member must take her baby to all **6 well child visits** before the baby turns **15 months old**.

Gift cards will arrive in the mail within 12 weeks of completion.