HEDIS® Tips:
Comprehensive Diabetes Care (CDC)

MEASURE DESCRIPTION

The percentage of patients 18-75 years of age with diabetes (type1 and type 2) who had each of the following:

- Hemoglobin A1c (HbA1c) testing

- HbA1c poor control (>9.0%)*
  * a lower rate is better

- HbA1c control <8.0%

- HbA1c control <7.0% for a selected population

- Eye exam (retinal or dilated) performed

- BP control (<140/90 mmHg)

- Nephropathy monitoring

  - Nephropathy screening or monitoring test
  - Treatment for nephropathy or ACE/ARB therapy
  - Stage 4 chronic kidney disease (CKD)
  - ESRD or dialysis
  - Nephrectomy or kidney transplant
  - Visit with a nephrologist
  - ACE/ARB dispensed

CODES INCLUDED IN THE CURRENT HEDIS MEASURE

Description	Codes
Codes to Identify Diabetes	**ICD-10:** E10, E11, E13, O24
Codes to Identify HbA1c Tests	**CPT®:** 83036, 83037 **CPT®II:** 3044F (if HbA1c <7%), 3051F (if HbA1c 7% - <8%), 3052F (if HbA1c 8% - 9%), 3045F (if HbA1c 7% - 9%), 3046F (if HbA1c >9%)
Codes to Identify Nephropathy Screening Test (Urine Protein Tests)	**CPT®:** 81000-81003, 81005, 82042-82044, 84156 **CPT®II:** 3060F, 3061F, 3062F
Codes to Identify Eye Exam (must be performed by optometrist or ophthalmologist)	**CPT®:** 67028, 67030, 67031, 67036, 67039-67043, 67101, 67105, 67107, 67108, 67110, 67113, 67121, 67141, 67145, 67208, 67210, 67218, 67220, 67221, 67227, 67228, 92002, 92004, 92012, 92014, 92018, 92019, 92134, 92225-92228, 92230, 92235, 92240, 92250, 92260, 99203-99205, 99213-99215, 99242-99245 **HCPCS:** S0620, S0621, S3000
Codes to Identify Diabetic Retinal Screening with Eye Care Professional billed by any Provider	**CPT®II:** 2022F-2026F, 2033F
Codes to Identify Blood Pressure Readings	Systolic greater than/equal to 140 **CPT®II:**3077F Systolic less than 140 **CPT®II:** 3074F (<130), 3075F (130-139) Diastolic greater than/equal to 90 **CPT®II:** 3080F Diastolic 80-89 **CPT®II:** 3079F Diastolic less than 80 **CPT®II:** 3078F Remote Blood Pressure Monitoring **CPT®:** 93784, 93788, 93790, 99091
Codes to Identify Telehealth Appointments	**Telehealth Modifier**: 95, GT **WITH** POS: 02
Codes to Identify Telephone Visits	**CPT®:**98966, 98967, 98968, 99441, 99442, 99443
Codes to Identify Online Assessments	**CPT®:** 98969, 99444

HOW TO IMPROVE HEDIS SCORES

- ☐ Review diabetes services needed at each office visit.
- ☐ Order labs prior to patient appointments.
- ☐ Schedule telehealth appointments to diagnose patients with diabetes. Note: Only one of the two diagnosis visits are permitted to be telehealth, telephone visit or an online assessment.
- ☐ Bill for point of care testing if completed in office and Ensure HbA1c result and date are documented in the chart.
- ☐ Adjust therapy to improve HbA1c and BP levels; follow-up with patients to monitor changes.
- ☐ Make sure a digital eye exam, remote imaging, and fundus photography are read by an eye care professional (optometrist or ophthalmologist) so the results count.
- ☐ Use 3072F if member's eye exam was negative or showed low risk for retinopathy in the prior year in order to ensure accurate billing and coding.
- ☐ Prescribe statin therapy to all diabetics age 40 to 75 years.
- ☐ Refer patients for Health Management interventions and coaching by contacting Health Care Services at Molina Healthcare.

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