

HEDIS® Tips:

Breast Cancer Screening (BCS)

MEASURE DESCRIPTION

Women 50-74 years of age who had one or more mammograms any time on or between October 1 two years prior to the measurement year through December 31 of the measurement year.

Exclusion: Bilateral mastectomy

Note: This measure evaluates primary screening. Do not count biopsies, breast ultrasounds, or MRIs because they are not appropriate methods for primary breast cancer screening.

Description	Codes
Breast Cancer Screening	CPT®: 77055-77057, 77061-77063, 77065-77067 HCCPS: G0202, G0204, G0206 *ICD-9: 87.36, 87.37 UB Revenue: 0401,0403
Measure Exclusion Codes:	
Bilateral Mastectomy	ICD-10: 0HTV0ZZ *ICD-9: 85.42, 85.44, 85.46, 85.48
Unilateral Mastectomy with a Bilateral Modifier or Two Unilateral Mastectomy Codes 14 days or more apart	Unilateral Mastectomy: CPT: 19180, 19200, 19220, 19240, 19303-19307 *ICD-9: 85.41, 85.43, 85.45, 85.47 Bilateral Modifier: 50
History of Bilateral Mastectomy	ICD-10: Z90.13

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

HOW TO IMPROVE HEDIS SCORES

- ☐ Educate female patients about the importance of early detection and encourage testing.
- ☐ Use needed services list to identify patients in need of mammograms.
- ☐ Document a bilateral mastectomy in the medical record and fax Molina Healthcare the chart.
- ☐ Schedule a mammogram for patient or send/give patient a referral/script (if needed).
- ☐ Have a list of mammogram facilities available to share with the patient (helpful to print on colored paper for easy reference).
- ☐ Discuss possible fears the patient may have about mammograms and inform women that currently available testing methods are less uncomfortable and require less radiation.