HEDIS[®] Tips:

Follow-up After Hospitalization for Mental Illness (FUH)

MEASURE DESCRIPTION

Patients 6 years of age and older who were hospitalized for treatment of selected mental illness or intentional self-harm diagnosis and who had an outpatient visit, an intensive outpatient encounter or partial hospitalization with a mental health practitioner within 7- and 30- days of discharge. Visits must occur after the date of discharge.

USING CORRECT BILLING CODES

Codes to Identify Follow-up Visits (must be with mental health practitioner)

Description	Codes			
Follow-up Visits	Codes CPT [®] : 98960-98962, 99078, 99201-99205, 99211-99215, 99217-99220, 99241-99245, 99341- 99345, 99347-99350, 99381-99387, 99391-99397, 99401-99404, 99411, 99412, 99483, 99510 Transitional Care Management Visits: 99496 (only for 7-day indicator), 99495 (only for 30-day follow-up indicator) Telehealth Modifier: 95, GT HCPCS: G0155, G0176, G0177, G0409-G0411, G0463, H0002, H0004, H0031, H0034-H0037, H0039, H0040, H2000, H2001, H2010-H2011, H2013-H2020, M0064, S0201, S9480, S9484, S9485, T1015 UB Rev (visit in a behavioral health setting): 0513, 0900,0902-0905, 0907, 0911,0912-0917, 0919 UB Rev (visit in a non-behavioral health setting): 0510, 0515-0517, 0519-0523, 0526-0529, 0982, 0983			
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Follow-up Visits	CPT: 90791, 90792, 90832-90834, 90836-90840, 90845, 90847, 90849, 90853, 90870, 90875, 90876 Telehealth Modifier: 95, GT	WITH	POS: 03, 05, 07, 09, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 24, 33, 49, 50, 52, 53, 71, 72
	CPT: 99221-99223, 99231-99233, 99238, 99239, 99251-99255 Telehealth Modifier: 95, GT	WITH	POS: 52, 53

HOW TO IMPROVE HEDIS SCORES The literature indicates that during the first 7 days post-discharge the patient is at greater risk for re-hospitalization and, within the first 3 weeks post-discharge the risk of self-harm is high. Ensure that the follow-up appointment is made with a mental health practitioner before the patient leaves the hospital and is scheduled within 7 days of discharge. Contact Molina case management if assistance is needed to obtain follow-up appointment. Assist the patient with navigation of the health system to lessen the impact of barriers, such as using their transportation benefit to get to their follow-up appointment. Ensure your patient has an understanding of the local community support resources and what to do in an event of a crisis. Review medications with patients (and/or parent/caregiver as appropriate) to ensure they understand the purpose and appropriate frequency and method of administration. Ensure accurate dates are documented for hospital discharge, scheduled outpatient appointments, and kept appointments. Visits must be with a mental health practitioner. Provide information about the importance of monitoring their emotional well-being and following up with their mental health practitioner. Follow-up visits must be supported by a claim, encounter or note from the mental health practitioner's medical chart in order to count toward the measure.

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