



Well-Child Visits in the First 30 Months of Life (W30)

HEDIS® Measurement Year 2022 Measures

Measure Description: The percentage of members who had the following number of well-child visits with a PCP during the last 15 months. The following rates are reported:

- Well-Child Visits in the First 15 Months. Children who turned 15 months old during the measurement year: Six or more well-child visits.
- Well-Child Visits for Age 15 Months–30 Months. Children who turned 30 months old during the measurement year: Two or more well-child visits

Please Note:

Telehealth visits now meet criteria if the appropriate CPT code is submitted with the GT modifier.

Eligible Population

Two age stratifications

- Children who turn 15 months old during the measurement year.
- Children who turn 30 months old during the measurement year.

Strategies for Improvement

- Utilize NCQA coding tips to actively reflect care rendered.
- Educate staff to schedule visits within the time frames.
- Never miss an opportunity to perform a well-child exam, even during a sick visit.
- Educate staff to schedule visits within the guideline time frames.
- This measure is based on the American Academy of Pediatrics Bright Futures: Guidelines for Health Supervision of Infants, Children and Adolescents (published by the National Center for Education in Maternal and Child Health). Visit the Bright Futures website for more information about well-child visits:

[\(brightfutures.aap.org/materials-and-tools/guidelines-and-pocket-guide/\)](https://brightfutures.aap.org/materials-and-tools/guidelines-and-pocket-guide/)

Components of a Well-Child Visit

The well-child visit must occur with a PCP type practitioner, but the PCP does not have to be the practitioner assigned to the child. Preventive services may be rendered on visits other than well-child visits. Well-child preventive services count toward the measure, regardless of the primary intent of the visit, but services that are specific to an acute or chronic condition do not count toward the measure. Do not include services rendered during an inpatient or ED visit.

The following are some examples of acceptable criteria for all the components in a well-child visit:

- Health History
- Physical Developmental History
- Mental Developmental History
- Physical Exam
- Anticipatory guidance



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Numerator Codes

The complete NCQA approved code set list can be referenced in the coding guide at healthplan.org/providers/patient-care-programs/population-health. For questions, please contact your practice management consultant. To identify your practice management consultant please refer to healthplan.org/providers/overview/meet-provider-servicing-team

The Health Plan has a team of member advocates, health coaches, social workers and nurses who can assist you and your patients to remove or overcome any barriers to care through benefit assistance, community resource referrals or enrollment in a THP clinical program. To refer a patient who is a THP member for assistance, call **1.877.903.7504** and let us know what we can do to help your patient receive and adhere to your recommended plan of care.

| Code Class | Codes |
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| CPT | 99381- 99385, 99391- 99395, 99461 |
| ICD-10 | Z00.0x, Z00.1x, Z00.2, Z00.3, Z02.5, Z76, 1, Z76.2 |
| HCPCS | G0438, G0439, S0302 |

****Please Note:** The ages for well-child visits as recommended by the American Academy of Pediatrics' Bright Futures Periodicity Schedule are:

- Newborn
- First Week (3 to 5 days)
- 1 month
- 2 months
- 4 months
- 6 months
- 9 months
- 12 months
- 15 months
- 18 months
- 24 months (2 year)
- 30 months (2 1/2 year)