

Adolescent well care visits

2019

Measure description: Percentage of adolescents and young adults (ages 12-21) who had at least one well-care visit during the year.

Purpose: Youth who can easily access preventive health services are more likely to be healthy and able to reach milestones such as high school graduation and entry into the work force, higher education, or military service.

Measure Specifications

Data: Claims data (MMIS/DSSURS)

Improvement Target: TBD

Benchmark Target: 65.2%

Denominator: Members age 12 – 21 as of December 31, 2019 who are continuously enrolled in 2019. One gap in enrollment is allowed of up to 45 days during 2019.

Numerator: Members in the denominator who receive at least one comprehensive well-care visit during 2019. All well-care visits by any provider type count toward this measure. Adolescent well-care visits are defined by the following codes:

Well-Care Value Set		
CPT	HCPCS	ICD-10 Diagnosis *, ‡
99383-99385, 99393-99395	G0438, G0439	Z00.00, Z00.01, Z00.121, Z00.129, Z00.5, Z00.8, Z02.0, Z02.1, Z02.2, Z02.3, Z02.4, Z02.5, Z02.6, Z02.71, Z02.82, Z76.1, Z76.2

* The codes do not have to be the primary diagnosis.

‡ Note: Z00.8 and Z02.xx ICD-10 codes are not covered under OHP administrative rules or on the prioritized list as of 10/1/2018, however this measure does include denied claims.

OHA Resources: <https://www.oregon.gov/oha/HPA/ANALYTICS/Pages/CCO-Baseline-Data.aspx>

❖ Guidance documents and current technical specifications available on the OHA website.

Strategies for Improvement

- Schedule members for well visits during the month of their birthday.
- Turn sick visits into well visits whenever possible.
- Complete a full well-visit in conjunction with a sports physical.
- Use reminder and recall systems to reach out to patients and reduce no-shows.
- Use the gap lists provided by Advanced Health for targeted patient outreach.