Quality Quick Tips

JANUARY 2024 CHILDREN'S HEALTH



Happy New Year! Each year brings the opportunity for a fresh start to get your patients on track with their well visits, immunizations and preventive screenings. You can turn a sick visit into a well visit by incorporating the elements of a well child exam into the visit. You will be able to bill MHP for services performed for both the sick and well child. You can do this by adding modifier 25 to the sick visit and **you will be reimbursed for both services.**

A sports physical can also become a well child visit by adding anticipatory guidance (nutrition, health and social/behavior) to the sports physical's medical history and physical exam. Visit must include the following:

- Physical growth and development assessment
- Mental developmental history
- Complete physical exam

- Hearing and vision screening
- Anticipatory guidance

Child and Adolescent Provider Incentives		
LOB	Measure	Incentive
Medicaid	Lead	36416 = \$15 83655 = \$25
Medicaid & Commercial	Chlamydia Screening	\$25 per eligible member
Medicaid & Commercial	Weight Assessment and Counseling for	\$15 Total
	Nutrition and Physical Activity	(\$5 each completed component)
Medicaid	Developmental Screening	\$20 members 0-3
Medicaid & Commercial	Vaccines for Children and Adolescents	CIS Combo3 - \$50 Combo10 - \$100
		<u>IMA</u> Combo2 - \$50
Medicaid	Club 101 – Well Child Visits Ages 1-14	\$101

MHP will reimburse you for one well child visit each **calendar** year. You do not have to wait a full 12 months to perform a well child visit.

And because dental health and physical health are so intrinsically connected, Well Child visits are also an excellent time to inquire if your patient has a dental home or receives routine dental exams!

Thank you for the quality care you deliver!

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