



Follow-Up Care for Children Prescribed ADHD Medication (ADD)

HEDIS® Measurement Year 2023

Measure Description: The percentage of children newly prescribed attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder ADHD medication who had at least three follow-up care visits within a 10-month period, one of which was within 30 days of when the first ADHD medication was dispensed.

Eligible Population

Commercial and Medicaid members 6-12 years of age with a prescription dispensed for ADHD as of the Index Prescription Start Date (IPSD).

IPSD refers to the earliest prescription dispensing date for an ADHD medication where there is a period of 4 months prior to the dispensed date where no ADHD medications were dispensed.

Exclusions

Members with a diagnosis of narcolepsy any time during the member's history through the end of the measurement period.

Measure Compliance – (numerator)

Numerator 1: Initiation Phase

Members with a dispensed prescription who had **one** follow-up visit with a practitioner with prescribing authority within 30 days from the date the prescription was filled.

Numerator 2: Continuation & Maintenance Phase

Members with a dispensed prescription who remained on the medication for at least 210 days and had at least **two** follow-up visits with any practitioner within 270 days (9 months) after the date the prescription was filled.

Numerator Codes

The complete NCQA approved code set can be referenced in the coding guide at healthplan.org/providers/patient-care-programs/quality-measures.

For questions, please contact your practice management consultant. To identify your practice management consultant, please refer to healthplan.org/providers/overview/meet-practice-management-consultant.

Code Type	Codes	Code Description
CPT	98960- 98962, 99078, 99201-99205	Behavioral Health Outpatient Visits
CPT	99217-99220	Observation Visits
CPT	98966-98968, 99441-99443	Telephone Visits

*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.*