

PROVIDER RESOURCE:

Children's Health

Quality Health Standards—Working Together to Improve Patient Health

Blue Cross and Blue Shield of New Mexico (BCBSNM) appreciates the care and attention you provide to Blue Cross Community Centennial members. This tool contains a collection of preventive children's health guidelines, which promote best health practices, selected from the HEDIS[®] standardized performance measures. BCBSNM hopes this tool will convey a better understanding of the standards and key documenting points associated with each standard.

Preventive care guidelines are located under the 'Clinical Resources' tab and educational opportunities are under the 'Education & Reference' tab at bcbsnm.com/provider.

Members may be eligible for Centennial Rewards upon completion of healthy activities.

For more information visit centennialrewards.com.

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| Annual Dental Visit (ADV) | Members 2–20 years of age who had at least one dental visit during the measurement year. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Educate parents/legal guardians on the importance of routine dental care Assist parents/legal guardians with finding a dental provider for their children |
| Childhood Immunizations (CIS) | Complete, at a minimum, the following immunizations before the 2nd birthday: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4 doses – DTaP 3 doses – IPV 1 dose – MMR 3 doses – HiB 3 doses – Hepatitis B 1 dose – VZV 4 doses – PCV 1 dose – Hepatitis A 2–3 doses – Rotavirus 2 doses – Influenza | Documentation to include one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vaccine name and date administered History of illness (date) or seropositive result for the following: measles, mumps, rubella, chickenpox, or Hepatitis B Hepatitis B: Assess if 1st dose provided at birth. If so, document in medical record 'Hep B at delivery' Document vaccines administered in State Immunization Information System: https://nmsiis.health.state.nm.us/webiznet_nm/Login.aspx |

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| Immunizations for Adolescents (IMA) | <p>Adolescents who turned 13-years old and received the following vaccinations by their 13th birthday:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meningococcal vaccine given between 11th and 13th birthdays • Tdap/Td vaccine given between 10th and 13th birthdays • Two-dose OR three-dose vaccine given between 9th and 13th birthdays | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vaccine name and date administered • Two-dose HPV: There must be at least 146 days between the first and second dose of the HPV vaccine • Document vaccines administered in State Immunization Information System: https://nmsiis.health.state.nm.us/webiznet_nm/Login.aspx |
| Weight Assessment, Counseling for Nutrition, Counseling for Physical Activity (WCC) | <p>Children/adolescents 3-17 years of age who had an outpatient visit with a PCP or OB/GYN and who had evidence of the following during the year:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BMI percentile • Counseling for nutrition • Counseling for physical activity | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date • Height • Weight • BMI percentile: Documentation must be a specific percentile; BMI norms for youth vary with age and gender; range (i.e., between 25% and 50%) is not acceptable • Assess and counsel for nutrition • Assess and counsel for physical activity <p>HEDIS added telephone visits, e-visits and virtual check-ins to the administrative specifications to the WCC care rate in the 2020-2021 publication.</p> |
| Well-Child Visits in the First 30 Months of Life (W30) | <p>Members who had the following number of well-child visits with a PCP during the last 15 months:</p> <p>Well-Child Visits for Children in the First 15 Months of Age</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children who turned 15 months during the measurement year. Six or more well-child visits. <p>Well-Child Visits for Children 15-30 Months of Age</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children who turn 30 months during the measurement year. Two or more visits | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health history • Physical developmental history • Mental developmental history • Physical exam • Health education/anticipatory guidance <p><i>*HEDIS telehealth exclusion removed</i></p> |
| Child and Adolescent Well-Care Visits from 3-21 Years of Life (WCV) | <p>Members 3-21 years of age who had at least one comprehensive Well-Care visit with a PCP or an OB/GYN practitioner during the year.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health history • Physical developmental history • Mental developmental history • Physical exam • Health education/anticipatory guidance <p><i>*HEDIS telehealth exclusion removed</i></p> |

The information in this document is being provided for educational purposes only and is not the provision of medical care or advice. Physicians and other health care providers are instructed to use their own best medical judgment based upon all available information and the condition of the patient in determining the best course of treatment.

Identified services are currently covered under the Blue Cross Community Centennial health plan. Future coverage is not guaranteed. Regardless of any benefit determination, the final decision regarding any treatment or service is between the patient and the health care provider. Additional limitations and requirements may apply.