

ADHD MEDICATION FOLLOW-UP CARE



The percentage of children ages 6-12 newly prescribed an ADHD medication that 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. The visit should be with a practitioner with prescribing authority. Two rates are reported: Rate 1- Initiation phase and Rate 2- Continuation and Maintenance Phase

INITIATION PHASE

One face-to-face outpatient follow-up visit with a prescribing practitioner within 30 days after the date the ADHD medication was newly prescribed.

Codes to Identify Visits	
Outpatient Visit (Visit Setting Unspecified Value Set with POS Value Set): 90791, 90792, 90832 - 90834, 90836 - 90840, 90845, 90847, 90849, 90853, 90875, 90876, 99221 - 99223, 99231 - 99233, 99238, 99239, 99251 - 99255	POS: 03, 05, 07, 09, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 33, 49, 50, 71, 72
An outpatient visit (BH Outpatient Value Set) CPT: 98960 - 98962, 99078, 99201 - 99205, 99211 - 99215, 99241 - 99245, 99341 - 99345, 99347 - 99350, 99381 - 99387, 99391 - 99397, 99401 - 99404, 99411, 99412, 99510, 99483	
An outpatient visit (BH Outpatient Value Set) HCPCS: G0155, G0176, G0177, G0409, G0463, H0002, H0004, H0031, H0034, H0036, H0037, H0039, H0040, H2000, H2010, H2011, H2013, H2014, H2015, H2016, H2017, H2018, H2019, H2020, M0064, T1015	
A health and behavior assessment/intervention (Health and Behavior Assessment/Intervention Value Set): 96150 - 96154	
An intensive outpatient encounter or partial hospitalization (Visit Setting Unspecified Value Set with Partial Hospitalization POS Value Set): 90791, 90792, 90832 - 90834, 90836 - 90840, 90845, 90847, 90849, 90853, 90875, 90876, 99221 - 99223, 99231 - 99233, 99238, 99239, 99251 - 99255	POS: 52
An intensive outpatient encounter or partial hospitalization (Partial Hospitalization/Intensive Outpatient Value Set): G0410, G0411, H0035, H2001, H2012, S0201, S9480, S9484, S9485	
A community mental health center visit (Visit Setting Unspecified Value Set with Community Mental Health Center POS Value Set): 90791, 90792, 90832 - 90834, 90836 - 90840, 90845, 90847, 90849, 90853, 90875, 90876, 99221 - 99223, 99231 - 99233, 99238, 99239, 99251 - 99255	POS: 53

CONTINUATION AND MAINTENANCE PHASE

Members 6-12 years of age who remained on the dispensed ADHD medication for at least 210 days and in addition to the visit in the Initiation Phase, had at least two follow-up visits with a practitioner within 270 days after the Initiation Phase ended. One of the two visits may be a telephone or telehealth visit with the prescribing practitioner.

CODES TO IDENTIFY VISITS: Any code noted above in the initiation phase or one of the following. Note: Only one of the two visits (during days 31–300) may be a telephone visit (Telephone Visits Value Set) or a telehealth visit.

CPT: 98966 - 98968, 99441 – 99443

CPT Modifier: 95, GT/POS 02

Treating ADHD:

Children age 6 - 12 years old with a new diagnosis of ADHD must have a visit on or 30 days after prescription initiation and 2 more visits by 10 months.

To improve HEDIS scores:

- Prescribe a quantity of less than 30 pills to ensure member returns by 30 days
- Schedule a two week follow-up to check member and ensure return by 30 days
- Schedule a 6 week, 3 month and 6 month visit to ensure child has at least 2 visits in 10 months