

If a conflict arises between a Clinical Payment and Coding Policy and any plan document under which a member is entitled to Covered Services, the plan document will govern. If a conflict arises between a CPCP and any provider contract pursuant to which a provider participates in and/or provides Covered Services to eligible member(s) and/or plans, the provider contract will govern. "Plan documents" include, but are not limited to, Certificates of Health Care Benefits, benefit booklets, Summary Plan Descriptions, and other coverage documents. Blue Cross and Blue Shield of New Mexico may use reasonable discretion interpreting and applying this policy to services being delivered in a particular case. BCBSNM has full and final discretionary authority for their interpretation and application to the extent provided under any applicable plan documents.

Providers are responsible for submission of accurate documentation of services performed. Providers are expected to submit claims for services rendered using valid code combinations from Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act approved code sets. Claims should be coded appropriately according to industry standard coding guidelines including, but not limited to: Uniform Billing Editor, American Medical Association, Current Procedural Terminology, CPT<sup>®</sup> Assistant, Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System, ICD-10 CM and PCS, National Drug Codes, Diagnosis Related Group guidelines, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services National Correct Coding Initiative Policy Manual, CCI table edits and other CMS guidelines.

Claims are subject to the code edit protocols for services/procedures billed. Claim submissions are subject to claim review including but not limited to, any terms of benefit coverage, provider contract language, medical policies, clinical payment and coding policies as well as coding software logic. Upon request, the provider is urged to submit any additional documentation.

## **Preventive Services Policy**

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## Definitions

The following acronyms have been utilized throughout this reimbursement policy.

ACIP:	Advisory Committee on Immunization
	Practices
CDC:	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
FDA:	United States Food and Drug Administration
HRSA:	Health Resources and Services
	Administration
PPACA:	Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act of
	2010
USPSTF:	United States Preventive Services Task Force

## **Description**

Section 2713 of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act mandates that private health plans provide coverage of preventive services issued by the following agencies: The United States Preventive Services Task Force , the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention , and the Health Resources and Service Administration with respect to women's guidelines and guidelines for infants, children, and adolescents. These services are available at no cost-share when obtained by a member covered under a non-grandfathered plan. This applies to members belonging to individual, small group, large group, and self-insured plans. There is no copay, deductible or coinsurance, even if the individual or family deductible or out-of-pocket maximum has not been met as long as the member utilizes a provider in the plan's network.

Preventive care or preventive medicine refers to measures or services taken to promote health and early detection/prevention of disease(s) and injuries rather than treating them and/or curing them. Preventive care may include, but are not limited to, examinations and screening tests tailored to an individual's age, health, and family history.

PPACA does not mandate that preventive services be covered at no member cost-share when obtained out-of-network. Members that obtain preventive services out of their network will be subject to copay, deductible, and coinsurance.

Grandfathered plans are plans that have been in existence prior to March 23, 2010 and are exempt from the requirement of providing preventive services at no member cost share. Grandfathered plans have the opportunity to elect providing coverage of preventive services at no member cost share but are not required to do so. The USPSTF applies a <u>letter grade</u> for each of the recommendations that are released.

Following the <u>recommendation</u> of the USPTF coverage of Grade "A" and "B" recommendations is provided at no member cost share for members with a nongrandfathered health plan.

Grade	Definition
Α	The USPSTF recommends the service. There is high certainty that the net benefit is substantial.
В	The USPSTF recommends the service. There is high certainty that the net benefit is moderate or there is moderate certainty that the net benefit is moderate to substantial.
C	The USPSTF recommends selectively offering or providing this service to individual patients based on professional judgment and patient preferences. There is at least moderate certainty that the net benefit is small.
D	The USPSTF recommends against the service. There is moderate or high certainty that the service has no net benefit or that the harms outweigh the benefits.
Ι	The USPSTF concludes that the current evidence is insufficient to assess the balance of benefits and harms of the service. Evidence is lacking, of poor quality, or conflicting, and the balance of benefits and harms cannot be determined.

The ACIP publishes recommendations on the safe utilization of vaccines. ACIP's recommendations include immunization schedules for children and adolescents as well as adults. Travel Immunizations such as, but not limited to, Japanese Encephalitis, Typhoid, Yellow Fever, and Small Pox are excluded from Preventive Service coverage. Other excluded vaccinations include Anthrax, Bacille Calmette Guerin for Tuberculosis (BCG), and Rabies which are not required by PPACA. Immunizations should be administered in accordance with the ACIP Recommended Child and Adult Immunization Schedules or in accordance with state law or regulations.

HRSA releases <u>Women's Preventive Services guidelines</u> that are aimed at improving women's health by recommending certain preventive services that should be obtained in the clinical setting.

HRSA endorses <u>preventive guidelines</u> established by the American Academy of Pediatrics for the health and well-being of infants, children, and adolescents. These recommendations are referred to as Bright Futures

## **Reimbursement Information**

Certain preventive care services may be considered eligible for coverage under the member's benefit plan as required by PPACA and/or an applicable state mandate. In general, these services include, but are not limited to, screenings, immunizations, and other types of care as recommended by the United States Federal Government.

These services are not subject to application of cost-sharing such as co-payments, coinsurance or deductibles when they are considered eligible for coverage and are provided by a network provider. In order for preventive claims to process at the preventive level with no member cost share, the claim must include a preventive diagnosis code, a preventive procedure code, meet medical policy review criteria, and fall within the guidelines issued by the USPSTF, ACIP, HRSA, or Bright Futures.

Health care providers (facilities, physicians and other health care professionals) are expected to exercise independent medical judgement in providing care to patients. This Preventive Services Reimbursement policy is not intended to impact care decisions or medical practice.

The following grid provides a list of the recommendations released by the USPSTF, ACIP, HRSA, or Bright Futures along with the corresponding procedure codes and diagnosis codes deemed to be preventive.

USPSTF Recommendations:		
Service:	Procedure	Additional Reimbursement
	Code(s):	Criteria:
Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm	76706	Procedure code 76706 is
Screening		reimbursable as preventive
		when submitted with one of
USPSTF "B" Recommendation		the following: Z13.6,
<u>December 2019</u>		Z87.891, Z72.0, Z00.00,
The USPSTF recommends 1-time		Z00.01, F17.210, F17.200

screening for abdominal aortic aneurysm with ultrasonography in men aged 65 to 75 years who have ever smoked.		
Unhealthy Alcohol Use in	99385, 99386,	Payable with a diagnosis
Adolescents and	99387, 99395,	code in Diagnosis List 1.
Adults: Screening and Behavioral	99396, 99397,	
Counseling	99408, 99409,	
Interventions	G0396, G0397,	
	G0442, G0443	
USPSTF "B" Recommendation November 2018 The USPSTF recommends screening for unhealthy alcohol use in primary care settings for adults 18 years or older, including pregnant women, and providing persons engaged in risky or hazardous drinking with brief behavioral counseling interventions to reduce unhealthy alcohol use.		
Anxiety Screening Disorders in	96127, 99384,	Procedure code 96127 is
Adults	99385, 99386,	only reimbursable at the
USPSTF Released FINAL "B" Recommendation for Screening for Anxiety Disorders in Adults 06/30/2023	99387, 99394, 99395, 99396, 99397, G0444	preventive level when billed with a diagnosis of Z00.129, Z13.31, Z13.32, Z13.39, Z13.41, or Z13.42
The USPSTF recommends screening for anxiety disorders in adults, including pregnant and postpartum persons.		

Aspirin Use to Prevent		For details about pharmacy
Preeclampsia and Related		benefit coverage, contact
Morbidity and Mortality:		the number on the patient's
Preventive		BCBSNM member card. A
Medication		patient's pharmacy benefit
		may be managed by a
USPSTF "B" Recommendation		company other than
September 2021		BCBSNM.
The USPSTF recommends the use of		
low-dose aspirin (81 mg/day) as		Coverage includes generic
preventive medication after 12		aspirin 81 mg tablets with a
weeks of gestation in persons who		prescription.
are at high risk for preeclampsia.		
Asymptomatic Bacteriuria in	81007, 87086,	Payable with a Pregnancy
Adults Screening	87088	Diagnosis
USPSTF "B" Recommendation		
September 2019		
The USPSTF recommends screening		
for asymptomatic bacteriuria using		
urine culture in pregnant persons.		
BRCA-Related Cancer Risk	81212, 81215,	These services are subject to
Assessment,	81216, 81217,	Medical Policy and prior
Genetic Testing	81162, 81163,	authorization may be
	81164, 81165,	required. Procedure codes
USPSTF "B" Recommendation August	81166, 81167,	81212, 81215-81217, 81162-
2019	99385, 99386,	81167, 81307 and 81308 are
USPSTF recommends that primary	99387, 99395,	reimbursable as preventive
care clinicians assess women with a	99396, 99397,	when submitted with one of
personal or family history of breast,	99401, 99402,	the following primary
ovarian, tubal, or peritoneal cancer	99403, 99404,	diagnosis codes:
or who have an ancestry associated	G0463, S0265,	Z80.3, Z80.41, Z85.3, Z85.43
with breast cancer susceptibility 1	81307, 81308,	
and 2 (BRCA1/2) gene mutations with	96041	Procedure code 96041 is
an appropriate brief familial risk		reimbursable as preventive
assessment tool. Women with a		when submitted with one of
positive result on the risk		the following primary
assessment tool should receive		diagnosis codes: Z80.3 or

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genetic counseling and, if indicated		Z80.41
after counseling, genetic testing.		
		All other procedure codes
		for BRCA are payable with a
		diagnosis in Diagnosis List 1
Breast Cancer Medications for Risk		For details about pharmacy
Reduction		benefit coverage, contact
		the number on the patient's
USPSTF "B" Recommendations		BCBSNM member card. A
September 2019		patient's pharmacy benefit
The USPSTF recommends that		may be managed by a
clinicians offer to prescribe risk-		company other than
reducing medications, such as		BCBSNM.
tamoxifen, raloxifene, or aromatase		
inhibitors, to women who are at		Coverage includes generic
increased risk for breast cancer and		anastrozole 1 mg, raloxifene
at low risk for adverse medication		hcl 60 mg, and tamoxifen
effects.		citrate 10 and 20 mg tablets
		when used for prevention in
		members ages 35 and over
		with a prescription.
Breast Cancer Screening	77061, 77062,	Payable with a diagnosis
	77063, 77067	code in Diagnosis List 1
USPSTF "B" Recommendation		_
January 2016		
The USPSTF recommends biennial		
screening mammography for women		
aged 40-to 74 years.		

<i>Refer</i> also to HRSA's 'Breast Cancer Screening for Women at Average Risk' recommendation.		
Breastfeeding Primary Care	99401, 99402,	Electric breast pumps
Interventions	99403, 99404,	limited to one per benefit
	99411, 99412,	period. Hospital Grade
USPSTF "B" Recommendation	99347, 99348,	breast pumps are limited to
<u>October 2016</u>	99349, 99350,	rental only.
The USPSTF recommends providing	98960, 98961,	
interventions during pregnancy and	98962. G0513,	Additional reimbursement
after birth to support breastfeeding.	G0514	information available within the "Breastfeeding
Refer also to HRSA's 'Breastfeeding	A4281, A4282,	Equipment and Supplies"
Services and Supplies'	A4283, A4284,	
recommendation	A4285, A4286,	G0513 & G0514 are payable
	E0602, E0603,	with a diagnosis code in
	E0604, S9443,	Diagnosis List 1
	A4287	
		Non-physician provider
		types such as Certified
		Lactation Counselors and
		International Board-Certified
		Lactation Consultants will
		only be eligible for
		reimbursement for the
		following codes: S9443,
		98960, 98961, 98962.

Cervical Cancer Screening	99385, 99386,	Payable with a diagnosis
	99387, 99395,	code in Diagnosis List 1
USPSTF "A" Recommendation August	99396,99397	
2018	,	
The USPSTF recommends screening	G0101, 88141,	
for cervical cancer every 3 years with	88142, 88143,	
cervical cytology alone in women	88147, 88148,	
aged 21 to 29 years. For women aged	88150, 88152,	
30 to 65 years, the USPSTF	88153, 88155,	
recommends screening every 3 years	88164, 88165,	
with cervical cytology alone, every 5	88166, 88167,	
years with high-risk human	88174, 88175,	
papillomavirus (hrHPV) testing alone,	G0123, G0124,	
or every 5 years with hrHPV testing	G0141, G0143,	
in combination with cytology	G0144, G0145,	
(cotesting).	G0147, G0148,	
	P3000, P3001,	
Refer also to HRSA's 'Cervical Cancer	Q0091, 87623,	
Screening' recommendation.	87624, 87625,	
	S0610, S0612,	
	0096U, 87626	
Chlamydia Screening	86631, 86632,	Payable with a diagnosis
	87110, 87270,	code in Diagnosis List 1
USPSTF "B" Recommendations	87320, 87490,	
September 2021	87491, 87492,	
The USPSTF recommends screening	87801, 87810	
for chlamydia in sexually active		
women age 24 years and younger		
and in women 25 years or older who		
are at increased risk for infection.		

Colorectal Cancer Screening	82270, 82274,	Certain colorectal cancer
	G0328, 44388,	screening services may be
USPSTF "A" Recommendation May	44389,44392,	subject to medical policy
2021	44394, 44401,	criteria and may require
The USPSTF recommends screening	44404,	prior authorization.
for colorectal cancer in all adults	45378,45380,	
aged 50 to 75 years.	45381,45384,	Modifier 33 or PT may be
	45385,45388,	applied
USPSTF "B" Recommendation May	G0105, G0121,	
2021	45330, 45331,	Payable with a diagnosis in
The USPSTF recommends screening	45333,45335,	Diagnosis List 1.
for colorectal cancer in adults aged	45338,45346,	
45 to 49 years.	74263, 88304,	In the instance that a polyp
The risks and benefits of different	88305, G0104,	is removed during a
screening methods vary.	99202, 99203,	preventive colonoscopy, the
	99204, 99205,	colonoscopy as well as the
	99211, 99212,	removal of the polyp and
	99213, 99214,	the labs and services related
	99215, 99417,	to the colonoscopy are
	S0285, 00812,	reimbursable at the
	00813, 81528	preventive level.
		Sedation procedure codes
		99152, 99153, 99156, 99157,
		and G0500 will process at
		the preventive level when
		billed with a diagnosis of
		Z12.11 or Z12.12.
		Procedure code 74263 is
		reimbursable at the
		preventive level when billed
		with one of the following
		three diagnosis codes:
		Z00.00, Z12.11, Z12.12.

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		Procedure code 81528 is reimbursable at the preventive level when billed with Z12.11 or Z12.12 for out of network claims.
		For details about pharmacy benefit coverage, contact the number on the patient's BCBSNM member card. A patient's pharmacy benefit may be managed by a company other than BCBSNM.
		Coverage includes generic peg 3350-kcl-na bicarb-nacl- na sulfate, peg 3350-kcl- nacl-na sulfate-na ascorbate-c, or peg 3350- kcl-sod bicarb-nacl solutions for members ages 45 and over with a prescription.
		Diagnosis codes R19.5, K63.5, Z86.0100, Z86.0101, Z86.0102, Z86.0109 will pay at the preventive level.
Congenital Hypothyroidism	84443, 99381,	
Screening	S3620	
USPSTF "A" Recommendation March 2008 The USPSTF recommends screening for congenital hypothyroidism in newborns.		

Dental Caries in Children from	99188	For details about pharmacy
Birth Through Age 5 Years	55100	benefit coverage, contact
Screening		the number on the patient's
Screening		BCBSNM member card. A
LICDETE "P" Decommondation		
USPSTF "B" Recommendation		patient's pharmacy benefit
December 2021		may be managed by a
The USPSTF recommends that		company other than
primary care clinicians prescribe oral		BCBSNM.
fluoride supplementation starting at		
age 6 months for children whose		Prescription required for
water supply is deficient in fluoride.		both OTC and prescription
		medications.
USPSTF "B" Recommendation		
December 2021		
The USPSTF recommends that		
primary care clinicians apply fluoride		
varnish to the primary teeth of all		
infants and children starting at the		
age of primary tooth eruption.		
Depression Screening Adults	99385, 99386,	Payable with a diagnosis
	99387, 99395,	code in
USPSTF "B" Recommendation	99396, 99397,	Diagnosis List 1
January 2016	96160, 96161,	
The USPSTF recommends screening	G0444, 96127	Procedure code 96127 is
for depression in the general adult		only reimbursable at the
population, including pregnant and		preventive level when billed
postpartum women. Screening		with a diagnosis of Z00.129,
should be implemented with		Z13.31, Z13.32, Z13.39,
adequate systems in place to ensure		Z13.41, or Z13.42
accurate diagnosis, effective		
treatment, and appropriate follow-		
up.		
USPSTF Released FINAL "B"		
Recommendation for Screening for		
Depression and Suicide Risk in Adults		
Suicide Risk is an "l"		
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recommendation which does not		
apply to the CPCP.		
Adolescents Screening	99384, 99385, 99394, 99395, 96127, G0444	Payable with a diagnosis in Diagnosis List 1 Procedure code 96127 is only reimbursable at the preventive level when billed with a diagnosis of Z00.129, Z13.31, Z13.32, Z13.39, Z13.41, or Z13.42
up. Refer also to Bright Futures 'Depression		
Screening' recommendation.		
-	97110, 97112,	Procedure codes 97110,
Dwelling Older Adults:	97116, 97150,	97112, 97116, 97150, 97161,
	97161, 97162,	97162, 97163, 97164, 97165,
	97163, 97164,	97166, 97167, 97168, and
	97165, 97166,	97530 reimbursable with a
	97167, 97168,	diagnosis of Z91.81.
	97530	
interventions to prevent falls in		
community-dwelling adults aged 65		
years or older who are at increased risk for falls.		
Folic Acid for the Prevention of		For details about pharmacy
Neural Tube Defects: Preventive Medication		benefit coverage, contact
Derects. Freventive Medication		the number on the patient's BCBSNM member card. A
USPSTF "A" Recommendation		patient's pharmacy benefit
January 2017		may be managed by a
The USPSTF recommends that all		company other than
women who are planning or capable		BCBSNM.
of pregnancy take a daily		~

supplement containing 0.4 to 0.8 mg		Prescription required for
(400 to 800 µg) of folic acid.		both OTC and prescription
		medications.
Gestational Diabetes: Screening	36415, 82947,	Payable with a pregnancy
	82948, 82950,	diagnosis
USPSTF "B" Recommendation August	82951, 82952,	
2021	83036	
The USPSTF recommends screening		
for gestational diabetes in		
asymptomatic pregnant persons at		
24 weeks of gestation or after.		
Refer also to HRSA's 'Gestational		
Diabetes' <u>recommendation</u>		
Gonorrhea	87801, 87590,	Payable with a diagnosis
	87591, 87592,	code in Diagnosis List 1
USPSTF "B" Recommendation	87850	
<u>September 2021</u>		
The USPSTF recommends screening		
for gonorrhea in sexually active		
women age 24 years and younger		
and in women 25 years or older who		
are at increased risk for infection.		
Healthy Diet and Physical Activity	99385, 99386,	
for Cardiovascular Disease	99387, 99395,	
Prevention in Adults with	99396, 99397,	
Cardiovascular Risk Factors:	G0438, G0439,	
Behavioral Counseling	G0446, S9452,	
	S9470, 97802,	
USPSTF "B" Recommendation	97803, 97804,	
November 2020	G0270, G0271,	
The USPSTF recommends offering or	99078, 99401,	
referring adults with cardiovascular	99402, 99403,	
disease risk factors to behavioral	99404, 99411,	
counseling interventions to promote	99412, G0473	
a healthy diet and physical activity.		
Healthy Weight and Weight Gain in	99384, 99385,	
Pregnancy: Behavioral Counseling	99386, 99394,	

Interventions	00205 00206	
Interventions	99395, 99396,	
	99401, 99402,	
USPSTF "B" Recommendation May	99403, 99404,	
	99411, 99412	
The USPSTF recommends that		
clinicians offer pregnant persons		
effective behavioral counseling		
interventions aimed at promoting		
healthy weight gain and preventing		
excess gestational weight gain in		
pregnancy.		
Hepatitis B in Pregnant Women	80055, 86704,	Payable with a pregnancy
Screening	86705, 86706,	diagnosis, or a diagnosis
	86707, 87340,	code in
USPSTF "A" Recommendation July	87341, 80074,	Diagnosis List 1
2019	80076,	
The USPSTF recommends screening	G0499, 36415	
for hepatitis B virus infection in		
pregnant women at their first		
prenatal visit.		
Hepatitis B Virus Infection	80055, 80074,	Payable with a diagnosis
Screening	80076, 86704,	code in
	86705, 86706,	Diagnosis List 1
USPSTF "B" Recommendation	86707, 87340,	
December 2020	87341	
The USPSTF recommends screening		
for hepatitis B virus infection in		
adolescents and adults at increased		
risk for infection.		
Hepatitis C Screening	86803, 86804,	Payable with a pregnancy
	87520, 87521	diagnosis, or a diagnosis
USPSTF "B" Recommendation March	G0472, G0567	code in Diagnosis List 1
2020		
The USPSTF recommends screening		
for hepatitis C virus infection in		
adults aged 18 to 79 years.		
2020 The USPSTF recommends screening for hepatitis C virus infection in	G0472, G0567	code in Diagnosis List 1

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High Blood Pressure Screening in	93784, 93786,	Procedure codes 93784,
Adults	93788, 93790,	93786, 93788, 93790, 99473,
	99385, 99386,	and 99474 are reimbursable
USPSTF "A" Recommendation April	99387, 99395,	at the preventive level when
<u>2021</u>	99396, 99397,	billed with one of the
The USPSTF recommends screening	99473, 99474	following diagnosis codes:
for high blood pressure in adults		R03.0, R03.1, Z01.30, Z01.31
aged 18 years or older. The USPSTF		
recommends obtaining		
measurements outside of the clinical		
setting for diagnostic confirmation		
before starting treatment.		
Human Immunodeficiency Virus	HIV/Creatine	Consistent with <u>FAQs About</u>
Infection Prevention Drug Pre-	Testing	Affordable Care Act
exposure Prophylaxis	82565, 82570,	Implementation Part 47,
	82575, 87534,	baseline and monitoring
USPSTF "A" Recommendation June	87535, 87536,	services related to PrEP
2019	87537, 87538,	medication are
The USPSTF recommends that	87539	reimbursable at the
clinicians offer preexposure		preventive level. See the
prophylaxis (PrEP) with effective	Injection,	CPTs in the column to the
antiretroviral therapy to persons	cabotegravir, 1mg,	left. Note: This list is not
who are at high risk of HIV		exhaustive.
acquisition. See the Clinical	HIV PrEP:	For details about benefit
Considerations section for	J0739	coverage, contact the
information about identification of		number on the patient's
persons at high risk and selection of	*87389, 87390,	BCBSNM member card.
effective antiretroviral therapy.	87391, 87806,	
	G0432, G0433,	For details about pharmacy
USPSTF "A" Recommendation August	G0435, 36415,	benefit coverage, contact
2023	86689, 86701,	the number on the patient's
The USPSTF recommends that	86702, 86703,	BCBSNM member card. A
clinicians prescribe preexposure	G0475, 80055,	patient's pharmacy benefit
prophylaxis using effective	80081, 86706,	may be managed by a
antiretroviral therapy to persons	87340, 87341,	company other than
who are at increased risk of HIV	80074, 80076,	BCBSNM.
acquisition to decrease the risk of	G0499, 86803,	
	86804, G0472,	Coverage includes generic

acquiring HIV. Injectables are now added.	81025, G0011, G0013, G0012 *CPTs are not all specifically PrEP related and could be covered under other USPSTF, HRSA, and Bright Futures recommendations	Truvada (emtricitabine/ tenofovir disoproxil fumarate) 200-300 mg tablets, Apretude (cabotegravir) 600 mg/ 3 mL intramuscular extended- release suspension, and Descovy (emtricitabine- tenofovir alafenamide fumarate) 200-25 mg tablets when used for prevention with a prescription. Refer to the member's drug list for coverage details. Diagnosis Codes HIV Related: Z11.4, Z71.7, B20, Z29.81
Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Infection Screening for Non- Pregnant Adolescents and Adults	87389, 87390, 87391, 87806, G0432, G0433, G0435	Payable with a diagnosis code in Diagnosis List 1
USPSTF "A" Recommendation June 2019 The USPSTF recommends that clinicians screen for HIV infection in adolescents and adults aged 15 to 65 years. Younger adolescents and older adults who are at increased risk should also be screened.		
Refer also to HRSA's 'HIV Screening and Counseling' recommendation Refer also to Bright Future's 'STI/HIV Screening' recommendation		

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Human Immunodeficiency Virus	36415, 80081,	Payable with a pregnancy
Infection Screening for Pregnant	86689,	diagnosis or a diagnosis
Women	86701, 86702,	code in Diagnosis List 1
	86703,	
USPSTF "A" Recommendation June	87389, 87390,	
2019	87391,	
The USPSTF recommends that	87806, G0432,	
clinicians screen all pregnant	G0433, G0435,	
persons, , including those who	G0475	
present in labor or at delivery whose		
HIV status is unknown.		
Refer also to HRSA's 'HIV Screening and		
Counseling' recommendation		
Refer also to Bright Future's 'STI/HIV		
Screening' recommendation		
Hypertension in Adults: Screening	93784, 93786,	Procedure codes 93784,
	93788, 93790,	93786, 93788, 93790, 99473,
USPSTF "A" Recommendation April	99385, 99386,	99474 are payable at no
2021	99387, 99395,	member cost share when
The U.S. Preventive Task Force	99396, 99397,	billed with the DX codes
recommends screening for	99473, 99474	R03.0, R03.1, Z01.30, Z01.31
hypertension in adults 18 years or		
older with office blood pressure		
measurements. The USPSTF		
recommends obtaining blood		
pressure measurements outside of		
the clinical setting for diagnostic		
confirmation before starting		
treatment.		

Intimate Partner Violence, Elder	99202, 99203,	Payable with a diagnosis
Abuse, and Abuse of Vulnerable	99204, 99205,	code in Diagnosis List 1
Adults Screening	99211, 99212,	
	99213, 99214,	
USPSTF "B" Recommendation	99215, 99384,	
October 2018	99385,	
The U.S. Preventive Services Task	99386,99387,	
Force (USPSTF) recommends that	99394, 99395,	
clinicians screen for intimate partner	99396, 99397,	
violence in women of reproductive	99401, 99402,	
age and provide or refer women who	99403, 99404,	
screen positive to ongoing support	99411, 99412,	
services.	99417, S0610,	
	S0612, S0613	
Latent Tuberculosis Infection	86480, 86481,	Payable with a diagnosis
Screening	86580	code in Diagnosis List 1
USPSTF "B" Recommendation		
September 2016		
The USPSTF recommends screening		
for latent tuberculosis infection		
(LTBI) in populations at increased		
risk.		
Lung Cancer Screening	G0296, 71271	Subject to medical policy
		criteria
USPSTF "B" Recommendation March		and may require
2021		preauthorization
The USPSTF recommends annual		
screening for lung cancer with low-		Eff. 01/01/2021 procedure
dose computed tomography (LDCT)		code 71271 is reimbursable
in adults aged 50 to 80 years who		at the preventive level if it
have a 20 pack-year smoking history		meets medical policy criteria and is billed with one of the
and currently smoke or have quit		following
within the past 15 years. Screening should be discontinued once a		J. J
		diagnosis codes: F17.200, F17.201, F17.210, F17.211,
person has not smoked for 15 years or develops a health problem that		F17.201, F17.210, F17.211, F17.220,
substantially limits life expectancy or		I I / .∠∠∪,
substantially limits life expectancy of		

the ability or willingness to have		F17.221, F17.290, F17.291,
curative lung surgery.		Z12.2, Z87.891
Weight Loss to Prevent Obesity-	97802, 97803,	
Related Morbidity and Mortality in	97804, 99385,	
Adults:	99386, 99387,	
Behavioral Interventions	99395, 99396,	
	99397, 99401,	
USPSTF "B" Recommendation	99402, 99403,	
September 2018	99404, 99411,	
The USPSTF recommends that	99412, 99078,	
clinicians offer or refer adults with a	G0447, G0473	
body mass index (BMI) of 30 or		
higher (calculated as weight in		
kilograms divided by height in		
meters squared) to intensive,		
multicomponent behavioral		
interventions.		
Obesity in Children and	97802, 97803,	
Adolescents	99383, 99384,	
Screening	99385, 99393,	
	99401, 99402,	
USPSTF "B" Recommendation June	99403, 99404,	
2017	99411, 99412,	
The USPSTF recommends that	G0446, G0447,	
clinicians screen for obesity in	G0473	
children and adolescents 6 years and		
older and offer them or refer them		
to comprehensive, intensive		
behavioral interventions to promote		
improvement in weight status.		
Ocular Prophylaxis for Gonococcal		When billed under inpatient
Ophthalmia Neonatorum		medical
Preventive Medication		
USPSTF "A" Recommendation		
January 2019		
The USPSTF recommends		

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prophylactic ocular topical		
medication for all newborns to		
prevent gonococcal ophthalmia		
neonatorum.		
Osteoporosis Screening	76977, 77078,	Payable with a diagnosis
	77080, 77081,	code in Diagnosis List 1
USPSTF "B" Recommendation June	78350, 78351,	
2018	G0130	
The USPSTF recommends screening		
for osteoporosis with bone		
measurement testing to prevent		
osteoporotic fractures in women 65		
years and older.		
The USPSTF recommends screening		
for osteoporosis with bone		
measurement testing to prevent		
osteoporotic fractures in		
postmenopausal women younger		
than 65 years who are at increased		
risk of osteoporosis, as determined		
by a formal clinical risk assessment		
tool.		
Perinatal Depression: Preventive	99385,99386,	Payable with a diagnosis
Interventions	99387,	code in Diagnosis List 1
	99395, 99396,	
USPSTF "B" Recommendation	99397, 99401,	
February 2019	99402, 99403,	
The USPSTF recommends that	99404, 96160,	
clinicians provide or refer pregnant	96161,	
and postpartum persons who are at	G0444	
increased risk of perinatal		
depression to counseling		
interventions.		

Phenylketonuria in Newborns	84030, 99381,	Procedure codes 84030 and
Screening	S3620	S3620 reimbursable at the
LICECTE #A# Decommendation Marsh		preventive level for children
USPSTF "A" Recommendation March		0-90 days old
The USPSTF recommends screening		
for phenylketonuria in newborns.		
Prediabetes and Type 2 Diabetes	82947, 82948,	Payable with a diagnosis
Screening	82950, 82951,	code in Diagnosis List 1
	83036, 82952,	
USPSTF "B" Recommendation August	97802, 97803,	
2021	97804, 99401,	
The USPSTF recommends screening	99402, 99403,	
for prediabetes and type 2 diabetes	99404, G0270,	
in adults aged 35 to 70 years who	G0271, G0447,	
have overweight or obesity.	G0473, S9470	
Clinicians should offer or refer		
patients with prediabetes to effective		
preventive interventions.		
Preeclampsia Screening		Preeclampsia screening is
		done through routine blood
USPSTF "B" Recommendation April		pressure measurements
2017		
The USPSTF recommends screening		
for preeclampsia in pregnant women		
with blood pressure measurements		
throughout pregnancy.		

Bh(D) Incompatibility Screening	000EE 060E0	Davable with a programmy
Rh(D) Incompatibility Screening	80055, 86850,	Payable with a pregnancy
	86870, 86900,	diagnosis
USPSTF "A" Recommendation	86901, 36415	
February 2004		
The USPSTF strongly recommends		
Rh(D) blood typing and antibody		
testing for all pregnant women		
during their first visit for pregnancy-		
related care.		
USPSTF "B" Recommendation		
February 2004		
The USPSTF recommends repeated		
Rh(D) antibody testing for all		
unsensitized Rh(D)negative women		
at 24 to 28 weeks' gestation, unless		
the biological father is known to be		
Rh(D)-negative.		
Sexually Transmitted Infections	99384, 99385,	
Behavioral	99386, 99387,	
Counseling	99394, 99395,	
	99396, 99397,	
USPSTF "B" Recommendation August	99401, 99402,	
2020	99403, 99404,	
The USPSTF recommends behavioral	99411, 99412,	
counseling for all sexually active	G0445	
adolescents and for adults who are		
at increased risk for sexually		
transmitted infections (STIs).		
Refer also to HRSA's 'Sexually		
Transmitted Infections Counseling'		
recommendation.		

Sickle Cell Disease	83020, 83021,	
(Hemoglobinopathies) in	83030, 83033,	
Newborns Screening	83051, 85004,	
	85013, 85014,	
USPSTF "A" Recommendation	85018, 85025,	
September 2007	85027, 99381,	
The USPSTF recommends screening	G0306, G0307,	
for sickle cell disease in newborns.	S3620, S3850	
Skin Cancer Counseling	There are no	
	procedure codes	
USPSTF "B" Recommendation March	specific to skin	
2018	cancer counseling.	
The USPSTF recommends counseling		
young adults, adolescents, children,		
and parents of young children about		
minimizing exposure to ultraviolet		
(UV) radiation for persons aged 6		
months to 24 years with fair skin		
types to reduce their risk of skin		
cancer.		
Statin Use for the Primary	80061, 82465,	For details about pharmacy
Prevention of Cardiovascular	83700, 83718,	benefit coverage, contact
Disease in Adults Preventive	83719, 83721,	the number on the patient's
Medication	84478	BCBSNM member card. A
		patient's pharmacy benefit
USPSTF "B" Recommendation August		may be managed by a
2022		company other than
The USPSTF recommends that		BCBSNM.
clinicians prescribe a statin for the		
primary prevention of CVD for adults		Coverage includes
aged 40 to 75 years who have 1 or		atorvastatin 10 mg,20 mg,
more CVD risk factors (i.e.		40 mg, and 80 mg, lovastatin
dyslipidemia, diabetes, hypertension,		20 mg and 40 mg tablets,
or smoking) and an estimated 10-		pravastatin 10 mg, 20 mg, 40
year risk of a cardiovascular event of		mg, and 80 mg tablets for
10% or greater.		members ages 40 – 75 years
1		of age with a prescription.

Syphilis Infection in Nonpregnant	86592, 86780,	Payable with a diagnosis
Adults and	0065U	code in Diagnosis List 1
Adolescents Screening		
USPSTF "A" Recommendation June		
2016		
The USPSTF recommends screening		
for syphilis infection in persons who		
are at increased risk for infection.		
Syphilis Infection in Pregnant	80055, 80081,	Payable with a pregnancy
Women	86592, 86593,	diagnosis or a diagnosis
Screening	86780, 0065U,	code in Diagnosis List 1
	36415	
USPSTF "A" Recommendation		
September 2018		
The USPSTF recommends early		
screening for syphilis infection in all		
pregnant women.		

Tobacco Smoking Cessation in	99401, 99402,	For details about pharmacy
Adults, Including Pregnant	99403, 99404,	benefit coverage, contact
Women: Behavioral and	99406, 99407,	the number on the patient's
Pharmacotherapy Interventions	G9016, S9453	BCBSNM member card. A
		patient's pharmacy benefit
USPSTF "A" Recommendation		may be managed by a
January 2021		company other than
The USPSTF recommends that		BCBSNM.
clinicians ask all adults about		
tobacco use, advise them to stop		Two 90-day treatment
using tobacco, and provide		regimens per benefit period.
behavioral interventions and U.S.		The 90-day treatments are
Food and Drug Administration-		at the discretion of the
approved pharmacotherapy for		provider working with the
cessation to adults who use tobacco.		member.
USPSTF "A" Recommendation		Prescription required for
January 2021		both OTC and prescription
The USPSTF recommends that		medications.
clinicians ask all pregnant women		incultations.
about tobacco use, advise them to		Coverage includes:
stop using tobacco, and provide		Generic bupropion hcl
behavioral interventions for		(smoking deterrent) ER 12hr
cessation to pregnant women who		150 mg tablets
use tobacco.		• Generic nicotine polacrilex
		2 mg and 4 mg gum
		• Generic nicotine polacrilex
		2 mg and 4 mg lozenges
		• Generic nicotine 24hr 7
		mg, 14 mg, and 21 mg
		transdermal patches
		Generic varenicline tartrate
		0.5 mg and 1 mg tablets
		• Brand Nicotine
		Transdermal Systems
		Brand Nicotrol Inhaler
		Brand Nicotrol Nasal Spray

Tobacco Use in Children and	99401, 99402,	Refer to Preventive Services
Adolescents	99403, 99404,	Recommendation for
Primary Care Interventions	99406, 99407,	Tobacco Smoking Cessation
	G9016, S9453	in Adults, Including Pregnant
USPSTF "B" Recommendation April		Women: Behavioral and
2020		Pharmacotherapy
The USPSTF recommends that		Interventions
primary care clinicians provide		
interventions, including education or		
brief counseling, to prevent initiation		
of tobacco use among school-aged		
children and adolescents.		
Screening for Unhealthy Drug Use	99385, 99386,	Payable with a diagnosis
	99387, 99395,	code in Diagnosis List 1
USPSTF "B" Recommendation June	99396, 99397,	
2020	99408, 99409,	
The USPSTF recommends screening	G0396, G0397	
by asking questions about unhealthy		
drug use in adults age 18 years or		
older. Screening should be		
implemented when services for		
accurate diagnosis, effective treatment, and appropriate care can		
be offered or referred.		
Vision Screening in Children	99172, 99173,	
	0333T	
USPSTF "B" Recommendation		
September 2017		
The USPSTF recommends vision		
screening at least once in all children		
aged 3 to 5 years to detect		
amblyopia or its risk factors.		
General Lab Panel	80050, 80053	Payable with a diagnosis
		code in Diagnosis List 1
These lab codes could be multiple		
Preventive Services		
recommendations.		

HRSA Recommendations:		
Service:	Procedure	Additional Reimbursement
	Code(s):	Criteria:
Anxiety Screening	96127, 99384,	Procedure code 96127 is
	99385, 99386,	only reimbursable at the
HRSA Recommendation December	99387, 99394,	preventive level when billed
2019	99395, 99396,	with a diagnosis of Z00.129,
The Women's Preventive Services	99397, G0444	Z13.31, Z13.32, Z13.39,
Initiative recommends screening for		Z13.41, or Z13.42
anxiety in adolescent and adult		
women, including those who are		
pregnant or postpartum.		
Breast Cancer Screening for	77061, 77062,	Payable with a diagnosis
Women at Average Risk	77063, 77065,	code in Diagnosis List 1
	77066, 77067,	
HRSA Recommendation December	G0279	
2019		
The Women's Preventive Services		
Initiative recommends that average-		
risk women initiate mammography		
screening no earlier than age 40 and		
no later than age 50. Screening		
mammography should occur at least		
biennially and as frequently as		
annually. Screening should continue		
through at least age 74 and age		
alone should not be the basis to		
discontinue screening. These		
screening recommendations are for		
women at average risk of breast		
cancer. Women at increased risk		
should also undergo periodic		
mammography screening, however,		
recommendations for additional		
services are beyond the scope of this		
recommendation		

Refer also to USPSTF's 'Breast Cancer Screening' recommendation.		
Breastfeeding Services and Supplies HRSA Recommendation December	E0602, E0603, E0604, A4281, A4282, A4283, A4284, A4285,	Electric breast pumps limited to one per benefit period. Hospital Grade breast pumps are limited to
<u>2021</u> Women's Preventive Services Initiative recommends comprehensive lactation support	A4286, A4287, G0513, G0514, S9443, 99401, 99402, 99403,	rental only. G0513 & G0514 are payable with a diagnosis code in
services (including consultation; counseling; education by clinicians and peer support services; and breastfeeding equipment and supplies) during the antenatal,	99404, 99411, 99412, 99347, 99348, 99349, 99350, 98960, 98961,	Diagnosis List 1 Additional reimbursement information available within the
perinatal, and postpartum periods to optimize the successful initiation and maintenance of breastfeeding.	98962	"Breastfeeding Equipment and Supplies" Coverage
Breastfeeding equipment and supplies include, but are not limited to, double electric breast pumps (including pump parts and maintenance) and breast milk storage supplies. Access to double electric pumps should be a priority to optimize breastfeeding and should not be predicated on prior		Non-physician provider types such as Certified Lactation Counselors and International Board-Certified Lactation Consultants will only be eligible for reimbursement for the following codes: S9443, 98960, 98961, 98962.
failure of a manual pump. Breastfeeding equipment may also include equipment and supplies as clinically indicated to support dyads with breastfeeding difficulties and those who need additional services.		56500, 56501, 56502.

0096U, 87623,	Payable with a diagnosis
87624, 87625,	code in Diagnosis List 1
88141, 88142,	
88143, 88147,	
88148, 88150,	
88152, 88153,	
88155, 88164,	
88165, 88166,	
88167, 88174,	
88175, 99385,	
99386, 99387,	
99395, 99396,	
99397, G0101,	
G0123, G0124,	
G0141, G0143,	
G0144, G0145,	
G0147, G0148,	
G0476, P3000,	
P3001, Q0091,	
S0610, S0612,	
87626	
	87624, 87625, 88141, 88142, 88143, 88147, 88148, 88150, 88152, 88153, 88155, 88164, 88165, 88166, 88167, 88174, 88175, 99385, 99386, 99387, 99395, 99396, 99397, G0101, G0123, G0124, G0141, G0143, G0144, G0145, G0147, G0148, G0476, P3000, P3001, Q0091, S0610, S0612,

Contraceptive Methods and	57170, 58300,	Contraception methods that
Counseling	58301, 58600,	require a prescription may
	58605, 58611,	be covered under the
HRSA Recommendation December	58615, 58661,	patient's medical or
2021	58565, 58670,	pharmacy benefit. For
Women's Preventive Services	58671, 58340,	details about pharmacy
Initiative recommends that	58700, 74740,	benefit coverage for
adolescent and adult women have	88302, 88305,	contraception, contact the
access to the full range of	96372, 11976,	number on the patient's
contraceptives and contraceptive	11981, 11982,	BCBSNM member card. A
care to prevent unintended	11983, A4261,	patient's pharmacy benefit
pregnancies and improve birth	A4264, A4266,	may be managed by a
outcomes. Contraceptive care	A4268, A4269,	company other than
includes screening, education,	A9293, J1050,	BCBSNM.
counseling, and provision of	J7296, J7297,	
contraceptives (including in the	J7298, J7300,	Visits pertaining to
immediate postpartum period).	J7301, J7303,	contraceptive counseling,
Contraceptive	J7304, J7306,	initiation of contraceptive
care also includes follow-up care	J7307, A4267,	use, and follow-up care may
(e.g., management, evaluation and	S4981, S4989	also apply to procedure
changes, including the removal,		codes under HRSA's 'Well-
continuation, and discontinuation of		Woman'
contraceptives).		recommendation
Women's Preventive Services		Procedure code 58340
Initiative recommends that the full		reimbursable at the
range of U.S. Food and Drug		preventive level only when
Administration - approved, granted,		accompanied with modifier
or -cleared contraceptives, effective		33 or one of the following
family planning practices, and		diagnosis codes: Z30.2,
sterilization procedures be available		Z30.40, Z30.42, Z30.49,
as part of contraceptive care.		Z98.51,
The full range of contraceptives		Procedure codes 11981,
includes those currently listed in the		11982, and 11983 (are
FDA's Birth Control Guide: (1)		covered only when FDA
sterilization surgery for women, (2)		approved contraceptive
implantable rods, (3) copper		implant insertion or removal

intrauterine devices, (4) intrauterine	are performed) are
devices with progestin (all durations	reimbursable at the
and doses), (5) injectable	preventive level when
contraceptives, (6) oral	
contraceptives (combined pill), (7)	
oral contraceptives (progestin only),	

(8) oral contraceptives (extended or continuous use), (9) the contraceptive patch, (10) vaginal contraceptive rings, (11) diaphragms, (12) contraceptive sponges, (13) cervical caps, (14) condoms, (15) spermicides, (16) emergency contraception (levonorgestrel), and (17) emergency contraception (ulipristal acetate), and any additional contraceptives approved, granted, or cleared by the FDA. Additionally, instruction in fertility awareness-based methods, including the lactation amenorrhea method, although less effective, should be provided for women desiring an alternative method. condoms, (15) spermicides, (16) emergency contraception (levonorgestrel), and (17) emergency contraception (ulipristal acetate), and any additional contraceptives approved, granted, or cleared by the FDA. Additionally, instruction in fertility awareness-based methods, including the lactation amenorrhea method, although less effective, should be provided for women desiring an alternative method.

billed with one of the following diagnosis codes: Z30.013, Z30.017, Z30.018, Z30.019, Z30.09, Z30.40, Z30.42, Z30.46, Z30.49, Z30.8, Z30.9 Procedure codes 58661, 58700 reimbursable at the preventive level with a diagnosis of Z30.2

For details about pharmacy benefit coverage, contact the number on the patient's BCBSNM member card. A patient's pharmacy benefit may be managed by a company other than BCBSNM.

Prescription required for both OTC and prescription medications. For the list of contraceptive methods that may be covered, visit your health plan website.

Procedure code 96372 payable with a diagnosis code in Diagnosis list 1

Diabetes Screening after	82947, 82948,	Payable with a diagnosis
Pregnancy	82950, 82951,	code in Diagnosis List 1
	83036	
HRSA Recommendation December		
2019		
The Women's Preventive Services		
Initiative recommends women with a		
history of gestational diabetes		
mellitus who are not currently		
pregnant and who have not been		
previously diagnosed with type 2		
diabetes mellitus should be screened		
for diabetes mellitus. Initial testing		
should ideally occur within the first		
year postpartum and can be		
conducted as early as 4–6 weeks		
postpartum. Women with a negative		
initial postpartum screening test		
result should be rescreened at least		
every 3 years for a minimum of 10		
years after pregnancy. For women		
with a positive postpartum screening		
test result, testing to confirm the		
diagnosis of diabetes is indicated		
regardless of the initial test (e.g., oral		
glucose tolerance test, fasting		
plasma glucose, or hemoglobin A1c).		
Repeat testing is indicated in women		
who were screened with hemoglobin		
A1c in the first 6 months postpartum		
regardless of the result.		

Gestational Diabetes	82947, 82948,	Payable with a pregnancy
	82950, 82951,	diagnosis
HRSA Recommendation December	83036	
2019		
The Women's Preventive Services		
Initiative recommends screening		
pregnant women for gestational		
diabetes mellitus after 24 weeks of		
gestation (preferably between 24		
and 28 weeks of gestation) in order		
to prevent adverse birth outcomes.		
Screening with a 50 g oral glucose		
challenge test (followed by a 3hour		
100 g oral glucose tolerance test if		
results on the initial oral glucose		
challenge test are abnormal) is		
preferred because of its high		
sensitivity and specificity. The		
Women's Preventive Services		
Initiative suggests that women with		
risk factors for diabetes mellitus be		
screened for preexisting diabetes		
before 24 weeks of gestation—		
ideally at the first prenatal visit,		
based on current clinical best		
practices.		
Refer also to USPSTF's 'Gestational		
Diabetes		
Mellitus Screening' recommendation.		

Human Immune-Deficiency Virus	36415, 86689,	Payable when billed with a
Counseling & Screening	86701, 86702,	diagnosis code in on
courseinig & screening	86703, 87389,	Diagnosis List 1
HPSA Pacammandation December		
HRSA Recommendation December	87390, 87391,	
<u>2021</u>	87806, G0432,	
Women's Preventive Services	G0433, G0435,	
Initiative recommends all adolescent	G0475	
and adult women, ages 15 and older,		
receive a screening test for HIV at		
least once during their lifetime.		
Earlier or additional screening		
should be based on risk, and		
rescreening annually or more often		
may be appropriate beginning at age		
13 for adolescent and adult women		
with an increased risk of HIV		
infection.		
Women's Preventive Services		
Initiative recommends risk		
assessment and prevention		
education for HIV infection beginning		
at age 13 and continuing as		
determined by risk.		
A screening test for HIV is		
recommended for all pregnant		
women upon initiation of prenatal		
care with rescreening during		
pregnancy based on risk factors.		
Rapid HIV testing is recommended		
for pregnant women who present in		
active labor with an undocumented		
HIV status. Screening during		
pregnancy enables prevention of		
vertical transmission.		
Refer also to USPSTF's 'Human		

Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Infection Screening for Pregnant and Non- Pregnant Adolescents and Adults' recommendation. Refer also to Bright Future's 'STI/HIV' Screening' recommendations.		
Interpersonal and Domestic	99401, 99402,	Payable when billed with a
Violence Screening	99403, 99404,	diagnosis code on Diagnosis
	99411, 99412,	List 1
HRSA Recommendation December	99384, 99385,	
2019	99386, 99387,	
The Women's Preventive Services	99394, 99395,	
Initiative recommends screening	99396, 99397,	
adolescents and women for	99202, 99203,	
interpersonal and domestic violence	99204, 99205,	
at least annually, and, when needed,	99211, 99212,	
providing or referring for initial	99213, 99214,	
intervention services. Interpersonal	99215, 99417	
and domestic violence includes		
physical violence, sexual violence,		
stalking and psychological		
aggression (including coercion),		
reproductive coercion, neglect, and		
the threat of violence, abuse, or		
both. Intervention services include,		
but are not limited to, counseling,		
education, harm reduction		
strategies, and referral to		
appropriate supportive services.		

Obesity Prevention in Midlife	97802, 97803,	Payable when billed with a
Women	97804, 99078,	diagnosis code in on
	99386, 99396,	Diagnosis List 1
HRSA Recommendation December	99401, 99402,	<u> </u>
2021	99403, 99404,	
Women's Preventive Services	99411, 99412,	
Initiative recommends counseling	G0447, G0473	
midlife women aged 40 to 60 years		
with normal or overweight body		
mass index (BMI) (18.5-29.9 kg/m2)		
to maintain weight or limit weight		
gain to prevent obesity. Counseling		
may include individualized		
discussion of healthy eating and		
physical activity.		
Sexually Transmitted Infections	99401, 99402,	
Counseling	99403, 99404,	
	99411, 99412,	
HRSA Recommendation December	99384, 99385,	
<u>2021</u>	99386, 99387,	
Women's Preventive Services	99394, 99395,	
Initiative recommends directed	99396, 99397, G0445	
behavioral counseling by a health care clinician or other appropriately	00445	
trained individual for sexually active		
adolescent and adult women at an		
increased risk for STIs.		
Women's Preventive Services		
Initiative recommends that clinicians		
review a woman's sexual history and		
risk factors to help identify those at		
an increased risk of STIs. Risk factors		
include, but are not limited to, age		
younger than 25, a recent history of		
an STI, a new sex partner, multiple		
partners, a partner with concurrent		
partners, a partner with an STI, and a		

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lack of or inconsistent condom use.	
For adolescents and women not	
identified as high risk, counseling to	
reduce the risk of STIs should be	
considered, as determined by clinical	
judgment.	
Refer also to USPSTF's 'Sexually	
Transmitted Infections Behavioral	
Counseling' recommendation.	

Urinary Incontinence Screening	There are no	Payable with a diagnosis
	procedure codes	code in Diagnosis List 1
HRSA Recommendation December	specific to this	
2019	service. This	
The Women's Preventive Services	service would be	
Initiative recommends screening	part of the	
women for urinary incontinence	preventive office	
annually. Screening should ideally	visit.	
assess whether women experience		
urinary incontinence and whether it		
impacts		
their activities and quality of life. The		
Women's Preventive Services		
Initiative recommends referring		
women for further evaluation and		
treatment if indicated. The Women's		
Preventive Services Initiative		
recommends screening women for		
urinary incontinence as a preventive		
service. Factors associated with an		
increased risk for urinary		
incontinence include increasing		
parity, advancing age, and obesity;		
however, these factors should not be		
used to limit screening.		
Several screening tools demonstrate		
fair to high accuracy in identifying		
urinary incontinence in women.		
Although minimum screening		
intervals are unknown, given the		
prevalence of urinary incontinence,		
the fact that many women do not		
volunteer symptoms, and the		
multiple, frequently changing risk		
factors associated with incontinence,		
it is reasonable to conduct annually.		

Well-Woman Visits	99384, 99385,	Labs administered as part of
UDCA Decommendation Decomber	99386, 99387,	a normal pregnancy
HRSA Recommendation December	99394, 99395,	reimbursable at the
2021 Women's Preventive Services	99396, 99397,	preventive level when billed
	G0101, G0438,	with a pregnancy diagnosis
Initiative recommends that women	G0439, 99078,	
receive at least one preventive care	99401, 99402,	
visit per year beginning in	99403, 99404,	
adolescence and continuing across	99411, 99412,	
the lifespan to ensure the provision	99408, 99409,	
of all recommended preventive	G0396, G0442,	
services, including preconception	G0443, G0444	
and many services necessary for		
prenatal and interconception care,		
are obtained. The primary purpose		
of these visits should be the delivery		
and coordination of recommended		
preventive services as determined by		
age and risk factors. These services		
may be completed at a single or as		
part of a series of visits that take		
place over time to obtain all		
necessary services depending on a		
woman's age, health status,		
reproductive health needs,		
pregnancy status, and risk factors.		
Well-women visits also include pre-		
pregnancy, prenatal, postpartum		
and interpregnancy visits.		
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ACIP Recommendations:		
Service:	Procedure	Additional Reimbursement
	Code(s):	Criteria:

COVID-19 Vaccine	After 11/01/2023:	
	91318, 91319,	
	91320, 91321,	
	91322, 91304	
DTaP Vaccine	90696, 90698,	
	90700, 90702,	
	90723	
Hepatitis A Vaccine	90632, 90633,	
	90634, 90636	
Hepatitis B Vaccine	90739, 90740,	Hepatitis B Vaccination is
-	90743, 90744,	payable at the preventive
	90746, 90747,	level for newborns under 90
	90748, 90759	days of age when obtained
		in the inpatient setting from
		an in-network provider
Haemophilus Influenzae Type B	90647, 90648	
(Hib) Vaccine		
Human Papillomavirus Vaccine	90651	Payable with a diagnosis
(HPV)		code in Diagnosis List 1
Influenza Vaccine	90653, 90655,	
	90656, 90657,	
	90658, 90660,	
	90661,90662,	
	90666, 90667,	
	90668, 90672,	
	90673, 90674,	
	90682, 90685,	
	90686, 90687,	
	90688, 90689,	
	90694, 90756	
	Q2034, Q2035,	
	Q2036, Q2037,	
	Q2038, Q2039	
Measles, Rubella, Congenital	90707	
Rubella Syndrome, and Mumps (MMR)		
Measles, Mumps, Rubella, and	90710	
Varicella (MMRV)		

Service:	Procedure Code(s):	Additional Reimbursement Criteria:
Bright Futures Recommendations:		
	96380, 96381	
	90749, 90480,	
	90473, 90474,	
	90471, 90472,	
Immunization Administration	90460, 90461,	
Zoster (Shingles) Vaccine	90750	
Varicella Vaccine	90716	
Pertussis Vaccine (Tdap/Td)		
Diphtheria Toxoid and Acellular		
Tetanus Toxoid, Reduced	90714, 90715	
Rotavirus Vaccine	90680, 90681	
	90683	
Immunization	90679, 90678,	
Respiratory Syncytial Virus	90380, 90381,	
Polio Vaccine	90713	
	90684	
	90732, 90671,	
Pneumococcal Vaccine	90670, 90677,	
Monkeypox Vaccine	90611	
	90623	
	90620, 90621,	
Meningococcal Vaccine	90644, 90733, 90734, 90619,	

Alcohol Use and Drug Use Assessment	99408, 99409	Payable with a diagnosis code in Diagnosis List 1
Bright Futures Recommends alcohol and drug use assessments for adolescents		
between the ages of 11 to 21 years.		
Anemia Screening in Children Bright Futures	85014, 85018	Payable with a diagnosis code in Diagnosis List 1
Recommends anemia screening for		
children under the age of 21 years of age.		For details about pharmacy benefit coverage, contact the number on the patient's BCBSNM member card. A patient's pharmacy benefit may be managed by a company other than BCBSNM.
		Prescription required for both OTC and prescription medications. Coverage provided for members up to 1 year of age.
Cervical Dysplasia Screening	Q0091	Payable with a diagnosis code in Diagnosis List 1
Bright Futures Recommends cervical dysplasia screening for adolescents age 21 years of age		
Critical Congenital Heart Defect	94760	
Screening		
Bright Futures Recommends screening for critical congenital heart disease using pulse oximetry for newborns after 24		

hours of age, before discharge from the hospital		
Depression Screening           Bright Futures           Recommends depression screening           for adolescents between the ages of           11 to 21 years           Refer also to USPSTF's 'Depression in           Children and Adolescents Screening'           recommendation	96127	Payable with a diagnosis code in Diagnosis List 1
Developmental Screening / Autism Screening Bright Futures Recommends developmental/autism screening for infants and young children between the ages of 9 months and 30 months	96110	Payable with a diagnosis code in Diagnosis List 1
Dyslipidemia Screening Bright Futures Recommends dyslipidemia screening for children and adolescents between the ages of 24 months and 21 years of age	80061, 82465, 83718, 84478	Payable with a diagnosis code in Diagnosis List 1

Hearing Screening          Bright Futures         Recommends hearing screenings for         children and adolescents from birth         through 21 years of age	92558, 92567, 92551, 92650, 92651, 92652, 92653, V5008	Procedure codes 92558, 92567, 92551, V5008 are payable at the preventive level only when billed with diagnosis codes Z01.10, Z01.118, and Z01.110 for ages 22 and under. Eff. 01/01/2021 CPT codes 92650, 92651, 92652, 92653
		may be payable at the preventive level only when billed with diagnosis codes Z01.10, Z01.118, and Z01.11 through ages 22 and under if meeting Medical Policy criteria.
Hematocrit or Hemoglobin Bright Futures Recommends hematocrit or hemoglobin screening for children and adolescents between the ages of four months and 21 years of age	36415, 36416, 85014, 85018	Payable with a diagnosis code in Diagnosis List 1
HIV Screening	87389, 87390, 87391, 87806, G0432, G0433, G0435	Payable with a diagnosis code in Diagnosis List 1
Lead Screening Bright Futures Recommends screening children between the ages of six months and six years for lead	36415, 36416, 83655	Payable with a diagnosis code in Diagnosis List 1

Maternal Depression Screening	99384, 99385,	
	99386, 99387,	
	99394, 99395,	
	99396, 99397,	
	G0444	
Newborn Bilirubin	82247, 82248,	Payable with a diagnosis
	88720	code in Diagnosis List 1
Newborn Blood Screening	S3620	Payable with a diagnosis
		code in Diagnosis List 1
Oral Health	99211, 99212,	Payable with a diagnosis
	99188, 99381,	code in Diagnosis List 1
Bright Futures	99382, 99383,	5
Recommends oral health risk	99384	
assessments beginning at six months		
of age		
Prenatal Visit	99401, 99402,	Payable with a diagnosis
	99403, 99404	code in Diagnosis List 1
Preventive Medicine Services: New	99381, 99382,	Payable with a diagnosis
Patients	99383, 99384,	code in Diagnosis List 1
	99385	
Preventive Medicine Services:	99391, 99392,	Payable with a diagnosis
Established Patients	99393, 99394,	code in Diagnosis List 1
	99395	
STI/HIV Screening	86631, 86632,	Payable with a diagnosis
	86701, 86703,	code in Diagnosis List 1
Bright Futures	87081, 87110,	
Recommends screening for all	87210, 87270,	
sexually active patients	87320, 87490,	
	87491, 87590,	
Refer also to USPSTF's 'Human	87591, 87800,	
Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Infection	87801, 87810,	
Screening for Pregnant and Non- Pregnant	87850, 36415	
Pregnant Adolescents and Adults'		
recommendations		
Refer also to HRSA's 'Sexually		

Transmitted Infections Counseling' recommendation		
Tuberculosis Testing Bright Futures	86580, 99211	Payable with a diagnosis code in Diagnosis List 1
Recommends tuberculosis testing if the risk assessment is positive		
Vision Screening Bright Futures Recommends vision screening for	99173	Payable with a diagnosis code in Diagnosis List 1
newborns through age 21 years		

Many of the services listed above may be performed for indications other than preventive care. In these situations, services may be covered by another provision of the individual's benefit plan and subject to applicable cost sharing.

Z00.00	Z00.01	Z00.110	Z00.111	Z00.121	Z00.129	Z00.8
Z01.411	Z01.419	Z02.83	Z11.1	Z11.3	Z11.4	Z11.51
Z11.7	Z12.11	Z12.12	Z12.2	Z12.31	Z12.39	Z12.4
Z12.5	Z13.0	Z13.1	Z13.220	Z13.31	Z13.32	Z13.40
Z13.41	Z13.42	Z13.5	Z13.6	Z13.820	Z20.2	Z20.6
Z23	Z30.011	Z30.012	Z30.013	Z30.014	Z30.015	Z30.016
Z30.017	Z30.018	Z30.019	Z30.02	Z30.09	Z30.40	Z30.41
Z30.42	Z30.430	Z30.431	Z30.432	Z30.433	Z30.44	Z30.45
Z30.46	Z30.49	Z30.8	Z30.9	Z32.2	Z71.41	Z71.51
Z71.6	Z71.7	Z71.82	Z71.83	Z86.32	Z97.5	R73.03
Z29.81						

#### <u>Diagnosis List 1</u>

#### **Breastfeeding Equipment & Supplies**

Non-grandfathered plans provide coverage of manual, electric, and hospital grade breast pumps along with breastfeeding supplies at the preventive level.

**Manual breast pumps** utilize procedure code E0602 and are available for purchase and covered at the preventive level when obtained In-Network, Out of Network, or from Retail providers. Sales tax is excluded from retail purchases.

**Electric breast pumps** utilize procedure code E0603 and must be rented or purchased from an InNetwork provider or a contracted durable medical equipment supplier. The models of breast pumps being provided at the preventive level are up to the individual provider's discretion. If a member chooses to obtain an upgraded model, they may be balance billed the difference between the allowance of the standard model and the cost of the upgraded model. Members are allowed one electric breast pump per benefit period.

\*Note: Retail providers such as Target, Wal-Mart, or online vendor are not licensed medical providers and therefore are considered Out of Network. Out of network coverage will follow the out of network benefit level for preventive services. This may include cost sharing and sales tax is excluded. \*

**Hospital grade breast pumps** utilize procedure code E0604 and are only covered when rented InNetwork or from an In-Network durable medical equipment supplier. Hospital grade breast pump coverage is up to the purchase price of \$1,000.00 or 12 months, whichever comes first. At the end of coverage, the unit must be returned to the durable medical equipment supplier. Members are allowed one breast pump per benefit period.

Breast pumps obtained from Out of Network providers are reimbursable at the Out of Network level.

The following breast pump supplies are reimbursable at the preventive level. Some limitations and restrictions may apply based on the group coverage for preventive services.

- A4281- Tubing for breast pump, replacement, spare membranes, replacements
- A4282- Adapter for breast pump, replacement
- A4283- Cap for breast pump bottle, replacement
- A4284- Breast shield and splash protector for use with breast pump, replacement
- A4285- Polycarbonate bottle for use with breast pump, replacement
- A4286- Locking ring for breast pump, replacement

### Differentiating Preventive Care versus Diagnostic Care

The following types of services are considered Preventive:

- Screenings intended to prevent illness or identify issues before symptoms are evident
- Counseling intervention as defined by a specific preventive recommendation

#### **Examples** of preventive services:

- A 60-year-old woman obtains her biennial mammogram to screen for breast cancer
- A patient who has been identified as having cardiovascular disease risk factors is referred for nutritional counseling
- A 50-year-old patient obtains a colonoscopy to screen for colorectal cancer
- A 42-year-old patient goes to their doctor for their annual physical and receives a blood test to screen for abnormal blood glucose

The following types of services are considered Diagnostic:

- The diagnosis of existing symptoms or abnormalities
- Treatment for specific health conditions, ongoing care, or other tests to manage a health condition

**Examples** of diagnostic services:

- A 60-year-old woman obtains a mammogram after noticing a lump in her breast
- A patient diagnosed with diabetes is referred for nutritional counseling to manage their condition
- A patient goes to their doctor for their annual physical and receives a blood test to check iron and liver function, and a urinalysis is requested

#### Limitations and Exclusions

- 1. Services not reimbursable at the preventive level may be reimbursable under another portion of the medical plan.
- 2. Breastfeeding equipment and supplies not listed underneath the "Breastfeeding Equipment and

Supplies" section. This includes, but is not limited to

- a. Batteries
- b. Breastfeeding ointments, creams

- c. Breast milk storage supplies including bags, freezer packs, etc.
- d. Breast pump cleaning supplies
- e. Breast pump traveling cases
- f. Infant scales
- g. Nursing bras
- h. Nursing covers, scarfs
- 3. Immunizations that are not published in the Center for Disease Control's Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report and/or are not on the list of "Vaccines Licensed for Use in the United States" by the United States Food and Drug Administration.
- 4. Prescription coverage may vary depending on the terms and conditions of the plans. A prescription may be required for coverage under the pharmacy benefit. The plan may also require that the generic drug be tried first before the brand version. Age limits, restrictions, and other requirements may apply. Members can verify their pharmacy benefits by calling the customer service number on the back of their ID card.
- 5. For OTC purchases, members will need to obtain a prescription from their provider and take it to the pharmacy to be filled.
- 6. Exceptions may apply, members can verify their pharmacy benefits by calling the customer service number on the back of their ID card.
- 7. If there is a medication not included, the member should consult their doctor for therapeutic alternatives first before submitting coverage exceptions to BCBSNM.

Each benefit plan, summary plan description or contract defines which services are covered, which services are excluded, and which services are subject to dollar caps or other limitations, conditions or exclusions. Members and their providers have the responsibility for consulting the member's benefit plan, summary plan description or contract to determine if there are any exclusions or other benefit limitations applicable to this service or supply. If there is a discrepancy between a MEDICAL POLICY and a member's benefit plan, summary plan description or contract, the benefit plan, summary plan description or contract will govern.

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