

## HEDIS® Provider Guide:

### Measure Description

Members 6-12 years old, with a new prescription for an attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) who had:

- At least one follow-up visit with practitioner with prescribing authority during the first 30 days of when the ADHD medication was dispensed (Initiation Phase).
- At least two follow-up visits within 270 days (9 months) after the end of the initiation phase. (Continuation and Maintenance Phase).

### Using Correct Billing Codes

#### Codes to Identify Follow-Up Visits

Description	Codes
<b>BH Outpatient Visit</b>	CPT: 98960-98962, 99078, 99201-99205, 99211-99215, 99241-99245, 99341-99345, 99347-99350, 99381-99387, 99391-99397, 99401-99404, 99411, 99412, 99483, 99510
<b>Observation Visit</b>	CPT: 99217- 99220
<b>Health &amp; Behavior Assessment</b>	CPT: 96150-96154, 96156, 96158, 96159, 96164, 96165, 96167, 96168, 96170, 96171
<b>Telephone Visit</b>	CPT: 98966-98968, 99441-99443

### How to Improve HEDIS® Scores

- When prescribing a new medication to your patient, be sure to schedule a follow-up visit within 30 days to assess how the medication is working. Schedule this visit while your patient is still in the office.
- Schedule two more visits in the 9 months after the first 30 days, to continue to monitor your patient's progress.
- NEVER continue these controlled substances without at least 2 visits per year to evaluate the child's progress. If nothing else, you need to monitor the child's growth to make sure they are on the correct dosage.