



Adolescent Well-Care Visits – AWC

Intent: At least one comprehensive well-care visit during the measurement year.

Age: 12-21 years of age

Product Lines: Commercial, Medicaid

Timeframe: January 1 - December 31 of the measurement year

At a minimum for compliance, AWC documentation requires the following components:

- Health history
- Physical developmental history
- Mental developmental history
- Physical exam
- Health education/anticipatory guidance

Practitioner Type:

PCP or OB/GYN

How to submit compliant data:

Encounters/claims, supplemental data and medical records

Tips and Recommendations

- Preventive services may be rendered on other visits such as sick and sports physical.
- Use standardized templates that allow for check boxes for standard counseling activities.
- Reinforce the importance of annual dental visit at this visit.