Immunizations for Adolescents – IMA

Intent: Identify adolescents who had one dose of meningococcal vaccine, one tetanus, diphtheria toxoids and acellular pertussis (Tdap) vaccine, and have completed the human papillomavirus (HPV) vaccine series by their 13th birthday.

Age: Adolescents who turn 13 years of age during the measurement year

Product Lines: Commercial, Medicaid

Timeframe: The measurement year

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

- At least one meningococcal vaccine with a date of service on or between the patient’s 11th and 13th birthdays
- At least one tetanus, diphtheria toxoids and acellular pertussis (Tdap) with a date of service on or between the patient’s 10th and 13th birthdays
- At least two HPV vaccines with different dates of service on or between the patient’s 9th and 13th birthdays.
  - There must be at least 146 days between the first and second dose of HPV vaccine OR patient must have at least three HPV vaccines with different dates of service on or between the member’s 9th and 13th birthdays

How to submit compliant data:
Encounters/claims, medical records and supplemental data

Tips and Recommendations
- Ensure all given vaccinations have the date of immunizations on the medical records.
- Provide all documentation of the vaccinations regardless of the patient missing one or more vaccinations.

Reporting Requirement: HEDIS®, NYS QARR