

**Louisiana Rural  
Health Association  
November 6, 2023**



**LHCC 2023 Mid-Year Per-Click  
Provider Incentives**

# Louisiana Healthcare Connections 2023 Mid-Year Per Click Incentives

Folder available at the Louisiana Healthcare Connections Booth

\*Codes must be payable on Louisiana Medicaid Professional and Laboratory Fee Schedules

2023 INCENTIVE MEASURES	PROCEDURE CODE	AMOUNT
Cervical Cancer Screening (CCS)	87624, 87625, 88141, 88142, 88143, 88147, 88148, 88150, 88152, 88164, 88174, 88175	\$20.00
Child and Adolescent Well-Care Visits (WCV)	99381, 99382, 99383, 99384, 99385, 99391, 99392, 99393, 99394, 99395, 99461, G0438, G0439, S0610, S0612	\$40.00
Colorectal Cancer Screening (COL)	44389, 44392, 44394, 44404, 44405, 45330, 45331, 45332, 45333, 45334, 45335, 45337, 45338, 45340, 45341, 45342, 45349, 45350, 45378, 45379, 45380, 45381, 45382, 45384, 45385, 45386, 45388, 45389, 45390, 45391, 45392, 45393, 45398, 74261, 74262, 74263, 81528, 82270, 82274	\$50.00
Controlling High Blood Pressure (CBP)	3074F, 3075F, 3079F	\$10.00
Developmental Behavioral Screening (EPSDT)	96110	\$10.00
Topical Fluoride Varnish (TFV)	99188	\$10.00
Hepatitis C Virus (HCV) Testing	86803, 86804, 87520, 87521, 87522	\$5.00
Follow-up After Emergency Department Visit for Mental Illness (FUM)	90791, 90792, 90832, 90833, 90834, 90836, 90837, 90838, 90839, 90840, 90845, 90847, 90849, 90853, 90875, 98960, 98961, 98967, 99201, 99202, 99203, 99204, 99205, 99211, 99212, 99213, 99214, 99215, 99217, 99218, 99219, 99220, 99221, 99222, 99223, 99231, 99232, 99233, 99238, 99239, 99241, 99242, 99243, 99244, 99245, 99251, 99252, 99253, 99254, 99255, 99341, 99342, 99343, 99344, 99345, 99347, 99348, 99349, 99350, 99381, 99382, 99383, 99384, 99385, 99386, 99387, 99391, 99392, 99393, 99394, 99395, 99396, 99397, 99401, 99402, 99403, 99404, 99411, 99412, 99441, 99442, 99443, 99483, 99495, 99496, 99510	\$25.00
Post-Partum Care (PPC)	0503F, 59430	\$50.00
Human Papillomavirus (HPV) Vaccine	90649, 90650, 90651	\$15.00
Follow-up After Emergency Department Visit for Substance Abuse (FUA)	98960, 98961, 99201, 99202, 99203, 99204, 99205, 99211, 99212, 99213, 99214, 99215, 99241, 99242, 99243, 99244, 99245, 99341, 99342, 99343, 99344, 99345, 99347, 99348, 99349, 99350, 99384, 99385, 99386, 99387, 99394, 99395, 99396, 99397, 99401, 99402, 99403, 99404, 99408	\$25.00
Follow-up After Hospitalization for Mental Illness (FUH)	90791, 90792, 90832, 90833, 90834, 90836, 90837, 90838, 90839, 90840, 90845, 90847, 90849, 90853, 90875, 98960, 98961, 99201, 99202, 99203, 99204, 99205, 99211, 99212, 99213, 99214, 99215, 99217, 99218, 99219, 99220, 99221, 99222, 99223, 99231, 99233, 99234, 99238, 99239, 99241, 99242, 99243, 99244, 99245, 99251, 99252, 99253, 99254, 99255, 99341, 99342, 99343, 99344, 99345, 99347, 99348, 99349, 99350, 99383, 99384, 99385, 99386, 99387, 99393, 99394, 99395, 99396, 99397, 99401, 99402, 99403, 99404	\$25.00
Hemoglobin A1c Control for Patients with Diabetes (HBD)	3044F, 3051F	\$10.00
Influenza Vaccine (FLU) up to 21 years old	90655, 90657, 90660, 90661, 90662, 90672, 90674, 90685, 90686, 90687, 90688, G0008	\$20.00
Syphilis (SYPH) Testing	86592	\$10.00
Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Testing	86703	\$10.00
Hepatitis BsAg (HBV) Testing	87340	\$10.00
Chlamydia (CT) Testing	87491	\$10.00
Gonorrhea (GC) Testing	87591	\$10.00
Notification of Pregnancy (NOP)	Get rewarded when you help your patient complete their NOP. Access the NOP by visiting <a href="https://qrco.de/NotificationOfPregnancy">qrco.de/NotificationOfPregnancy</a>	\$75.00

# Quick Reference Guide HEDIS® MY 2023

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## 2023 HEDIS Quick Reference Guide

<https://www.louisianahealthconnect.com/content/dam/centene/louisiana-health-connect/pdfs/medicaid-provider/2022%20QRG%20Medicaid.pdf>

## My Health Pays Rewards Program for Members

<https://www.louisianahealthconnect.com/members/medicaid/benefitservices/healthy-rewards-program.html>



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### My Health Pays® Rewards Program

Get rewarded for focusing on your health!

Earn My Health Pays® rewards when you complete healthy activities like annual screenings and other ways to protect your health.

Use your My Health Pays® rewards to help pay for:

- Utilities
- Transportation
- Telecommunications
- Childcare services
- Education
- Rent

Or, you can use them to:

- Shop at Walmart for everyday items\*\*

\*\*This card may not be used to buy alcohol, tobacco, or firearms products.



Take healthy steps to earn My Health Pays® rewards.

### Yearly Health Screenings

**\$50 - Breast Cancer Screening**

*Ages 50-74. One per year.*

**\$50 - Cervical Cancer Screening**

*Ages 21-64. One per year.*

**\$50 - Colorectal Cancer Screening**

*Ages 45-75. One per year.*

**\$50 - Diabetes Care Screenings**

*For members with diabetes, ages 18-75. Must complete all of the following once in the calendar year: HbA1c test, kidney screening, and retinopathy screening (dilated eye exam).*

**\$25 - Sexually Transmitted Disease Screenings**

*Must complete all of the following once in the calendar year: HIV 1 or 2 test, chlamydia screening, and a gonorrhea screening.*

### Care For Pregnancy And New Moms

**\$30 - Complete Notification of Pregnancy (NOP) Form**

*[Log in and complete online](#) or call Member Services at 1-866-595-8133, Monday – Friday, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.*

**\$110 - Prenatal Visits**

*\$10 for each prenatal visit, up to 11 visits. Must complete NOP first.*

**\$50 - Postpartum Visit**

*Between 7 and 84 days (1-12 weeks) after delivery. Must complete NOP first.*

### Helping Your Child Stay Healthy

**\$30 - Infant Well Visits**

*For completing six infant well visits by the 15<sup>th</sup> month birthday. At 2, 4, 6, 9, 12 and 15 months.*

**\$50 - Vaccinations for Adolescents**

*For receiving the following vaccinations before the 13<sup>th</sup> birthday: one dose of meningococcal vaccine, one dose of Tdap vaccine, and two doses of human papillomavirus (HPV) vaccine.*

### Making Healthy Changes

**\$25 - Trying a Medication or Counseling to Help You Quit Smoking**

*For counseling or filling a prescription for a covered smoking cessation drug or product. One per year.*

Your My Health Pays® reward dollars are added to your rewards card after we process the claim for each activity you complete. If you are earning your first reward, your My Health Pays® Visa® Prepaid Card will be mailed to you.

This My Health Pays Rewards Visa Prepaid card is issued by The Bancorp Bank pursuant to a license from Visa U.S.A. Inc. The Bancorp Bank; Member FDIC. Card cannot be used everywhere Visa debit cards are accepted.

[Log in to your member account](#) to check your current My Health Pays® rewards balance.

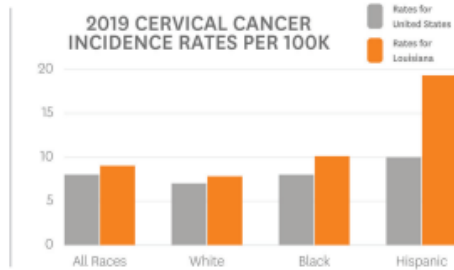
## My Health Pays Member Rewards, cont.

PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

## Improving Cervical Cancer Screening Rates

### DISPARITIES IN LOUISIANA AFFECTING CERVICAL CANCER SCREENING RATES<sup>1</sup>

**#4** Cervical cancer is the **fourth most prevalent cancer among women**, yet it is preventable and treatable. In the U.S., cervical cancer incidence and mortality have been declining thanks to cervical cancer screening programs. However, in Louisiana disparities continue to affect screening rates and worsen outcomes for women.



### AGE DISPARITIES

For women between the ages of 21 and 44 in Louisiana, cervical cancer screenings have decreased nearly 10% from 85.9% to 77.6% between 2014 and 2020.

### SCREENING RECOMMENDATIONS<sup>2</sup>

For asymptomatic individuals with a cervix\*, regardless of their sexual history:

- **Ages 21-29:** every 3 years with cervical cytology alone
- **Ages 30-65:** every 3 years with cervical cytology alone, every 5 years with hrHPV testing alone, **OR** every 5 years with hrHPV testing in combination with cytology

\*Exclusions apply; see HEDIS Quick Reference Guide.

### HOW PROVIDERS CAN HELP

Talk with your at-risk patients about the importance of cervical cancer screenings and encourage them to get screened.

### AVAILABLE INCENTIVES

PROVIDER INCENTIVE	MEMBER INCENTIVE
<b>\$20 per code</b> Cervical Cancer Screening Referral: 87624, 87625, 88141, 88142, 88143, 88147, 88148, 88150, 88152, 88153, 88164, 88165, 88166, 88167, 88174, 88175	<b>\$50 for Cervical Cancer Screening</b> For members ages 21 to 64. One per member per year.

Contact your Provider Network Specialist for additional details.

### ADDITIONAL RESOURCES FOR YOUR PRACTICE



HEDIS Quick Reference Guide

Find a Provider Tool

Provider Webinar: Free CE Opportunity

ASCCP Management Guidelines App

# Cervical Cancer Screenings (CCS)

## Provider & Member Rewards

\*Ordering Provider  
Incentivized \$20

\*Member Incentivized \$50

“Hello, this is *“Your Practice”* & Louisiana Healthcare Connections letting you know it’s time for your Cervical Cancer Screening! When you come into our office to have this done, you will receive \$50 on your My Health Pays reward card. When can we schedule you for this appointment?”

## Child & Adolescent Well Care Visits

### Provider Incentives

\*Rendering Provider incentivized \$40 (Up from \$10)

### Member Incentives

\* Member incentivized \$30 for Infant Well Visits for completing six infant well visits by the 15<sup>th</sup> month birthday @ 2,4,6,9, 12 and 15 months and

\*\$50 for Vaccinations for Adolescents - For receiving the following vaccinations before the 13<sup>th</sup> birthday; one dose of meningococcal vaccine, one dose of Tdap vaccine, and two doses of human papillomavirus (HPV) vaccine. and

\*\$25 for Sexually Transmitted Disease Screenings Complete the following; HIV 1 or 2 test, chlamydia screening and gonorrhea screening. One per year, all ages.

## It Pays to Keep Your Child Healthy!

When your child is a Louisiana Healthcare Connections member, they earn **myhealthpays**® rewards for completing certain healthy activities.



**\$30**

#### INFANT WELL VISITS

Complete six infant well visits by their 15th month birthday. At 2, 4, 6, 9, 12 and 15 months.

**\$50**

#### VACCINATIONS FOR ADOLESCENTS

Receive all before their 13th birthday: one meningococcal vaccine, one Tdap vaccine, two doses of human papillomavirus (HPV) vaccine.

**\$25**

#### SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASE SCREENINGS

Complete all of the following: HIV 1 or 2 test, chlamydia screening, and gonorrhea screening. One per year. All ages.

You can use your rewards to help pay for:



Utility Bills



Groceries



Cell Phone Bill



And More!



**Questions?** Member Services can help: 1-866-595-8133 (TTY: 711), Monday -Friday, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Scan to learn more about earning and spending rewards. >>>



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Monday-Friday, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.  
[LouisianaHealthConnect.com](http://LouisianaHealthConnect.com)

Rewards cannot be cashed out or redeemed for cash. See terms and conditions.

# Colorectal Cancer Screening



## (COL) Colorectal Cancer Screening

Measure evaluates the percentage of members 45-75 years of age who has had an appropriate screening for colorectal cancer.

### Ordering Provider

- ▶ Incentivized \$50

### Rendering Provider

- ▶ Incentivized \$50

### Member

Incentivized \$50

- ✓ CPT 81528 for Cologuard is an accepted code but member must complete test to receive incentive.





## (CBP) Controlling High Blood Pressure

Measure evaluates the percentage of members 18-85 years of age who had a diagnosis of hypertension (HTN) and whose BP was adequately controlled (<140/90 mm Hg).

Description	Codes*
Essential Hypertension	<b>ICD-10:</b> I10
Systolic Greater Than/Equal to 140	<b>CPT-CAT-II:</b> 3077F
Systolic Less Than 140	<b>CPT-CAT-II:</b> 3074F, 3075F
Diastolic Greater Than/Equal to 90	<b>CPT-CAT-II:</b> 3080F
Diastolic 80-89	<b>CPT-CAT-II:</b> 3079F
Diastolic Less Than 80	<b>CPT-CAT-II:</b> 3078F
Telephone Visits	<b>CPT:</b> 98966-98968, 99441-99443
Palliative Care	<b>HCPCS:</b> G9054, M1017 <b>ICD-10:</b> Z51.5

\*Codes subject to change

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\*Rendering provider incentivized \$10

\* CPT II code 3074F, 3075F or 3079F must be present on claim to receive incentive.

TOOLKIT HOME

STEP 2: TRAIN THE TEAM

GENERAL  
DEVELOPMENT

AUTISM

PERINATAL  
DEPRESSION

SOCIAL  
EMOTIONAL

BARRIERS TO  
HEALTH

## Developmental Screening for General Development

*When to screen: 9, 18, and 30 month well-child visits*

The Age and Stages Questionnaire-3<sup>rd</sup> Edition helps identify children at risk for developing developmental, behavioral, and social delays.

Louisiana Medicaid reimburses for general development screens using code 96110. Please refer to the [bulletin](#) and [fee schedule](#) for more information.

**Recommended Tool : Ages and Stages Questionnaire-3 (ASQ-3)**

<https://ldh.la.gov/page/3973>

Developmental  
Behavioral Health  
Screening  
\*Rendering Provider  
incentivized \$10

# Topical Fluoride Varnish

## For Certification:

1. [www.smilesforlifeoralhealth.org](http://www.smilesforlifeoralhealth.org)
2. Send the certification to your Provider Engagement Analyst



## Fluoride Varnish

### WHAT IS IT?

Fluoride varnish is a concentrated paste painted directly to the tooth that repairs and strengthens enamel over time to prevent tooth decay. It takes less than two minutes to apply and dries almost instantly.

### WHY APPLY IT?

Tooth decay is the most common preventable childhood disease. Fluoride varnish can assist in preventing future cavities and may even reverse cavities that have already started developing.

### WHEN TO APPLY IT?

Screening should be completed at specified well-child visits in accordance with the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) recommended screening periodicity schedule, or whenever there is a concern. Fluoride varnish application is limited to eligible recipients from ages 6 months through 5 years with at least one tooth eruption. Services should be performed on the same date of service as an office visit or preventive screening visit.

### WHO CAN APPLY IT?

- Appropriate dental providers
- Nurse practitioners
- Licensed practical nurses
- Certified medical assistants
- Physicians
- Registered nurses
- Physician assistants

**Coming Soon:** Member care gap report will be included with the EPSDT Report located in the Secure Provider Portal.

### FEDERALLY QUALIFIED HEALTH CENTERS (FQHC'S) & RURAL HEALTH CLINICS (RHC'S)

**Fluoride varnish services are included in the all-inclusive encounter**, when services are performed, CPT code 99188 should be added to the claim for tracking/monitoring purposes.

### SITES TO REFERENCE:

- [https://ldh.la.gov/assets/docs/BayouHealth/Informational\\_Bulletins/16-07/1616-07\\_revised6.27.17.pdf](https://ldh.la.gov/assets/docs/BayouHealth/Informational_Bulletins/16-07/1616-07_revised6.27.17.pdf)
- <https://wellaheadia.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/03/Fluoride-Varnish-Pediatrician-Outreach-2019.pdf>
- <https://wellaheadia.com/prevention/oral-health/fluoride-varnish/>
- <https://www.smilesforlifeoralhealth.org/>

### REIMBURSEMENT

<b>CPT code: 99188</b>	Application of Topical Fluoride Varnish
<b>ICDM-10 code: Z41.8</b>	Need for Fluoride Varnish Application

Medicaid reimburses **\$24.05** each time fluoride varnish is applied. **Services are limited to once every six months.**

**NOTE:** To ensure prompt reimbursement, proof of certification should be provided to your Provider Network Representative or forwarded to our Credentialing department at [LHC\\_Provider\\_Credent@Centene.com](mailto:LHC_Provider_Credent@Centene.com)

### GET SMILES FOR LIFE CERTIFIED!

1. Visit the Smiles for Life website ([www.smilesforlifeoralhealth.org](http://www.smilesforlifeoralhealth.org))
2. Review the training module: Course No.6: Caries Risk assessment, Fluoride Varnish & Counseling.
3. Complete and pass the exam.
4. Maintain a copy of the successfully completed post assessment certificate in employee records.

**NOTE:** Physicians are responsible for providing training to participating staff to ensure competency in fluoride varnish applications.

# Hepatitis C Virus Screening & Treatment

## Ordering provider incentive \$5

### Populations to Screen Routinely

- Adults 18-79 Years of Age
- High Risk Populations such as pregnant women, HIV and IV Drug Users.

Generic of Epclusa covered by LA Medicaid without prior authorization.

Provider Tool Kit on Louisianahealthconnect.com.

Care Gap Report on Provider Portal.



### PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

## HCV Screening & Treatment

#### GOAL #1: Increase HCV Screening

- Routine screening for HCV in all adults aged 18-79 yrs.
- Screen all persons with ongoing risk factors (HIV, IV drug users) as well as pregnant women.
- Consider member education and screening history discussions during annual wellness visits.

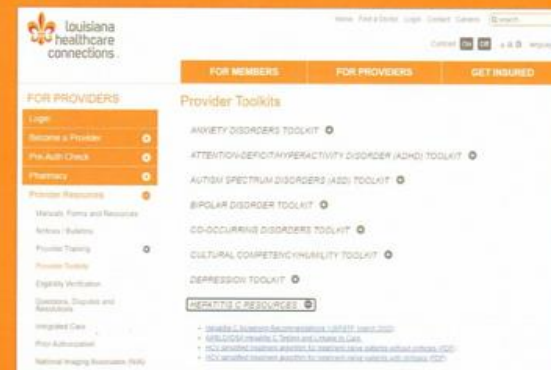
#### GOAL #2: Increase Initiation of HCV treatment

- Members can receive curative treatment for HCV.
- Generic Epclusa is a covered benefit and is **available without prior authorization**.
- Treatment algorithms and provider education/resources are available on our website.

Visit the **Provider Toolkit for Hepatitis C** on our website under Provider Toolkits for additional resources and training, including:

- Hepatitis C Screening Recommendations
- AASLD/IDSA Hepatitis C Testing and Linkage to Care
- HCV Simplified treatment algorithm for treatment naïve patients **without** cirrhosis
- HCV Simplified treatment algorithm for treatment naïve patients **with** cirrhosis

[LouisianaHealthConnect.com/provider-toolkits](http://LouisianaHealthConnect.com/provider-toolkits)



LDH Resources are also available online—visit the **Louisiana Health Hub** for additional resources and training, including:

- HCV Provider Packet
- HCV Clinician Letter
- Louisiana Streamlined HCV Test and Treat Algorithm
- Training Programs

[www.louisianahealthhub.org/hepatitis-c](http://www.louisianahealthhub.org/hepatitis-c)



# Behavioral Health Transitions of Care

Rendering provider incentivized \$25

Follow-up After Hospitalization for Mental Illness with a mental health practitioner. (FUH) Age 6 and up

Follow-Up After Emergency Dept Visit for Mental Illness. (FUM) Age 6 and up

Follow-up after Emergency Dept Visit for Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse or Dependence. (FUA) Age 13 and up



## PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

### Behavioral Health Transitions of Care

As we aim for improved quality and utilization of health services, our goal is to improve the rate of 7-day and 30-day follow-up after hospitalization and emergency department visits for mental health and substance abuse populations through effective management of care transitions, essential to reduce preventable readmissions and emergency room visits, and to promote member engagement with available behavioral health services for optimal condition management.

#### GOAL #1: FUH (HEDIS\*) Follow-Up after Hospitalization for Mental Illness with a Mental Health Practitioner

- members 6 years of age and older
- hospitalized for treatment of selected mental illness or intentional self-harm diagnoses
- who had a follow-up visit with a mental health practitioner within 7 or 30 days of discharge

#### GOAL #2: FUM (HEDIS\*) Follow-Up After Emergency Department Visit for Mental Illness

- members 6 years of age and older
- diagnosis of mental illness
- who had a follow-up visit with a PCP or mental health practitioner within 7 or 30 days of ED visit

#### GOAL #3: FUA (HEDIS\*) Follow-Up after Emergency Department Visit for Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse or Dependence

- members 13 years of age and older
- principal diagnosis of alcohol or other drug (AOD) abuse or dependence
- who had a follow-up visit with a PCP or mental health practitioner within 7 or 30 days of ED visit

#### SHARING "BEST PRACTICES"

- Use the LHCC resources to quickly identify in-network providers to schedule follow-up
- Utilize telehealth providers when appropriate
- Dedicated resources to confirm follow-up appointments
- Access treatment history in Secure Provider Portal

#### RESOURCES FOR YOUR PRACTICE:



Find a Provider



Find a Specialist



In-Network Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) Provider List



HEDIS Quick Reference Guide



Behavioral Health Clinical Trainings by LHCC



Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration



American Society of Addiction Medicine



Buprenorphine Trainings by ASAM

These resources are available on our website under **Provider Resources**.

Contact your **Provider Network Specialist** for additional details and HEDIS measure compliance tips.

## Postpartum Care (PPC) Page 20 of 2023 Quick Reference Guide

Rendering provider incentive  
\$50

Member incentive \$50



### (PPC) Prenatal and Postpartum Care

Measure evaluates percentage of deliveries of live births on or between October 8 of the year prior to the measurement year and October 7 of the measurement year. For these women, the measure assesses the following facets of prenatal and postpartum care.

- ✓ **Timeliness of Prenatal Care:** percentage of deliveries that received a prenatal care visit in the first trimester, on or before the enrollment start date, or within 42 days of enrollment in the organization
- ✓ **Postpartum Care:** percentage of deliveries that had a postpartum visit on or between 7 and 84 days after delivery

**Human  
Papillomavirus  
Vaccine  
(HPV)  
\*Rendering  
provider  
incentive \$15**



**(IMA) Immunizations for Adolescents**

Measure evaluates percentage of adolescents 13 years of age who completed immunizations on or before member's 13th birthday

- ▶ **HPV (2 or 3 dose series)**
- ▶ **CPT: 90649-90651**

## Hemoglobin A1C Control for Patients with Diabetes (A1C) =/ $<8$

- Ordering Provider incentivized \$10
- Cat II Code must be present on claim to receive credit



### (HBD) Hemoglobin A1c Control for Patients With Diabetes

Measure evaluates percentage of members 18-75 years of age with diabetes (type 1 and type 2) whose HbA1c was at the following levels:

- ✓ HbA1c control ( $<8.0\%$ )
- ✓ HbA1c Poor control ( $>9.0\%$ )

HbA1c Level Less than 7 Codes    **CPT-CAT-II: 3044F**

HbA1c Level Greater Than/Equal    **CPT-CAT-II: 3051F**



PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

Improving HIV Screening Rates

HIV/AIDS PREVALENCE IN LOUISIANA<sup>1</sup>



**#4** Louisiana ranks *fourth* in the U.S. for HIV case rates (19.0 per 100,000)

**#3** Louisiana ranks *third* in the U.S. for AIDS case rates (11.1 per 100,000)

HIV SCREENING—A CRITICAL TOOL FOR REDUCING TRANSMISSION AND MAINTAINING HEALTH<sup>2</sup>

- Nearly 40% of new HIV infections are transmitted by people who don't know they have the virus.
- Studies show that the sooner people start HIV treatment after diagnosis, the more they benefit.
- People with HIV who take HIV treatment as prescribed and get and keep an undetectable viral load (or stay virally suppressed) will not transmit HIV to their sex partners.

CLINICAL RECOMMENDATIONS FOR HIV SCREENING

Providers can assist with improving Louisiana's HIV screening rates by normalizing screenings as part of routine health care. This practice supports early detection and allows the provider to promptly initiate coordination of treatment and educate the patient on practices to prevent transmission to others.

The Louisiana Department of Health promotes the following CDC recommendations around HIV screening:

-  **HIV Screening for Everyone Ages 13 to 64**  
HIV screening for everyone between the ages of 13 and 64 at least once in their lifetime
-  **HIV Screening During Pregnancy**  
HIV screening for all pregnant people, including those who present in labor or at delivery whose HIV status is unknown
-  **HIV Screening for People with Higher Risk of Transmission**  
Annual HIV screening for people who engage in risk behaviors, including sharing needles, syringes, or other drug injection equipment, and unprotected anal or vaginal sex

AVAILABLE INCENTIVES

PROVIDER INCENTIVE	MEMBER INCENTIVE
<p><b>\$10 per code</b></p> <p>Sexually Transmitted Infection (STI) screening: 86592, 86695, 86696, 86703, 87340, 87491, 87591</p> <p>Contact your Provider Network Specialist for additional details.</p>	<p><b>\$25 for Sexually Transmitted Disease screenings</b></p> <p>Must complete all three in the same calendar year: HIV 1 or 2 test, chlamydia screening, and gonorrhea screening</p> <p>One per member per year. No age restrictions.</p>

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES FOR YOUR PRACTICE

-  Access our **HIV Screening Toolkit** for clinical best practices, printable patient info sheets, and more:  
[LouisianaHealthConnect.com/provider-toolkits](https://LouisianaHealthConnect.com/provider-toolkits)

REFERENCES: 1. LDH 000 - <https://ldh.la.gov/assets/oph/HIVSTD/FirstQuarter2021HIV5yphileReport.pdf>  
2. CDC 3000 - <https://www.cdc.gov/hiv/testing/index.html>

Human Immunodeficiency Virus Testing (HIV)

\*Ordering provider incentive \$10

\*Member incentive \$25 when HIV 1 or 2, chlamydia and gonorrhea screening done in the same calendar year.

\*No age restrictions

## **Sexually Transmitted Diseases**

**\*Ordering provider incentive \$10 for each of the following**

- ▶ **Syphilis Testing (SYPH)**
- ▶ **Hepatitis BsAg Testing (HBV)**
- ▶ **Chlamydia Testing (CT)**
- ▶ **Gonorrhea Testing (GC)**

## **Influenza Vaccine**

**\*Rendering provider incentive \$20 - up from \$10**

- ▶ **Influenza Vaccine up to 21 years old (FLU)**

# Notification of Pregnancy (NOP)

- ▶ **Get Rewarded when you help your patient complete their NOP. Access the NOP by visiting –**
- ▶ **[qrco.de/NotificationOfPregnancy](http://qrco.de/NotificationOfPregnancy)**
- ▶ **The first to send this form in will receive a \$75 incentive payment**

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