

Well-Child Visit (HEDIS® WCV) for children and adolescents

Each family and child is unique. Well-child visits provide an opportunity for providers to evaluate health and development and are a critical opportunity for screening and counseling. The HEDIS WCV measure aligns with the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) Bright Future™ periodicity schedule ([click here for schedule](#)).

Meeting this HEDIS measure

Assesses children/adolescents 3–21 years of age who received one or more well-child visit(s) with a primary care provider (like a pediatrician or an OB/GYN practitioner) during the measurement year (January 1 2026, thru December 31, 2026.)

CPT® / CPT® II/ ICD 10	
Well Care Visits	CPT: 99381-85, 99391-95, 99461 ICD 10: Z00.00, Z00.01, Z00.110, Z00.111, Z00.121, Z00.129, Z00.2, Z00.3, Z01.411, Z01.419, Z02.5 Z76.1, Z76.2

➡ Required Exclusions:

Any time during 2026, Members in hospice, using hospice services or died.

Parent and patient education

[Click here](#) to review the AAP Parent and Patient Education for Well Child Visits. This wonderful resource is print-ready and available in multiple languages.

Ways to improve your performance

- Use correct billing codes and ensure timely submission of claims.
- Utilize standardized templates in EHRs or create your own checklist.
- Turn a sick visit into a Well-Child visit by using Modifier -25. This might be the only time you see this member during the measurement year.
- Sport physicals can also be turned into a Well-Child visit. Make sure to provide appropriate documentation and billing codes.
- Be proactive in reaching out to your patients. At Oscar, we perform member outreach if no claim has been received in the measurement year. We call this a suspected health care gap.
- Include education and standardized handouts on development, nutrition and activity guidelines at all appointments.
- Always have a well visit scheduled. Schedule and confirm the next well visit appointment at the end of each visit (well or sick).

