**Q: Which members are included in the sample?**

**A:** Members who were 12-21 years of age and had at least one comprehensive well-care visit with a primary care practitioner or an OB/GYN practitioner in 2012.

**Q: What codes are used?**

**A:** Codes used to identify an Adolescent Well Care Visit are:

- **CPT CODES:** 99383 – 99385, 99393 – 99395, **HCPCS:** G0438, G0439
- **ICD-9 CODES:** V20.2, V70.0, V70.3, V70.5, V70.6, V70.8, V70.9

**Q: What documentation is needed in the medical record?**

**A:** Documentation in the medical record must include a note indicating a visit with a primary care practitioner, the date the well care visit occurred and evidence of all of the following:

- a health and developmental history (includes physical and mental)
- a physical exam
- health education/anticipatory guidance.

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**Q: What type of medical record is acceptable?**

**A:** One or more of the following: (visit completed in 2012)

- PM 160/CHDP
- Progress notes/Office visits notes with dated growth chart
- Complete Physical Examination Form
- Anticipatory Guidance/Developmental Milestone Form

**Q: How to improve score for this HEDIS measure?**

**A:**

- Use of correct diagnosis and procedure codes
- Timely submission of claims and encounter data
- Ensure presence of ALL components in the medical record documentation