

2013 HEDIS CRITERIA

Breast Cancer Screening

Q: Which members are included in the sample?

A: Women 40-69 years of age who had one or more mammograms in **2011** or **2012**.

Q: What codes are used?

A: CPT CODES: 77055-77057

ICD-9-CM Procedure CODES: 87.36, 87.37

UB-92 REVENUE CODES: 0401, 0403

HCPCS: G0202, G0204, G0206

Codes to Identify Exclusions for Breast Cancer Screening:

Bilateral Mastectomy Surgical Codes

ICD-9 CM CODES: 85.42, 85.44, 85.46, 85.48

CPT CODES

19180 – with modifier 50 **or** modifier code 09950*

19200 - with modifier 50 **or** modifier code 09950*

19220- with modifier 50 **or** modifier code 09950*

19240- with modifier 50 **or** modifier code 09950*

19303-19307 - with modifier 50 **or** modifier code 09950*

Right side modifier—RT

Left Side Modifier--LT

Added HCPCS codes G0204, G0206

*50 and 09950 modifier codes indicate the procedure was bilateral and performed during the same operative session.

Unilateral Codes (need 2 separate occurrences on 2 different dates of service)

ICD-9 CM CODES: 85.41, 85.43, 85.45, 85.47

Q: What documentation in the medical record is acceptable?

A: None. This measure requires **claim/encounter data** submission only using the appropriate codes as listed above.

Q: How to improve score for this HEDIS measure?

- Use of correct diagnosis and procedure codes
- Timely submission of claims and encounter data
- Bilateral Mastectomy – *proper coding or documentation will assist in excluding member from the HEDIS sample.*