

## **Kidney Health Evaluation for Patients with Diabetes (KED)**

## HEDIS® Measurement Year 2024

**Measure description**: The percentage of members 18-85 years of age with diabetes (type 1 and type 2) who received a kidney health evaluation, defined by an estimated glomerular filtration rate (eGFR) and a urine albumin-creatinine ratio (uACR), during the measurement year.

## Kidney health

The chances of related health problems, such as early death, heart disease, stroke, kidney failure and end-stage renal disease are increased when chronic kidney disease goes undiagnosed. A person can lower their risk for related health problems and kidney failure if they are aware that they have chronic kidney disease.

Test	CPT Code	LOINC Code
		50044-7
	80047,	50210-4, 50384-7
Estimated	80048,	62238-1 69405-9
glomerular	80050,	70969-1
filtration rate	80053,	77147-7
(eGFR)	80069,	94677-2 98979-8
	82565	98980-6
Urine albumin- creatinine ratio (uACR)		13705-9
		14958-3
		14959-1
		30000-4
		44292-1
		59159-4
		76401-9
		77253-3
		77254-1
		89998-9
		9318-7

## Strategies for improvement

- Educate diabetic patients about the increased risk of chronic kidney disease with diabetes
- Order an estimated glomerular filtration rate (eGFR) and urine albumin-creatinine ratio (uACR) at least once during the measurement year on the same day or different dates of service (as long as both are in the measurement year)
- Order labs prior to patient appointments
- Educate patients about the importance of routine screening and medication compliance. Review the need for diabetes education at visits.

