Advanced Care Planning (ACP)

2025

Medicare members ages 66 and older

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Measure definition

Documentation **or** discussion about preferences for resuscitation, life-sustaining treatment **and** end of life care for:

- Members ages 66 through 80 as of December 31 of measurement year who meet any of the following criteria:
 - Diagnosis of advanced illness on at least two different dates of service
 - Dispensed dementia medication
- Diagnosis of frailty during measurement year
 - Members receiving or having an encounter for palliative care anytime during measurement year
- Members ages 81 and older as of December 31 of measurement year



Medical record requirements

- Member legal name and date of birth
- Provider/practice identifier
- Provider Business Group (PBG) name and number
- Date of service (DOS)
- Applicable lab/test results and date collected



Commonly used claim codes*

Advance care planning:

- CPT: 99483, 99497
- CPT-CAT-II: 1123F. 1124F. 1157F. 1158F

Medical record submission methods may not be applicable to all plan types. For more details, you can reach out to your HEDIS plan representative.

Required exclusions (Other exclusions may also apply)

- · Members in hospice or using hospice services anytime during measurement year
- Members who died during measurement year

Insights and recommendations

- Services provided during an acute inpatient stay will not close a gap in care
- Don't use laboratory claims (POS 81) to try to close gaps in care
- Consider performing discussion of ACP during a phone visit, e-visit or virtual check in
- CPT-II codes can be used to close gaps in care
- Ensure annual discussion of advance care planning is documented or have evidence of an advance care plan in medical record

The member answering "no" to a question regarding an ACP does not meet compliance



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