

PROVIDER Bulletin



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This Provider Bulletin applies to the lines of business and provider types checked below:

- PHP (Medicare)
 Primary Care Physicians
 Specialists
 PHC (Medicaid)
 Ancillary
 Hospitals

PHP will be performing home visits for our members who have not received their Medicare Annual Wellness this year. Medicare requires that all of our members receive this preventive visit yearly as a benefit. The plan will provide you with a copy of this visit clinical notes once completed. We look forward to your cooperation and understanding in this matter. As a reminder, our goal is for the Annual Wellness Visits to be completed on or before March 31, 2017.

Elements of an Annual Wellness Visit:

Health Risk Assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Self-assessment of health status ▪ Psychosocial risks ▪ Behavioral risks ▪ ADLs ▪ Instrumental ADLs
Medical/Family History	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Risk Adjusted Chronic Condition(s) ▪ Medical and Surgical Hx ▪ Medications and supplements ▪ Family Hx
Assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Height, weight ▪ BMI ▪ Vitals ▪ Physical Exam/other routine measurements
List of Current Providers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ List of specialists ▪ List of suppliers (DME, PT, Home Health)
Screen for Cognitive Impairment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Assess cognition with direct observation, etc.
Written Preventative Screening Schedule	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Immunizations ▪ Dental wellness & maintenance ▪ Age-appropriate preventative services (e.g. Colo-Rectal Cancer Screen, Pap smear, breast exam etc.) ▪ Disease appropriate preventative services (e.g. retinal screening, HbA1c, etc)
Establish Risk Factor List and Interventions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ List of medical and mental health conditions with a list of treatment options and their associated risks and benefits
Personalized Health Advice/Referral	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Referrals for: weight loss, exercise, tobacco cessation, fall prevention, nutrition, depression, substance use/abuse

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