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PHP (Medicare)	Primary Care Physicians	∑ Specialists
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Cracking the HEDIS Mystery



Initiation and engagement of alcohol and other drug dependence treatment **Description** Measure (IET) Initiation of AOD Treatment. The percentage of members who initiate treatment through an inpatient AOD admission, outpatient visit, intensive outpatient encounter or partial hospitalization within 14 days of the diagnosis. **Engagement of AOD Treatment**. The percentage of members who initiated treatment and who had two or more additional services with a diagnosis of AOD within 30 days of the initiation visit.

- When a patient has an AOD dependence diagnosis, consider immediate referral to a behavioral health provider (BHP) to start treatment within 14 days of diagnosis.
- If you choose not to refer the patient to a BHP, schedule a visit at your practice within 14 days of the AOD dependence diagnosis date to initiate AOD dependence treatment for the patient.

Required Documentation

- ICD-10 codes: F10*, F11*, F12*, F13*, F14*, F15*, F16*, F18*, F19*
- CPT codes: 98960, 98961, 98962, 99078, 99201, 99202, 99203, 99204, 99205, 99211, 99212, 99213, 99214, 99215, 99217, 99218, 99219, 99220, 99241, 99242, 99243, 99244, 99245, 99341, 99342, 99343, 99344, 99345, 99347, 99348, 99349, 99350, 99384, 99394, 99401, 99402, 99403, 99404, 99411, 99412, 99510, 99385, 99386, 99387, 99395, 99396, 99397, 99408. 99409

References:

https://www.drugabuse.gov/related-topics/medical-consequences-drug-abuse/mortality

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www.mayoclinic.org/diseases-conditions/drug-addiction/basics/complications/con-20020970

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