

Chlamydia Screening in Women (CHL)

Patient Profile

MVP members 16–24 years of age who are sexually active and who have at least one test for chlamydia per calendar year.

Exclusions include:

- Members who receive a pregnancy test during the measurement year and a prescription for isotretinoin (Retinoid Medication) on the date of the pregnancy test or the six days after the pregnancy test.
- Members who receive a pregnancy test during the measurement year and an x-ray on the date of the pregnancy test or the six days after the pregnancy test.

How to Implement Best Practices and Improve Performance

- Consider adopting an opt-out approach to chlamydia screening. Based on how common and asymptomatic these infections are, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommends that all sexually active women 24 years of age and younger be tested for chlamydia annually. An opt-out approach would establish a practice protocol to automatically perform the test because of the CDC recommendation. Patients would be able to request an exception to the protocol and not be tested.
- Use the term *general lab services* for chlamydia tests on billing statements to promote patient confidentiality, trust, and relieve the fear associated with parents receiving the bill for services.
- Create an electronic medical record registry of patients who are eligible for chlamydia testing, and those who are potentially sexually active (i.e. those with prescriptions for contraceptives, prior pregnancy tests, etc.). Use the registry to flag medical records when testing is due, as well as for patient outreach.
- Conduct patient outreach by means of text messaging, birthday reminders, and portal messages with links to the CDC's chlamydia education resources at cdc.gov. Each reminder should be signed by the provider. Studies show that PCP recommendations are the most powerful influences with regard to patient decision making.
- Meet patients where they are. Consider social marketing by leveraging high schools, colleges, bus stop shelters, and parent teacher organization settings for health education about chlamydia.
- Stock patient waiting areas and exam rooms with educational materials, such as CDC chlamydia publications. Include MVP's patient brochure entitled *Risky Teen Behavior* found by visiting mvphealthcare.com and selecting *Providers*, then *Quality Programs*, then *Provider Quality Improvement Manual*, then *Adolescent Health*, then *Useful Information for Patients*.

Information related to all 2021 HEDIS measures has been extracted from the NCQA 2021 HEDIS Technical Specifications Volume 2.

Contraceptive Medications

Two methods identify sexually active women: pharmacy data and claim/encounter data. The following are examples of pharmacy data when members are dispensed prescriptions for contraceptives during the measurement year. Remember to reference the MVP Drug Formulary to learn which of the medications are covered by the member’s plan.

Description	Prescription	
Contraceptives	Desogestrel-ethinyl estradiol Dienogest-estradiol multiphasic Drospirenone-ethinyl estradiol Drospirenone-ethinyl estradiol-levomefolate biphasic Ethinyl estradiol-ethynodiol Ethinyl estradiol-etonogestrel Ethinyl estradiol-folic acid-levonorgestrel Ethinyl estradiol-levonorgestrel	Ethinyl estradiol-norelgestromin Ethinyl estradiol-norethindrone Ethinyl estradiol-norgestimate Ethinyl estradiol-norgestrel Etonogestrel Levonorgestrel Medroxyprogesterone Mestranol-norethindrone Norethindrone
Diaphragm	Diaphragm	
Spermicide	Nonoxynol 9	

Use of drugs listed here will score the measure as compliant. Remember to reference the MVP Formulary to learn which of these medications are covered by the member’s plan.

2021 Coding for Chlamydia Screening in Women (CHL)

Codes for CHL	Use of these codes will make the member a pass for CHL
Chlamydia Tests	CPT: 87110, 87270, 87320, 87490-87492, 87810
	LOINC: 14463-4, 14464-2, 14467-5, 14474-1, 14513-6, 16600-9, 21190-4, 21191-2, 21613-5, 23838-6, 31775-0, 31777-6, 36902-5, 36903-3, 42931-6, 43304-5, 43404-3, 43405-0, 34306-8, 44806-8, 44807-6, 45068-4, 45069-2, 45075-9, 45076-7, 45084-1, 45091-6, 45095-7, 45098-1, 45100-5, 47211-8, 47212-6, 49096-1, 4993-2, 50387-0, 53925-4, 53926-2, 557-9, 560-3, 6349-5, 6354-5, 6355-2, 6356-0, 6357-8, 80360-1, 80361-9, 80362-7, 91860-7
Sexual Activity	CPT codes: Including but not all: 11976, 57022, 57170, 58301, 58600, 58605, 58615, 58970, 58974, 58976, 59000, 59001, 59012, 59015, 59020, 59025, 59136, 59050, 59070, 59072, 59074, 59100, 59120, 59121, 59130, 59150, 59151, 59160, 59200, 59300, 59320, 59400, 59409, 59412, 59426, 59899, 76801, 76828, 76941, 76945, 76946, 80055, 82731, 87661, 87808, 87810, 88142, 88152, 88162, 88175
	HCPCS Codes: Including but not all: G0101, G0123, G0124, G0141, G0143-G0145, G0147-G0148, G04475, G0476, H1000, H1001, H1003-H1005, P3000, P3001, Q0091, S0199, S4981, S8055,
	ICD-10 CM: Including but not all: A43, A51.0-A51.2, A51.31-A51.32, A51.39, A51.41-A51.46, A51.49, A51.5, A51.9, A52.00-A52.19, A52.2, A52.3, A52.71-A52.79, A52.8, A52.9, A53.0, A53.9, A54.00, A54.03, A54.09, A54.1, A54.21-A54.49, A54.5, A54.6, A54.81, A54.86, A54.89, A55, A56.00, A56.01-A56.02, A5656.09-A64, B20, B97.33-B97.7, F52.6-F53.1, G44.82, N70.01N71.9, N93.0, N94.1-N94.19, N96, N97.0-N97.9, O94, T38.4X1A, T38.4X1D, T38.4X1ST38.4X2A, T38.4X2D-T38.4X6S, Z20.2-Z98.51
Exclusion from CHL	Use of these codes will exclude member from CHL
Diagnostic Radiology	CPT: Including but not all: 70010, 70015, 70030, 70100-70190, 70200-70260, 70300-70390, 70450, 70498, 70540, 70559, 71010 through 72xxx, 73xxx, 74xxx, 75xxx, 76xxx code sets.
Hospice Encounter	HCPCS: G9474-79, Q5003-8, Q5010, S9126, T2042-46
	UB Rev: 0115, 0125, 0135, 0145, 0155, 0235, 0650-52, 0655-59
Hospice Intervention	CPT: 99377-78
	HCPCS: G08182
Pregnancy	ICD-10 CM: Over 5,000 codes Ranging from: O00.0–O00.2 and O00.8–O04.89 through 09A.519 and Z03.71 through Z36.8A
Pregnancy Test Exclusion	CPT: 81025, 84702-84703
	LOINC: 19080-1, 19180-9, 20415-6, 20994-0, 2106-3, 2107-1, 2110-5, 2111-3, 2112-1, 2113-9, 2114-7, 2115-4, 2118-8, 2119-6, 21198-7, 25372-4, 25373-2, 34670-0, 45194-8, 55869-2, 55870-0, 56497-1, 80384-1, 80386-9
Pregnancy Tests	CPT: 81025, 84702-84703