Using Billing Codes to Monitor Performance

Introduction: Many healthcare practices use a set of performance metrics to monitor key aspects of the delivery of care associated with achieving patient outcomes. This includes the use of metrics to examine key healthcare practices and patient outcomes associated with healthy birth outcomes and reducing teen and unintended pregnancy and abortion. These practices include providing contraceptive services to women and adolescents who are sexually active and do not want to be pregnant. Billing codes are one option for collecting the data necessary to measure the rate at which women are provided contraception.

This resource was developed specifically to support healthcare providers in using billing codes to track the provision of contraceptive and to support continuous quality improvement.

Table 1: HCPCS-Level II Supply Codes for Hormonal Contraception and IUDs

ICD-10 Code	ICD-10 Description
J1050	Medroxyprogesterone acetate, 1 ml (Depo-Provera)
J7300	Intrauterine copper contraceptive (ParaGard IUD)
J7301	Levonorgestrel-releasing intrauterine contraceptive system (Skyla IUD), 13.5mg
J7302	Levonorgestrel-releasing IUD, 52mg (Mirena or Liletta IUD)
J7303	Hormone containing vaginal ring, each (NuvaRing)
J7304	Hormone containing patch, each (Evra-Ortho patch or Xulane patch), per 1 unit/patch)
J7307	Etonogestrel implant system, including implant and supplies (Nexplanon)
S4993	Oral Contraceptives

Table 2: Diagnosis/Encounter Codes for Hormonal Contraceptive Management

ICD-10 Code	ICD-10 Description
Z30.011	Encounter for initial subscription for **contraceptive pills**
Z30.018*	Encounter for initial prescription of other contraceptive (e.g. Patch, Ring)
Z30.019*	Encounter for initial prescription of contraceptives, unspecified
Z30.09*	Encounter for other general counseling and advice on contraception
Z30.430	Encounter for **insertion of intrauterine** contraceptive device
Z30.433	Encounter for **removal and reinsertion of intrauterine** contraceptive device
Z30.49*	Encounter for surveillance of other contraceptives. (NOTE: This code is used for insertion, removal, checking, and reinsertion of the implant, as well for surveillance of patch, ring and diaphragm)
Z30.9*	Encounter for contraceptive management, unspecified
Z30.013	Encounter for initial prescription of injectable contraceptive (Depo-Provera)

Table 3: Diagnosis/Encounter Codes for Surveillance of Previously Prescribed Contraceptive Methods

ICD-10 Code	ICD-10 Description
Z30.40*	Encounter for surveillance of contraceptives, unspecified
Z30.41	Encounter for surveillance of contraceptive pills
Z30.431	Encounter for routine checking of intrauterine contraceptive device
Z30.49*	Encounter for surveillance of other contraceptives. (NOTE: This code is used for insertion, removal, checking, and reinsertion of the implant, as well for patch, ring and diaphragm)
Z230.42	-Encounter for surveillance of injectable contraception (DMPA/Depo-Provera

Note: Codes with an asterisk(*) may be used to document surveillance and management of contraception, but due to their lack of specificity, cannot be used to track management of a specific type of hormonal contraception or IUD.

Table 4: Diagnosis/Encounter Codes for Removal of Previously Inserted IUDs or Contraceptive Implant (without reinsertion).
NOTE: these codes are not needed when pulling performance measure data on contraceptive provision and on-going contraceptive surveillance/management.

ICD-10 Code	ICD-10 Description
Z30.432	Encounter for removal of intrauterine contraceptive device
Z30.49*	Encounter for surveillance of other contraceptives. (This code is used for checking, reinsertion, or removal of the implant)

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NOTE: Table 5 and 6 below list diagnosis codes typically used to document pregnancy or preconception care. Depending on your contraception-related performance measure, you may wish to exclude reporting on clients who are pregnant or seeking pregnancy.

Table 5: Diagnosis Codes that Indicate Pregnancy:

ICD-10 Code	ICD-10 Description
Z234.00	Encounter for supervision of normal first pregnancy, unspecified trimester
Z34.80	-Encounter for supervision of other normal pregnancy
Z34.90	-Encounter for supervision of normal pregnancy, unspecified, unspecified trimester
Z33.1	Pregnant state, incidental
Codes for the Supervision of High Risk Pregnancy	
009.00	Supervision of pregnancy with history of infertility, unspecified trimester
009.10	Supervision of pregnancy with history of ectopic or molar pregnancy, unspecified trimester
009.291	Supervision of pregnancy with other poor reproductive or obstetric history, first trimester
009.40	Supervision of pregnancy with grand multiparity, unspecified trimester
009.30	Supervision of pregnancy with insufficient antenatal care, unspecified trimester
009.90	-Supervision of high risk pregnancy, unspecified, unspecified trimester
009.91	Supervision of high risk pregnancy, unspecified, first trimester
009.92	Supervision of high risk pregnancy, unspecified, second trimester
009.93	Supervision of high risk pregnancy, unspecified, third trimester

Table 6: Diagnosis Codes that Document Preconception Related Care

ICD-10 Code	ICD-10 Description
Z31.61	Procreative counseling and advice using natural family planning
Z31.62	Encounter for fertility preservation counseling
Z31.69	Encounter for other general counseling and advice on procreation
Z31.83	Encounter for assisted reproductive fertility procedure cycle
Z31.84	Encounter for fertility preservation procedure
Z31.89	Encounter for other procreative management
Z31.9	Encounter for procreative management, unspecified