



# HEDIS® Hybrid Measure Pocket Guide

This Pocket guide is designed to offer quick tips on each of the Hybrid measures to improve your HEDIS® scores, P4P payments, and reduce the number of charts that we may need to collect from you. Many of the tips are a reminder that you can get credit for services on most measures during Telehealth visits if properly documented and coded. Please use the HEDIS® Resources on the L.A. Care website for detailed measure information and the commonly used codes.



[lacare.org/providers/provider-resources/tools-toolkits/hedis-resources/](https://lacare.org/providers/provider-resources/tools-toolkits/hedis-resources/)

<p><b>BPD</b> Blood Pressure Control for Patients With Diabetes</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Blood pressure readings taken by the member on the day of the Telehealth visit are acceptable.</li> <li>• If initial BP reading is 140/90 or higher, <b>repeat</b> BP. May take multiple BP readings on same day. When reporting these - take lowest systolic and lowest diastolic reading as the representative BP reading on this visit.</li> <li>• Do not use ranges and thresholds in documenting BP readings.</li> <li>• Use appropriate CPT codes to capture data.</li> </ul>
<p><b>CBP</b> Controlling High Blood Pressure</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Blood pressure readings taken by the member on the day of the Telehealth visit are acceptable.</li> <li>• If initial BP reading is 140/90 or higher, <b>repeat</b> BP. May take multiple BP readings on same day. When reporting these - take lowest systolic and lowest diastolic reading as the representative BP reading on this visit.</li> <li>• Use appropriate CPT codes to capture data.</li> </ul>
<p><b>GSD</b> Glycemic Status Assessment for Patients with Diabetes</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Re-check glycemic HbA1c later in the year if it is high.</li> <li>• Monitor and document glucose level data in the progress notes. Include GMI results collected by member in the medical record.</li> <li>• Aim for glycemic HbA1c or glucose management indicator (GMI) of &lt;8.0%.</li> <li>• When documenting glycemic HbA1c test or GMI value in progress notes, include date and result.</li> <li>• Use appropriate CPT codes to capture data.</li> </ul>
<p><b>LSC</b> Lead Screening in Children</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Children must test for lead poisoning prior their 2nd birthday.</li> <li>• Perform one or more capillary or venous lead blood test.</li> <li>• Use appropriate CPT codes to capture data.</li> </ul>

**LSC**  
Lead Screening  
in Children

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**COA**  
Care of Older Adults

- Perform Annual Wellness Exam during Telehealth visit.
- Medication Review and Assess Functional Status.
- There must be a Medication List in the medical record.
- Use appropriate CPT codes to capture data.

**PPC**  
Prenatal and  
Postpartum Care

- Prenatal/Postpartum visits must only be provided by PCP, OBGYN or CNM.
- Visits must have name, signature and provider type.
- A diagnosis of Pregnancy is required if initial prenatal visit is performed by PCP.
- For post partum visit, document date of delivery.
- Evaluation of weight, BP, breast and abdomen must be documented in post partum visits.
- Use appropriate CPT codes to capture data.

**TRC**  
Transitions of Care

- Include date received and provider signature when acknowledging receipt of admission notification and discharge summary from hospital/IPA.
- For follow up visit after discharge from hospital, documentation must reference to hospitalization, admission or inpatient stay.
- Include current medication list and discharge meds when reconciling medications.
- Medication reconciliation may be done by prescribing practitioner, clinical pharmacist, physician assistant or registered nurse.
- Medication reconciliation **does not** require member to be present.
- Use appropriate CPT codes to capture data.

**WCC**  
Weight Assessment and  
Counseling for Nutrition  
and Physical Activity for  
Children/Adolescents

- Member/Parent reported biometrics like HT and WT BMI% are allowed with telehealth visits and should be noted on the day of the visit. BMI percentile can be calculated or plotted on the member's BMI "age-growth" chart.
- Anticipatory Guidance for nutrition and physical activity are allowed in sick visits.
- Use appropriate CPT codes to capture data.