

Advising Smokers to Quit

Coding Specifications

Codes required to document a visit occurred:

A CPT E/M service code is required to identify patients to be included in this measure.

All measure-specific coding should be reported ON THE SAME CLAIM.

CPT E/M service codes

- 99201, 99202, 99203, 99204, 99205 (office — new patient),
- 99212, 99213, 99214, 99215 (office — established patient),
- 99217 (hospital observation discharge services),
- 99218, 99219, 99220 (initial observation care),
- 99241, 99242, 99243, 99244, 99245 (outpatient consult)

Quality codes for this measure:

G-code descriptors

(Data collection sheet should be used to determine appropriate code or combination of codes.)

- **G8455:** Current tobacco smoker
- **G8456:** Current smokeless tobacco user
- **G8457:** Current tobacco non-user
- **CPT II 4000F:** Tobacco use cessation intervention, counseling
- **CPT II 4001F:** Tobacco use cessation intervention, pharmacologic therapy
- **CPT II 4000F–8P:** Tobacco use cessation intervention not counseled, reason not otherwise specified

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