



Preventive Services Overview

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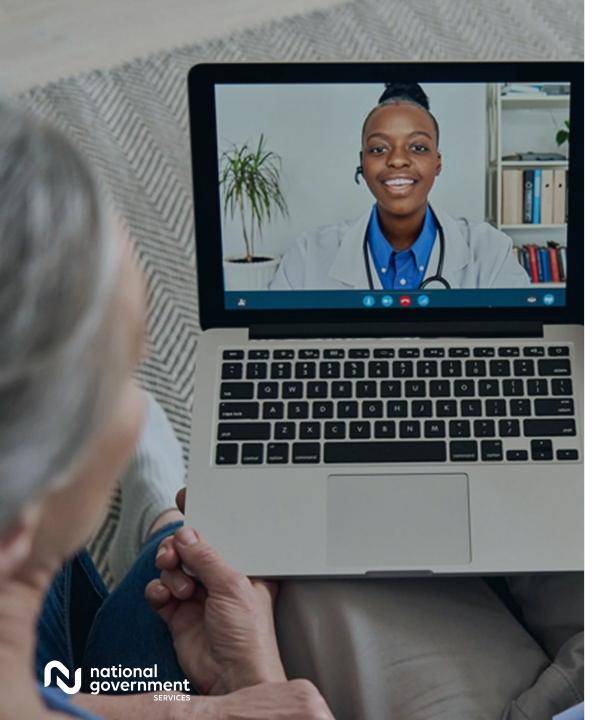


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Objective

Provide a high-level overview of Medicare preventive services.

Encourage providers to promote and educate beneficiaries in life-saving preventive services and screenings.

Advise attendees on where to research preventive services coverage and billing information.



Today's Presenters



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Agenda

- Overview of Medicare's preventive services program
- Resources and references
- Questions and answers







Preventive Services Overview

- Medicare began covering preventive services in 1981
- CMS recognizes the importance of:
 - educating about potentially life-saving services and screenings
 - early detection and/or prevention of diseases
 - assisting with/suggesting lifestyle modifications





Preventive Services

- Alcohol Misuse Screening & Counseling
- Annual Wellness Visit (AWV)
- Bone Mass Measurement
- Cardiovascular Disease Screening
- Cervical Cancer Screening
- Colorectal Cancer Screening
- Counseling to Prevent Tobacco Abuse

- Depression Screening
- Diabetes Screening
- Diabetes Self-Management Training
- Glaucoma Screening
- Hepatitis B Screening and Vaccine
- Hepatitis C Virus Screening
- HIV Screening





Preventive Services

- Intensive Behavioral Therapy Cardiovascular Disease
- Intensive Behavorial Therapy for Obesity
- Initial Preventive Physical Exam
- Lung Cancer Screening
- Mammography Screening
- Medical Nutrition Therapy (MNT) Services
- Medicare Diabetes Prevention Program

- Pneumococcal Vaccine
- Prostate Cancer Screening
- Screening Pap Test
- Screening Pelvic Exam
- Sexually Transmitted Infections Screening
- High Intensity Behavioral Counseling to Prevent Sexually Transmitted Infections
- Ultrasound Screening for Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm (AAA)





Reminders...

- Beneficiary must be enrolled in Medicare Part B to be covered for any Medicare preventive services
 - Ensure eligibility is verified!
- Each preventive service has certain criteria for coverage and billing guidelines
 - Age, gender, risk factors, frequency, coding
- Understand screening vs. diagnostic services





Medicare Preventive Services: Quick Reference Chart

MLN006559 – Medicare Preventive Services

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Medical Nutrition Therapy ①	Medicare Diabetes Prevention Program	Pneumococcal Shot & Administration	Prolonged Preventive Services $\widehat{\mathbf{T}}$	Prostate Cancer Screening	Screening Pap Test	Screening Pelvic Exam
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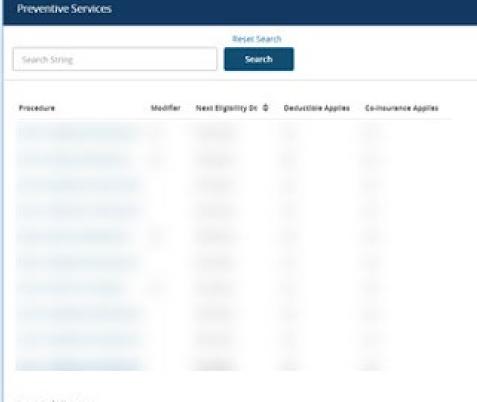
- Preventive Services section of NGSConnex shows beneficiary eligibility for each preventive service
- Information provided:
 - Procedure and Description
 - Modifier
 - Next Eligibility Date
 - Deductible Applies Field will contain 'Yes' when applicable
 - Co-Insurance Applies Field will contain 'Yes' when applicable





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How Can Medicare Beneficiaries Keep Track of Their Preventive Services?

Provide your Medicare beneficiaries with the Preventive Services
Checklist so they can track their preventive services.

Are You Up To Date on Your Preventive Services?

Medicare covers a full range of preventive services to help keep you healthy and find problems early when treatment works best. Ask your doctor what services are right for you and use the space below to track appointment dates, times, and other important information.



One time "Welcome to Medicare" preventive visit— get this visit within the first 12 months you have Medicare Part B (Medical Insurance)

- Yearly "Wellness" visit—get this visit 12 months after your "Welcome to Medicare" preventive visit or 12 months after your Part B coverage starts ______
- Abdominal aortic aneurysm screenings _____
- Alcohol misuse screenings & counseling _____
- Bone mass measurements (bone density test) _____
- Cardiovascular behavioral therapy _____
- Cardiovascular disease screenings (cholesterol, lipids, triglycerides) ______
- Cervical & vaginal cancer screenings ______
- Colorectal cancer screenings ______
- Counseling to prevent tobacco use & tobacco-caused disease ______
- Depression screening _____
- Diabetes screening _____
- Flu shots ______

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For more details about Medicare's coverage of preventive services, including your costs in Original Medicare, visit Medicare gov/publications to view or print the bookdet "Your Guide to Medicare Preventive Services."

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Resources and References



- Preventive Services | CMS
- Preventive & Screening Services (medicare.gov) for patients
- Medicare & You: Medicare's preventive benefits (video)
- MLN006559 Medicare Preventive Services (cms.gov)
- MCD Search (cms.gov)





CMS Internet-Only Manuals

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- Publication 100-02, Medicare Benefit Policy Manual, Chapter 15, Section 280 -Preventive and Screening Services
- Publication 100-04, Medicare Claims Processing Manual, Chapter 18 Preventive and Screening Services





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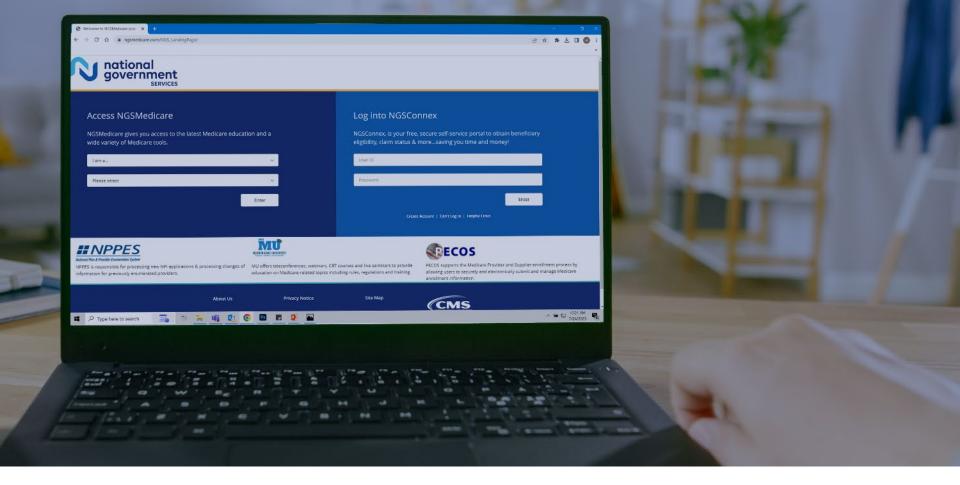


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