

How to Report Confirmation of Pregnancy

Review of Prenatal CPT II Codes

Using Current Procedural Terminology Category II (CPT® II) codes to report confirmation of pregnancy and prenatal care is important. These codes provide valuable information about patients' health, enabling health care providers to track improvements, identify gaps or opportunities, and facilitate timely interventions for better health outcomes.

Advantages of Using CPT II Codes

- Describe clinical components, test results, and procedures that are part of evaluation and management services
- Help report performance measures, identify patients who need increased clinical oversight, and close care gaps
- Decrease the need for chart requests, reducing administrative work
- Help align patients with relevant health and wellbeing programs

CPT II Codes for Closing Prenatal Care Gaps (Confirmation of Pregnancy)

The table below lists the CPT II code used for closing prenatal care gaps. When used with the dates of service, the CPT II codes confirm that care gaps will be closed.

Prenatal and Postpartum Care (PPC) CPT II Codes and Descriptions	
CPT II Code	Description
0500F	Initial prenatal care visit (report at first prenatal encounter with health care professional providing obstetrical care. Also report the date of visit and, in a separate field, the date of the last menstrual period (LMP) (Prenatal).

Why Submitting CPT II Codes for Confirmation of Pregnancy Matters

- Confirming pregnancy through CPT II codes (0500F) helps close prenatal care gaps and reduces extra administrative work.
- The codes also allow Florida Blue to identify and direct members to specific <u>pregnancy and maternity health and wellbeing programs</u>, such as our <u>Healthy Addition</u>® <u>Prenatal Program</u>. This comprehensive maternity care management program provides a coordinated approach to support high-risk pregnant members. It includes clinical assessments, personalized care planning, triage to appropriate resources, and protocoldriven engagement to address medical, emotional, and social needs. By providing this information, you can help your patients take advantage of available programs.
- Reporting with CPT II codes supports performance measures and helps identify patients who need additional clinical oversight.

Thank you for continuing to use CPT II codes to help capture important information that provides valuable insights, to better support you and your patients.

If you have questions or would like to know which of your patients, our members, have an open gap for either prenatal or postpartum care, please email qualitycaregapquestions@bcbsfl.com.

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