

Measure Overview

The OED measure evaluates the percentage of members under 21 years of age who received a comprehensive or periodic oral evaluation performed by a dental provider during the measurement year.

Measurement Period

January 1–December 31

Eligible Members (Denominator)

- Under 21 years of age as of December 31 of the measurement period
- Enrolled with dental benefits
- Continuously enrolled for at least 180 days during the measurement period

Exclusions

- Members with a date of death during the measurement period
- Members who received hospice services or elected hospice benefits at any time during the measurement period

Numerator Criteria

At least one comprehensive or periodic oral evaluation performed by a qualified dental provider during the measurement period

Accepted CPT®/CDT Codes

- **D0120**
Periodic oral evaluation
- **D0145**
Oral evaluation for a patient under three years of age
- **D0150**
Comprehensive oral evaluation

Important Coding Notes

- Claims may be paid, denied, pending, or suspended and still count toward the measure
- Ensure dates of service are clearly documented
- Confirm services are rendered by a dental provider

Clinical Reminder

The American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry recommends the first oral evaluation at first tooth eruption or no later than age one, with continued evaluations based on individual risk.

The information listed here is not all-inclusive and should be used as a reference only. Please refer to current ICD-10/CPT®/HCPCS coding and documentation guidelines found at [cms.gov](https://www.cms.gov). HEDIS® measures can be found at [ncqa.org](https://www.ncqa.org).