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# Care for Older Adults (COA): Medication Review 2024

Medicare (only SNP and MMP benefit packages)

#### **Measure Description**

Percentage of adults ages 66 and older who had a medication review by a clinical pharmacist or prescribing practitioner **and** the presence of a medication list in the medical record (signed and dated) or transitional care management services any time during 2024

## **Required Exclusions**

- Patients in hospice or using hospice benefits any time in 2024
- Patients who passed away any time during 2024

### **Documentation Tips**

- Medication list must be included in the medical record and the medication review must be completed by a prescribing provider or clinical pharmacist
- A medication list signed and dated, in 2024, by the appropriate provider (prescribing provider or clinical pharmacist) meets numerator compliance
- Notation within the medical record that the medications were reviewed
- Notation that the patient is not taking medications meets compliance
- A Registered Nurse can collect the medications during the visit, but the appropriate provider must review and sign
- An outpatient visit is not required to meet criteria

### **Non-compliant documentation hints**

- Documentation that the medications aren't tolerated does not meet numerator compliance.
- A review of side effects for a single medication does not meet numerator compliance.
- Medication review conducted in an acute inpatient setting will not meet numerator compliance.

### Codes

#### CPT/CPT II

**1159F** <u>and</u> **1160F**- medication list documented **and** review of all medications by a prescribing practitioner or clinical pharmacist documented – These codes must be on the same date of service

99605, 99606, 90863, 99483, 1160F- Medication review

99495, 99496- Transitional Care Management

#### Resources

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