



## **California Physician Performance Initiative (CPPI)**

### **Clinical Quality Measure Specifications 2009**

#### **Adult Diagnostic and Preventive Care:**

#### **Breast Cancer Screening (BCS) (updated 8/13/09)**

**Measure:** The percentage of women who are between 40 to 69 years old, who had a mammogram at least once during October 1, 2006 through September 30, 2008.

**Reasons for this measure:** Breast cancer is one of the most common types of cancer in women. In fact, one out of every eight women will develop breast cancer in the course of a 90-year life span. If detected early, the 5-year survival rate exceeds 95%. Mammograms (a type of x-ray) are among the best early detection methods, increasing chances for survival and cure. Mammography screening has been shown to reduce mortality by 20 to 40% among women aged 50 and older.

**Eligible Population:** Women between the ages 42 and 69 years old, as of September 30, 2008.

**Continuous Enrollment in Health Plan:** The measurement year and the previous year (October 1, 2006 through September 30, 2008). No more than one gap in enrollment of up to 45 days during each year of continuous enrollment.

**Exclusions:** Exclude women who had a bilateral mastectomy and women for whom there is evidence of two separate mastectomies.

**Numerator Event:** One or more mammograms during the measurement year or the year prior to the measurement year (October 1, 2006 through September 30, 2008). A woman had a mammogram with a submitted claim/encounter containing any one of the codes below:

CPT	HCPCS	ICD-9CM Diagnosis	ICD-9CM Procedure	UB Revenue
76083,76090-76092,77055-77057	G0202	V76.11, V76.12	87.36, 87.37	0403

**Designated Specialties:** Family Practice, internal medicine, obstetrics and gynecology.

**Measure Definition Source: NCQA HEDIS 2009.**

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