



Provider Notice

Short survey due by August 20 - LOINC codes

To: MH OP clinics, Psychologists, Psychiatrists and SUD OP clinics

OMHSAS has identified several quality measures that require BH-MCOs to receive and report select LOINC/SNOMED-CT codes. Logical Observation Identifiers Names and Codes (LOINC) and Systematized Nomenclature of Medicine - Clinical Terms (SNOMED-CT) are means by which providers transmit clinical information, observations, and procedures to support various quality reporting initiatives. LOINC/SNOMED-CT ensures that critical clinical data are submitted in a standardized manner. The reporting of these codes is independent of claims submissions. ***We are surveying providers to determine your current ability to report these codes as well as to determine the level of difficulty/cost you may incur in developing this capacity.***

- **[Short survey due August 20 - Provider feedback on LOINC codes](#)**

To read more about LOINC and SNOMED codes, please consider the following links:

- <https://loinc.org/kb/faq/basics/>
- <https://mmshub.cms.gov/measure-lifecycle/measure-specification/specify-code/SNOMED-CT>

Thank you for your cooperation with this request and if you have any questions, please send an email to MBHofPA@magellanhealth.com.

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