

**PROVIDER NOTIFICATION OF POLICY CRITERIA CHANGE**

POLICY TITLE	POLICY NUMBER	CRITERIA CHANGE	MATERIAL AMEUREMENT	EFFECTIVE DATE	LINK TO FULL POLICY
Preventive Services	2026001	<p>A new Preventive Services Coverage Policy 2026001 has been developed and published. This policy combines all the Preventive Services policies into one policy. The new policy will be effective 4/1/2026. The previous individual policies titled PREVENTIVE SERVICES FOR NON-GRANDFATHERED (PPACA) PLANS will be archived on 4/1/2026 (See policies and numbers below). This change is a consolidation of the policies into a single easily accessible policy with the ability to view all preventive services in one document. The policy contains a link that will take you to a pdf document that outlines the details and coding for each preventive service.</p> <p>The new policy and pdf is a publication of the existing preventive service policies and will not require a 90-day notice of material amendment. The April 1, 2026, version will contain the following coding additions for services covered for members of “non-grandfathered” plans, without cost sharing (i.e., deductible, co-insurance or co-pay):</p> <p><b>Prevention Of Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Infection, Preexposure Prophylaxis:</b>            Added the following codes:            HCPCS J0738 – Injection, lenacapavir, 1 mg, fda approved prescription, only for use as hiv pre exposure prophylaxis (not for use as treatment for hiv)            HCPCS J0739 – Injection, cabotegravir, 1 mg fda approved prescription, only for use as hiv preexposure prophylaxis (not for use as treatment for hiv)            HCPCS Q0521 – Pharmacy supplying fee for hiv pre-exposure prophylaxis fda approved prescription</p> <p><b>ACIP Immunization Recommendations:</b>            Added CPT 90481-Immunization administration by intramuscular injection, severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS CoV 2) (coronavirus disease [COVID 19]) vaccine; each additional</p>	No	4/1/2026	<a href="https://secure.arkansasbluecross.com/members/report.aspx?policyNumber=2026001">https://secure.arkansasbluecross.com/members/report.aspx?policyNumber=2026001</a>

		component administered (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)			
		Effective April 1, 2026, the following policies will be archived. Please see CP 2026001, Preventive Services, for dates of service on or after April 1, 2026	No	4/1/2026	
	2022028	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA)Plans: Prevention Of Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Infection, Preexposure Prophylaxis			
	2014004	Clinical Trials: PPACA Requirements For Non-Grandfathered Plans			
	2011012	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Alcohol And Drug Misuse Counseling and/or Screening			
	2011011	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Screening			
	2012036	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Anemia, Screening In Infants, Children And Adolescents			
	2012045	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Autism Screening			
	2011020	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Bacteriuria Screening In Pregnant Women			
	2012044	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Bicycle Helmet Use For Children & Adolescents, Counseling			
	2011016	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: BRCA Testing; Genetic Counseling And Evaluation			
	2011017	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Breast Cancer Preventive Medication			

2011018	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Breast Cancer Screening (Mammography)			
2011019	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Breastfeeding (Lactation) Counseling And Supplies			
2012047	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Cardiometabolic Risks Of Obesity In Children And Adolescents, Counseling			
2011021	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Cervical Cancer And Human Papillomavirus (HPV) Screening			
2011022	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Chlamydial Infection Screening In Women And Adolescents			
2011045	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Colorectal Cancer Screening			
2012035	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Contraceptive Use And Counseling			
2011029	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Dental Caries Prevention In Preschool Children			
2011044	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Depression And Anxiety Screening In Adolescents			
2011043	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Depression And Anxiety Screening, Adults			
2012048	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Developmental Screening			
2011041	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Folic Acid For Prevention Of Neural Tube Defects			

2012032	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Gestational And Postpartum Diabetes Screening			
2011035	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Gonorrhea Prophylaxis, Newborn Ophthalmic			
2011038	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Gonorrhea Screening In Women And Adolescents			
2011036	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Hearing Loss Screening In Newborns Up To Age 21			
2011039	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Hepatitis B Virus Infection Screening In Pregnancy And Asymptomatic Adolescents And Adults			
2013023	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Hepatitis C Virus Screening			
2011015	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: High Blood Pressure Screening In Adults			
2012037	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: High Blood Pressure, Screening In Infants, Children And Adolescents			
2011040	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Counseling And Screening			
2011034	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Intensive Behavioral Counseling To Promote A Healthy Diet And Physical Activity In Adults With High Risk For Cardiovascular Disease			
2012021	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Intimate Partner, Interpersonal, And Domestic Violence; Screening In Women And Adolescents			

2012038	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Lead Screening In Infants And Children Through Age Six			
2014020	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Lung Cancer Screening			
2012042	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Media Use By Children & Adolescents, Screening & Counseling			
2012040	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Newborn Screening For Inherited Disorders			
2011030	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Obesity In Children; Screening And Counseling			
2011025	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Obesity Screening In Adults			
2011031	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Osteoporosis Screening In Women			
2011066	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Overview			
2011028	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Phenylketonuria Screening In Newborns			
2012041	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Pregnancy Screening, Sexually Active Females Without Contraception, Late Menses Or Amenorrhea			
2012055	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Prevention Of Falls In Community-Dwelling Older Adults			
2011027	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Rh Incompatibility Screening			
2015036	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Screening For Hypertensive			

		Disorders And Prevention Of Preeclampsia In Pregnancy			
	2011010	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Serum Lipids Screening And Statin Use For The Primary Prevention Of Cardiovascular Disease			
	2011032	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Sexually Transmitted Infections (STIs), Behavioral Counseling For Prevention			
	2012018	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Skin Cancer, Behavioral Counseling For Prevention			
	2011037	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Syphilis Screening			
	2011024	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Tobacco Use, Screening, Counseling And Interventions			
	2012039	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Tuberculosis Screening			
	2011026	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus Screening For Adults			
	2011033	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Visual Impairment Screening In Children			
	2012046	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Well-Child Visits, Newborn, Infant, Children, Adolescents & Ages 18-21			
	2012031	Preventive Services For Non-Grandfathered (PPACA) Plans: Well-Woman Visits For Adolescent And Adult Women			