

Important Content Update Message

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Using the HCPCS Level 2 Code 3008F for Pay for Performance (P4P)

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Version 14.19

Overview

Many users question how they can get more room on their well visit claims to report all of the pay for performance (P4P) items that the payer wants them to report. Consider the use of HCPCS level 2 code 3008F, "BMI assessment." You can charge for it (or just charge \$0.01 as a placeholder if you are concerned about triggering a copay).

So, how do you do this? This article is intended to explain how to add the 3008F code for your P4P items.

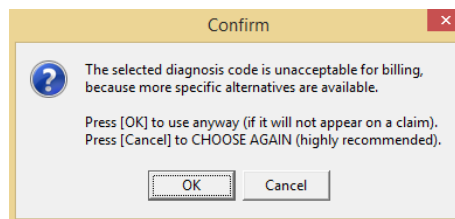
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 - a. Add all of the ICD-10 codes that you want attached to your 3008F in the Diagnoses section.
 - b. Use the nonspecific BMI code (Z68) as a placeholder for children in your age 2+ templates, along with whatever ICD-10 codes that you want to routinely use for reporting on a well visit.

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Click here to add a new set of diagnoses				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Encounter for routine child health examination w/o abnormal fin	Z00.129	1
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Prefer:
 ICD-9
 ICD-10

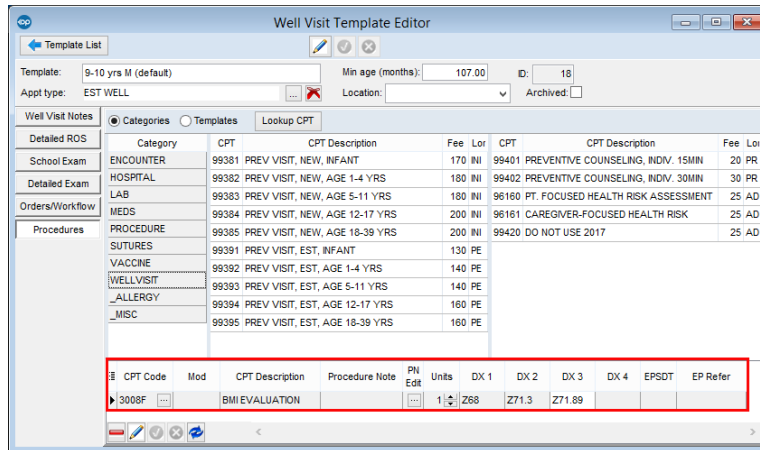
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4. In the **Procedures** tab:
- Add a Procedure called 3008F BMI Evaluation.
 - Attach Z68 (the nonsepcific BMI placeholder) as the diagnosis code as well as whatever other ICD-10 codes to would like to add.

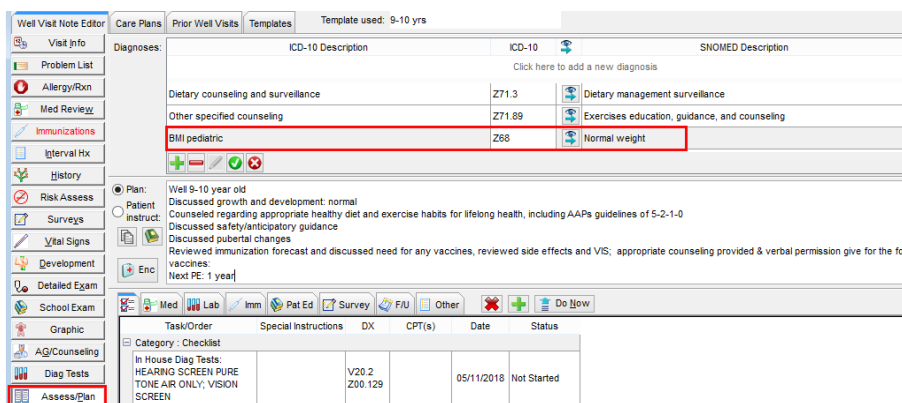
Note: If 3008F is not currently in your system, you will need to add it.

- Click the **Lookup CPT** button.
- Search for 3008F. If the code appears, it already exists in your system and you do not have to add it. If it does not show, then continue with these steps to add it.
- Click the **Edit** button .
- Click the Insert Record button .
- In the **CPT Code** field, enter 3008F.
- In the Description field located next to the code, enter the BMI Evaluation.
- You can then add this code to a category or select the checkbox next to Include in Frequently Used list.
- If you'll be charging for this, complete the appropriate fee schedules or simply enter .01.
- Click the **Save Encounter Note in Progress** button  to save.
- Click **OK** to save changes and exit the CPT window.

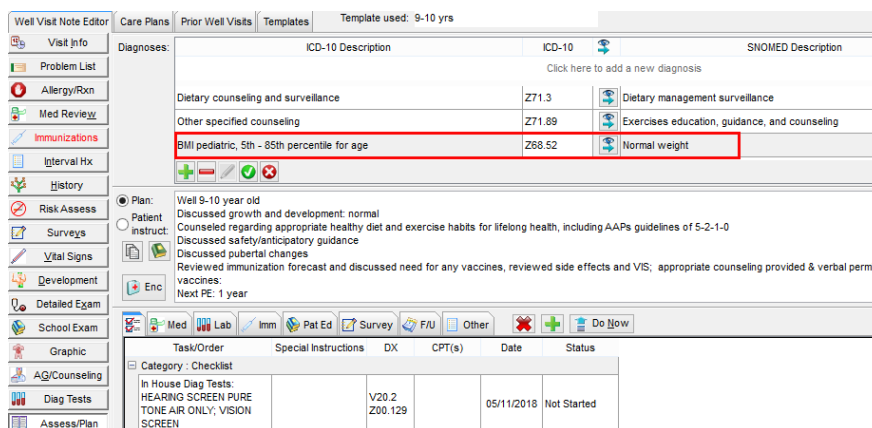


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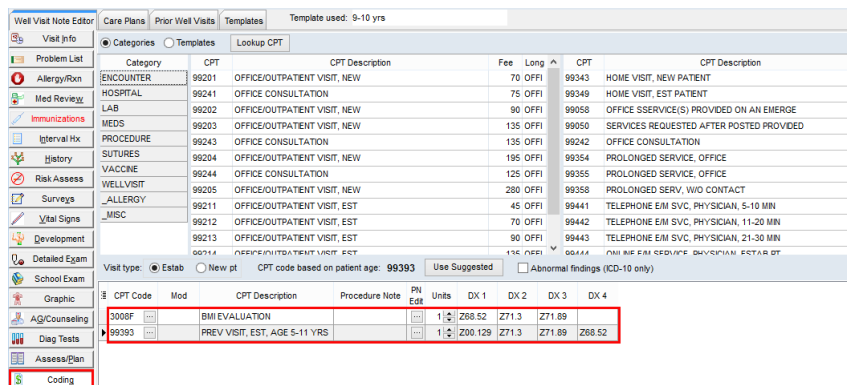
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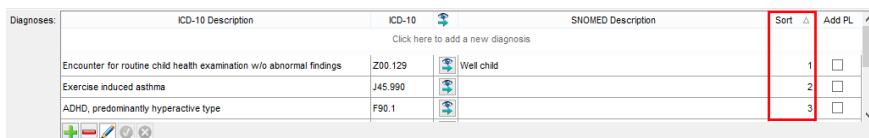
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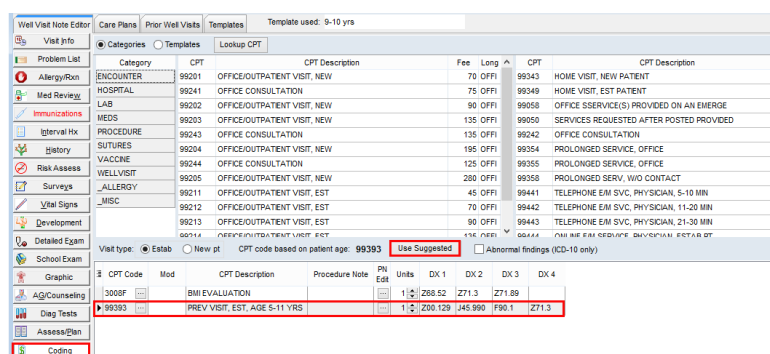


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Version 14.10

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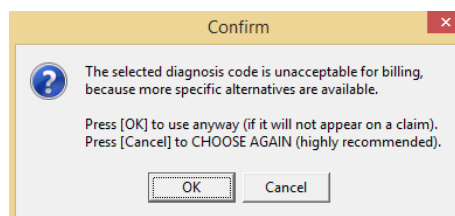
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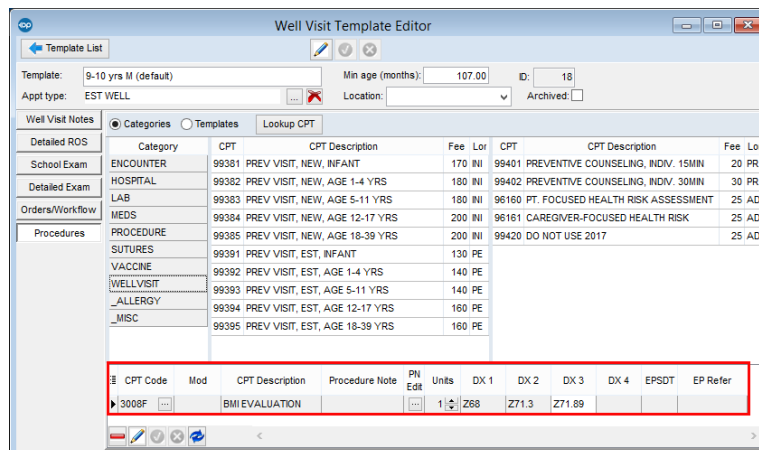


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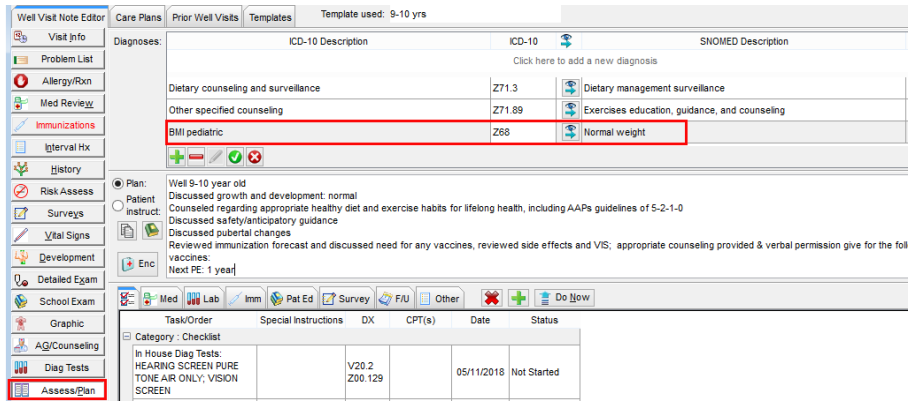
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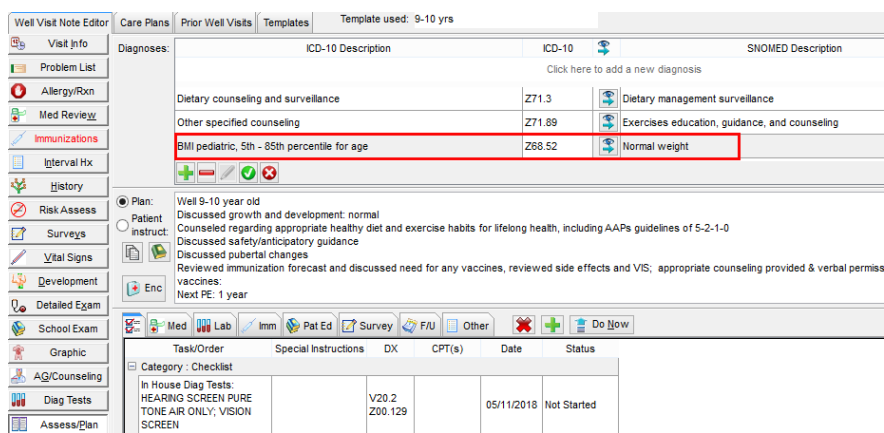
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BMI pediatric, 5th - 85th percentile for age	Z68.52	Normal weight

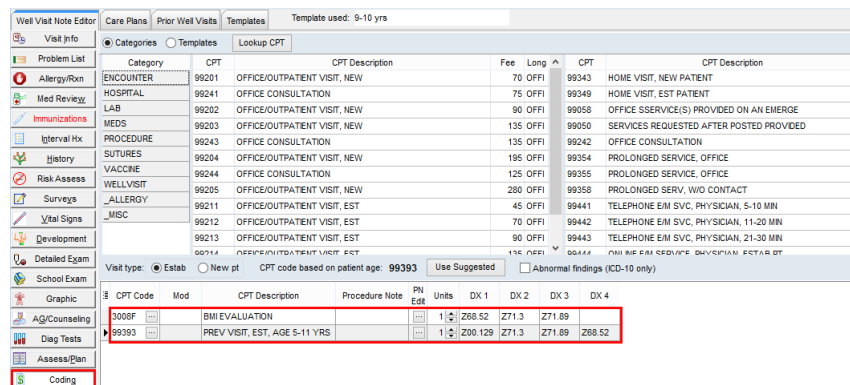
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Categories | Templates | Lookup CPT

Category	CPT	CPT Description	Fee	Long	CPT	CPT Description
ENCOUNTER	99201	OFFICE/OUTPATIENT VISIT, NEW	70	OFF	99343	HOME VISIT, NEW PATIENT
HOSPITAL	99241	OFFICE CONSULTATION	75	OFF	99349	HOME VISIT, EST PATIENT
LAB	99202	OFFICE/OUTPATIENT VISIT, NEW	90	OFF	99058	OFFICE SERVICE(S) PROVIDED ON AN EMERGE
MEDS	99203	OFFICE/OUTPATIENT VISIT, NEW	135	OFF	99050	SERVICES REQUESTED AFTER POSTED PROVIDED
PROCEDURE	99243	OFFICE CONSULTATION	135	OFF	99242	OFFICE CONSULTATION
SUTURES	99204	OFFICE/OUTPATIENT VISIT, NEW	195	OFF	99354	PROLONGED SERVICE, OFFICE
VACCINE	99244	OFFICE CONSULTATION	125	OFF	99355	PROLONGED SERVICE, OFFICE
WELL VISIT	99205	OFFICE/OUTPATIENT VISIT, NEW	280	OFF	99358	PROLONGED SERV, W/O CONTACT
_ALLERGY	99211	OFFICE/OUTPATIENT VISIT, EST	45	OFF	99441	TELEPHONE E/M SVC, PHYSICIAN, 5-10 MIN
_MISC	99212	OFFICE/OUTPATIENT VISIT, EST	70	OFF	99442	TELEPHONE E/M SVC, PHYSICIAN, 11-20 MIN
	99213	OFFICE/OUTPATIENT VISIT, EST	90	OFF	99443	TELEPHONE E/M SVC, PHYSICIAN, 21-30 MIN
	99214	OFFICE/OUTPATIENT VISIT, EST	115	OFF	99444	TELEPHONE E/M SERVICE, PHYSICIAN, ESTAB PT

Visit type: Establish New pt CPT code based on patient age: 99393 Abnormal findings (ICD-10 only)

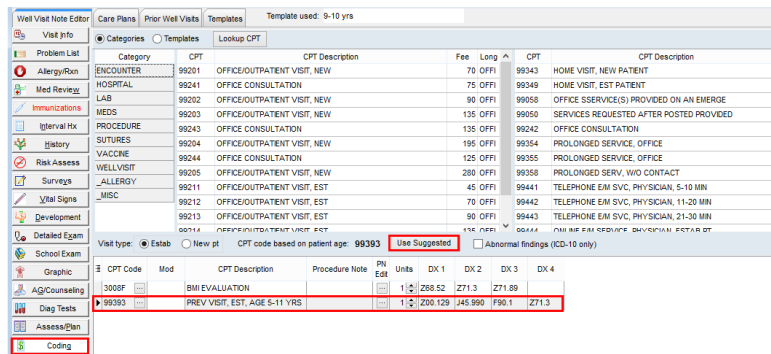
CPT Code	Mod	CPT Description	Procedure Note	PN Edit	Units	DX 1	DX 2	DX 3	DX 4
3008F		BMI EVALUATION			1	Z68.52	Z71.3	Z71.89	
99393		PREV VISIT, EST, AGE 5-11 YRS			1	Z00.129	Z71.3	Z71.89	Z68.52

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Click here to add a new diagnosis					
Encounter for routine child health examination w/o abnormal findings	Z00.129	Well child		1	<input type="checkbox"/>
Exercise induced asthma	J45.990			2	<input type="checkbox"/>
ADHD, predominantly hyperactive type	F90.1			3	<input type="checkbox"/>

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The screenshot shows the 'Well Visit Note Editor' interface. The 'Diag Tests' section is expanded, showing a list of CPT codes. The code 99393 is highlighted in red, and the 'Use Suggested' button is also highlighted in red. Below the list, the 'CPT Code' field is populated with 99393, and the 'CPT Description' field shows 'PREV VISIT, EST, AGE 5-11 YRS'. The 'Units' field is 1, and the 'DX' codes are Z00.129, J45.990, and F90.1. The 'Add PL' checkbox is checked.