

## Alcohol Misuse Screenings

**Effective for dates of service on or after April 1, 2019**, HCPCS codes G0442 (annual alcohol misuse screening, 15 minutes) and G0443 (brief face-to-face behavioral counseling for alcohol misuse, 15 minutes) can be billed as outpatient services only.

*For complete details, please refer to the following links:*

<http://files.medi-cal.ca.gov/pubsdoco/bulletins/artfull/gm201903.asp#a12>