

Depression Screenings

Effective retroactively for dates of service on or after July 1, 2020, the policy for HCPCs Level II codes G8431 (screening for depression is documented as positive, and a follow-up plan is documented) and G8510 (screening for depression is documented as negative, a follow-up plan is not required) has been updated.

For complete details, please refer to the following link:

<https://files.medi-cal.ca.gov/pubsdoco/bulletins/artfull/gm202009.aspx#a9>