

# Colorectal Cancer Screening

Category: Cancer Screenings

Program: Adult

Stars Measure ★

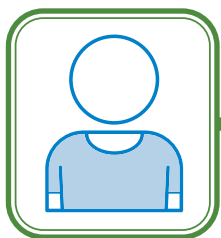
## Measure Requirements

Members who had appropriate screening for colorectal cancer using any **one** of the following criteria:

- Fecal occult blood test (FOBT) or fecal immunochemical test (FIT) during the measurement year (2023) (CPT® code 82270 or 82274 or HCPCS code G0328 only)
- Flexible sigmoidoscopy during the measurement year (2023), or within the last four years (2022, 2021, 2020, 2019)
- Colonoscopy during the measurement year (2023) or nine years prior (2022, 2021, 2020, 2019, 2018, 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014)

An FOBT or FIT done during a digital rectal exam in the doctor's office is not adequate for screening.

*Note:* Cologuard (FIT-DNA) is considered a Tier 2 Test. Therefore, credit will not be given for completion of this test in QPM. Members who have a Cologuard test performed will be removed from the numerator and denominator for three years when calculating performance for this measure.



## Member Requirements

Members who were with a practice for 11 consecutive months within the measurement year (2023) and who were 45 through 75 as of December 31 of the measurement year (2023).



QPM Targets	
<b>Band 1</b>	72% – 100%
<b>Band 2</b>	66% – 71.99%
<b>Band 3</b>	58% – 65.99%
<b>Band 4</b>	51% – 57.99%
<b>Band 5</b>	<51%

See  
payment  
details in  
section 5  
of guide.

## Options to close Care Gaps

- **Option 1:** Claim/encounter submission with appropriate coding for any of the applicable screenings listed above (e.g., *Coding of a colonoscopy during 2023 from a gastroenterology provider*).
- **Option 2:** Claim/encounter submission with appropriate exclusion coding for colorectal cancer or colectomy history.

Colorectal Cancer Exclusion Codes								
	HCPCS		ICD-10CM					
Colorectal cancer	G0213	G0215	C18.0	C18.6	C18.6	C18.9	C21.2	Z85.038
	G0214	G0231	C18.1	C18.4	C18.7	C19	C21.8	Z85.048
			C18.2	C18.5	C18.8	C20	C78.5	
	CPT							
Total colectomy	44150	44152	44155	44155	44157	44210	44212	
	44151	44153	44153	44156	44158	44211		

- **Option 3:** PEAR CV form submission.

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