

### HEDIS UPDATE

We are getting down to the wire, so please take a moment and review these common reminders:

- Sign and lock your notes
- Bill your COA's
- CMS thresholds change Oct 1<sup>st</sup>!
- Mammogram documented in your notes

is now allowed:

- Examples: Mammogram 2017
- Mammogram May/2017
- Mammogram 05/02/2017

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**GEARING UP FOR AEP!!**

*Open Enrollment is October 15 thru  
December 7, 2018.*

**PRIMECARE HAS BEEN WORKING OVERTIME  
TO MARKET OUR PHYSICIANS!**



Ahmed, Marysol, Sherry and Halima have represented PrimeCare at several recent Brokers' training events. The team has been hugely successful in familiarizing the healthcare brokers with our physicians, their office specialties and locations.

## PrimeCare is Now Accepting HUMANA!

Contact Matt Romeo, 352-796-9994  
for all the details.

Here's a question for you- What do the letters- HEDIS- stand for? Reallllly think about it before you check the answer at the bottom of this column.

### **MRA tip- Don't Lose Out!!**

Hypertension with CKD and CHF

Some Doctors are miscoding and losing out on an HCC by coding essential hypertension I10. They should be using the following:

1. I11.0 -Hypertensive heart disease with heart failure
2. I12.0- Hypertensive CKD (stage 4-5 and ESRD)
3. I13.0 -Hypertensive Chronic Kidney Disease (stage 1-4) with heart failure.

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### Flu Vaccine Billing

Remember when billing for flu vaccine to bill for the maximum allowable, not just a penny.

### Laugh of the day



Breakthrough! They just found a gene for Shyness! They would have found it earlier, but it was hiding behind a couple of other genes.

HEDIS: Healthcare Effectiveness Data Information Set