

## Kidney Health Evaluation for Patients With Diabetes

**Who Is Eligible?** Members 18–85 years of age with a diagnosis of diabetes (type 1 or type 2) who received a kidney health evaluation—defined as an eGFR and a uACR—during the measurement year

To be identified as a diabetic, a member must have one of the following during the measurement year or the year prior to the measurement year:

- At least two diagnoses of diabetes on different dates of service **or**
- A dispensed insulin or hypoglycemics/antihyperglycemic and at least one diagnosis of diabetes

### Service Required for Compliance:

Members should have a kidney health evaluation in the measurement year. A kidney health evaluation consists of both an eGFR and a uACR during the measurement year on the same or different dates of service.

Please note this is a two-part measure and requires **both** the blood and urine assessments within 4 days to address the measure.

- An eGFR meets the blood assessment requirement
- To meet the urine assessment requirement, the member can either receive a uACR or get both a quantitative urine albumin test and a urine creatinine test **with service dates four days apart or fewer**.

Blood test	AND	Urine test (must include both quantitative albumin and urine creatinine)	
Estimated glomerular filtration rate lab test (eGFR)		<b>Option 1</b>	<b>Option 2</b>
		Urine albumin- creatinine ratio (uACR)	Quantitative urine albumin lab test      Urine creatinine lab test
<b>Current Procedural Terminology (CPT®)</b> 80047, 80048, 80050, 80053, 80069, 82565		<b>Logical Observation Identifiers Names and Codes (LOINC®)</b> 13705-9, 14958-3, 14959-1, 30000-4, 32294-1, 44292-1, 59159-4, 76401-9, 77253-3, 77254-1, 89998-9, 9318-7	<b>CPT code</b> 82043 <b>CPT code</b> 82570 <b>If submitting two urine tests:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•One must be quantitative urine albumin lab test</li> <li>•The other must be urine creatinine lab test</li> <li>•The two test dates must be within the measurement year <b>and</b> the test dates must be within four days of each other</li> </ul>

### Measure Best Practices:

- Utilize appropriate coding for both the blood and urine components of the measure to reflect care provided.
- Order **both the blood and urine lab components** to follow the National Diabetes Association & National Kidney Foundation’s clinical guidelines.
- Education patients on how diabetes can affect the kidneys and remind patients to take medication as prescribed.