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Building Capacity of SBHC/H2H Leaders to Integrate Public Health with Primary Care



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Population Health Strategies to Sustainability



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Guiding Questions

- What are CPT, ICD 10, and Z codes?
- What do they have to do with sustainability?
- How do you currently use your encounter data?
- What is community benefit what does it have to do with sustainability?

What is Sustainability?

The ability to be sustained, supported, upheld, confirmed



CPT Code

- Current Procedural Terminology
- American Medical Association
- Procedure Codes - *What You Did*
- Types
 - Evaluation and Management Visits
 - Systems and Complexity
 - Time spent in counseling/education
 - Preventive Medicine Visits
 - Labs
 - Immunizations
 - Vision Services
 - Mental Health



ICD 10

- International Classification of Diseases
- World Health Organization
- Diagnosis Codes - *Why You Did It*
- Examples
 - Asthma
 - Sinusitis
 - Smoking cessation
 - Obesity counseling
 - Well Child Visit
 - Urinalysis, Hematocrit
 - HPV, Td,
 - ADD, Depression



ICD10 Z – Codes

- Document factors influencing health status and contact with health services
- Personal and family history putting students at higher risk of having the same condition
- Sometimes primary diagnosis code
- Usually secondary diagnosis code



**Population Health
Z – Codes**

Z59.X *Problems Related to Housing and Economic Circumstances*

- Z59.0 Homelessness
- Z59.1 Inadequate housing (lack of heating, restriction of space)
- Z59.4 Lack of adequate food and safe drinking water
- Z59.5 Extreme poverty
- Z59.6 Low income
- Z59.7 Insufficient social insurance and welfare support



**Population Health
Z – Codes**

- Z55.9 Problems related to education and literacy, unspecified
- Z60.3 Acculturation difficulty
- Z62.21 Child in welfare custody
- Z62.82 Parent-child conflict
- Z62.820 Parent-biological child conflict
- Z62.821 Parent-adopted child conflict
- Z62.822 Parent-foster child conflict
- Z62.89 Other specified problems with upbringing
- Z62.890 Parent-child estrangement NEC
- Z62.891 Sibling rivalry
- Z62.898 Other specified problems related to upbringing
- Z62.9 Problem related to upbringing, unspecified



**Population Health
Z – Codes**

Z64.X *Other Problems related to primary support group, including family circumstances*

- Z63.3 Absence of family member
- Z63.4 Disappearance and death of family member
- Z63.31 Absence of family member due to military deployment
- Z63.71 Stress on family due to return of family member from military deployment
- Z63.5 Disruption of family by separation and divorce
- Z63.72 Alcoholism and drug addiction in family
- Z63.79 Other stressful life events affecting family and household



**ICD10
Z – Codes**

Z72.X Problems relating to lifestyle, see 4th digit for circumstance

- Z72.3 Lack of physical exercise
- Z72.4 Inappropriate diet and eating habits
- Z72.51 High risk heterosexual behavior
- Z72.82 Sleep deprivation
- Z73.819 Behavioral insomnia of childhood, unspecified type
- Z72.89 Other problems related to lifestyle
- Z72.9 Problem related to lifestyle, unspecified



Johnny's SBHC Visit

- Diagnosed with asthma
- Has been having acute episodes
- Visits his SBHC and receives education on medication administration
- New inhaler prescription given
- Insurer = Medicaid



**Coding Johnny's Visit
Billing Only**

- Evaluation and Management Visit – New Patient Outpatient Visit – 30 minutes
 - CPT 99203
- Mild intermittent asthma with acute exacerbation
 - ICD10 J45.21



Behind every child is a story



Johnny's SBHC Story

- Acute episodes increase
- New visit to SBHC
- Family filled the new prescription (\$50)
- NP watches Johnny practice using his inhaler
- Medications are reviewed and deemed appropriate
- NP learns through additional history taking that many family members have asthma as well and do not have insurance (usual source of care is the ED)
- Family has been sharing his inhaler in order to avoid going to the ED
- Family lives in public housing



Social determinants of health can be tracked using billing codes. Powerful data collection method that can drive change!



Coding SBHC Visit Telling Johnny's Story

- Evaluation and Management Office Visit – New Patient – 30 minutes
 - CPT 99213
- Mild intermittent asthma with acute exacerbation
 - ICD10 J45.21
- Family history of asthma and other chronic lower respiratory diseases
 - Z code Z82.5
- Low income
 - Z code Z59.6
- Other problems related to housing and economic circumstances
 - Z code Z59.8



Lizzie's SBHC Story



- Comes into the SBHC feeling down
- Sees the LCSW
- Her father (Reserves) was deployed recently
- Reporting restless sleep since father was deployed

Community Benefit

- Programs or activities that provide treatment and/or promote health and healing as a response to identified community needs
- Meet at least one of the following criteria
 - Improves access to health care services
 - Enhances health of the community
 - Advances medical or health knowledge
 - Relieves or reduces the burden of government or other community efforts
- Marketing must not be the primary purpose



Coding SBHC Visit Telling Lizzie's Story

- Mental Health Visit – Psychotherapy Visit – 45 minutes
 - CPT 90834
- Adjustment disorder with mixed anxiety and depressed mood
 - ICD 10 Code F43.23
- Absence of family member due to military deployment
 - Z Code Z63.31)



In Summary

- Electronic Health Records and ICD 10
 - Collect, Extract, Manipulate, and Report Data
 - Maximize Billing and Reimbursement
 - Conduct Quality Improvement Activities
 - Report Performance Measures
 - Tell Population Health Stories of Students
 - Implement Population-Based Interventions
 - Calculate Community Benefit – Return on Investment
 - Report SBHC Performance to Stakeholders
 - Use Data for Policy, Advocacy, Engagement, Funding



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