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Chronic Disease Management and Prevention

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Policies Driving Chronic Disease Management and Prevention:

1. Prevention covered by Pennsylvania:
 - Diabetes Self Management Education (DSME)
 - Obesity services for children
 - Tobacco cessation services
2. Managed Care Organizations (MCOs) must cover at least what FFS covers
3. Evidenced based guideline discussions at Medical Director's Meetings
4. Plan and Provider P4P programs:
 - MCOs: 12 quality measures
 - Providers: 6 required measures and 7 optional measures

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Care Coordination Initiatives

1. EveryBODY Get Healthy
 - Improve general health and wellness
 - Increase Type 2 Diabetes prevention
 - Decrease Type 2 Diabetes cost
 - Decrease ER use: non-life-threatening situations
 - Increase medication adherence
2. Imbedded Nurse Care Managers
 - Located in high volume, patient centered, medical home practices
 - Focus on population management, patient centeredness and self management
 - Work with a multidisciplinary team
 - Responsible for all patient's needs, not just medical

Additional Information

EveryBODY Get Healthy:

<https://www.everybodygethealthy.com/healthy/home/>
<http://www.healthpart.com/NewsDetails.asp?NewsID=1143>

Care Management:

http://www.upmchealthplan.com/ar_2010/caremanagement.html

PA DPW: General Link for Bulletin Search

<http://www.dpw.state.pa.us/publications/bulletinsearch/index.htm>

Tobacco Cessation Bulletin: 99-07-02

Childhood Nutrition and Weight Management Bulletin: 99-07-19

Diabetes Outpatient Self-Management Training and Education: 99-01-01; 99-02-04

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