CPT Coding

CPT Coding New Definition ~ New Code
96110 ~ Developmental screening (e.g., developmental milestone survey, speech and language delay screen), with scoring and documentation interpretation and report, per standardized instrument form
96127 ~ Brief emotional/behavioral assessment (e.g., depression inventory, attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) scale), with scoring and documentation, per standardized instrument

CPT Coding Examples:
96110 ~ Developmental screening
Autism spectrum disorders
Developmental coordination disorders
Expressive language disorders
Speech and articulation disorders
96127 ~ Brief emotional/behavioral assessment
Anxiety
ADHD
Conduct disorders
Depression
Episodic Mood Disorders
Oppositional Defiant Disorders

CPT Coding Examples of Screens
96110 ~ Developmental screening
• ASQ
• PEDS
• M-CHAT
96127 ~ Brief emotional/behavioral assessment
• SCARED
• Vanderbilt
• PHQ-9
• PSC
• PSC-Y

What we know:
• Both codes are now open in the Medicaid system
• The expectation is that practices use the appropriate code

What we are working on:
• Lynn and I are working with DHHS to draft policy
• Other states are doing this as well...