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Assessment & Counseling	Pharmacotherapy	E C
 COVERAGE may include: Preventive Counseling 99385-99387, 99395-99397 Preventive services for members over 21 years of age include one preventive health visit (99385-99397) and ten office visits per calendar year. Behavioral Assessment/Intervention None Nutritional Consultation & Therapy* 99203, 99211, 99213 	NOT COVERED GA Medicaid <u>excludes</u> agents used for anorexia, weight gain, or weight loss from coverage.	Adults with obesity: 31% ³ Adults with diabetes: 11% ³ 19% of residents covered by Medicaid/CHIP \$9.8 billion in total Medicaid spending (2015)
 Nutritional counseling (99203, 99211, 99213) includes reimbursement for up to 12 individual or group sessions provided by a state-licensed dietician each calendar 	Bariatric Surgery COVERAGE may include:	69% enrolled in managed care 31% enrolled in fee-for-service ⁴
 year. Group sessions must be specific to the member's nutrition-related medical condition/diagnosis. No reimbursement provided for the first two nutrition education contacts for WIC-eligible members. *The GA Division of Medicaid indicates that these E/M codes should be used to bill for nutritional counseling services. 	 Gastric Bypass, Gastric Band, Sleeve Gastrectomy Prior authorization is required for all requests; contact the Hewlett Packard at 800-766-4456 for additional information. See also: WellCare Guidelines 	Resources & Contacts: GA Department of Community Health Phone: 404-298-1228 GA Department of Insurance Phone: 404-656-2070 GA Division of Public Health Phone: 404-657-2700