


**NEW HAMPSHIRE**  
 Department of Health & Human Services (DHHS) <sup>121, 122, 123</sup>

Assessment & Counseling	Pharmacotherapy	
<p><b>COVERAGE may include:</b></p> <p><b>Preventive Counseling</b>                      99401-99404, 99411-99412                      99385-99387*, 99395-99397*</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- *Billable a maximum of once per year.</li> <li>- Fee schedule indicates reimbursement for obesity-specific preventive medicine codes; limits not specified</li> </ul> <p><b>Behavioral Assessment/Intervention</b>                      96150-96155</p> <p><b>Nutritional Consultation &amp; Therapy</b>                      G0270-G0271</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- New Hampshire Medicaid generally <u>excludes</u> coverage for dietary services including commercial weight loss, nutritional counseling, and exercise programs.</li> <li>- Medical nutrition therapy assessment/intervention is included as a covered service for members enrolled in managed care; service authorization (SA) required to bill for more than 60 minutes per year.</li> </ul>	<p><b>COVERAGE may include:</b></p> <p>Belviq*, Contrave*, Qsymia*, Alli</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Prior authorization is required.</li> <li>- Members enrolled in the <i>Well Sense Health Plan</i> should see <b>approval guidelines</b> for full coverage criteria.</li> </ul> <p><u>NOTE:</u> Copays may apply regardless of approval.</p> <p>*Indicates PDL (preferred) medication.</p>	 <p>Adults with obesity: <b>27%</b> <sup>3</sup>                      Adults with diabetes: <b>8%</b> <sup>3</sup></p> <p><b>13%</b> of residents covered by Medicaid/CHIP  <b>\$1.7 billion</b> in total Medicaid spending (2015)</p>
	<p align="center"><b>Bariatric Surgery</b></p> <p><b>COVERAGE may include:</b></p> <p>Gastric Bypass, Gastric Band, Sleeve Gastrectomy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Prior authorization</b> is required; follows Milliman © Criteria</li> <li>- In addition to meeting standard approval criteria, adult members must attend support group to learn about bariatric surgery from other patients.</li> </ul>	<p><b>96%</b> enrolled in managed care  <b>4%</b> enrolled in fee-for-service <sup>4</sup></p> <p><b>Resources &amp; Contacts:</b></p> <p><b>Department of Health &amp; Human Services</b>                      Phone: 603-271-4331</p> <p><b>Division of Public Health Services</b>  <i>Nutrition &amp; Physical Activity</i>                      Phone: 603-271-4628</p> <p><b>New Hampshire Insurance Department</b>                      Phone: 603-271-2261</p>