

AC Financial Services | Reference Guide

For Services referred to:

Pediatric Specialty: Genetics

All referrals to Genetics should be procured for consult and prolonged codes only.¹
All others will be ordered by Genetics after initial consult.

New Patient/Initial Visit Code(s):	Established Patient/Standard Follow Up Code(s):	
99241-99245 ¹ or 99201-99205 ¹	99212-99215 ¹	

Reference Information:

Important Notes:

1. All genetics consult and follow up office visits should be requested with prolonged codes 99354, 99355, 99358* and 99359* as ordered by the physician due to level of detail involved, these appointments regularly exceed typical length of appointment time. If any of the codes are denied, use the auth status reason as Approved with Modifications.

2. Genetics Counseling:

(S0265) 1 Unit = 15 minutes (96040) 1 Unit = 30 minutes

3. The clinic will handle all Genetic Testing. If you come across a referral for Genetic Testing please mark the referral as a "Stat" and pend the referral to Yesenia Martinez.

Code Range:	Medi-Cal Code:	Purpose:	Description:
81161		Complete DMD Evaluation –	DMD Duplication/Deletion Analysis
81408		Males	Molecular Pathology Procedure Level 9
81401			Molecular Pathology Procedure Level 5
81405		Complete SMA Evaluation	Molecular Pathology Procedure Level 6
81479			Unlisted Molecular Pathology
81243		Fragile X Analysis	FMR1 Analysis Eval To Detect Abnormal Alleles
81229		CGH Array	Cytogenom Const Microarray Copy Number & Snp Var
82657		Metabolic: Oligosaccharidoses Screen, Leukocytes	Enzyme Cell Activity, Each
83789		Metabolic: Purine and Pyrimidine Panel, Urine	Mass Spectrometry Quant, Nonspec
83864		Metabolic: Mucopolysaccharides	Mucopolysaccharides, acid, quantitative
81240		Metabolic: Creatine Disorders Panel, Urine	F2 Gene Analysis 20210g >A Variant
82570			Assay Of Urine Creatinine
83789			Mass Spectrometry Quant, Nonspec
81408		NF1 Sequencing	Molecular Pathology Procedure Level 9
96040 x4^2	$S0265 \times 8^2$	Counseling	Genetic Counseling
99354 ¹		Prolonged Services	Prolng Svc Office O/P Dir Contact 1st Hr
99355 ¹		Prolonged Services	Prolng Svc Office O/P Dir Contact Ea 30 Min
99358 ¹		Prolonged E/M	Prolonged E/M Svc before & after direct pt care 1 st hour
99359 ¹		Prolonged E/M Svs	Prolonged E/M Svc before & after direct pt care each additional 30 mins



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Payor Specific Information:

* Codes 99358 and 99359 are not a covered benefit under Medi-Cal

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