



Michigan Quality Improvement Consortium Clinical Practice Guideline Update Alert

Guideline: [Routine Preventive Services for Infants and Children \(Birth to 24 months\)](#)

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This alert provides a summary of only the recommendations which were updated. Refer to the complete guideline for all recommendations and level of evidence.

Updated recommendations include:

Personalized recommendations: To offer any patient, for age, gender, and risk factor-based recommendations, see [Electronic Preventive Services Selector](#).

Visit Schedule

Birth	Before 1 month	1 month	2 months	4 months	6 months	9 months	12 months	15 months	18 months	24 months
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Health, developmental and risk assessments at each visit (see Visit Schedule), including Social Determinants of Health via [Bright Futures](#).

Parental education and counseling:

- Immunizations, nutrition, breast-feeding (goal one year), physical activity, child abuse/trafficking (Michigan abuse and neglect hotline (855-444-3911), depression, alcohol and drug abuse, anxiety, stress reduction, coping skills.

Recommendation:

- Ocular Prophylaxis for gonococcal ophthalmia neonatorum (erythromycin ointment): Birth
- Blood lead testing* (*other high-risk population or Medicaid*): 12 to 18 months
- Autism screening* with validated screening tool, e.g., [M-CHAT](#): 18 to 24 months

*Lead and Autism screening is a Michigan Medicaid requirement. Autism screening recommended for all children.