



# Codes for Documenting Anxiety Screening

The following codes are used to document common BH Screens:

Code	Description
<b>CPT 96127</b>	Brief emotional/behavioral assessment (e.g., PhQ9, GAD-7), with scoring and documentation, per standardized instrument
<b>G0444</b>	MEDICARE patients only: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If SYMPTOMS are reported prior to routine screening, use CPT 96127.</li> <li>• If NO SYMPTOMS are reported prior to routine screening, use code G0444 instead of CPT 96127.</li> </ul>
<b>G8431</b>	(with HD Modifier) Add-on code when screening is POSITIVE for clinical depression
<b>G8510</b>	(with HD Modifier, replaces 99420) Add-on code when screening is NEGATIVE for clinical depression
<b>CPT 96161</b>	Administration, scoring, and documentation of a care-giver health risk assessment standardized instrument (e.g., health hazard appraisal), including screening for maternal depression during a well-child visit. Billed using the child's ID number.