



We're taking steps to help you measure and address social risks in your patients.

To assist in addressing social risks in your patient population, we are developing the following:

- Enhancements to the periodic Aetna® reports.
- Expansion of patient assessment form data collection to include social determinants of health (SDoH)
- Sharing Aetna programs aligned to address SDoH

Reporting enhancements

You'll now see the following included:

- Enroll 6 (Patient profile) — Aetna SDoH Index and Social Isolation Index scale using a combination of proprietary algorithm, third-party proprietary data, and US Census tract data and Centers for Disease Control (CDC) data. The index includes measures of:

Total family Income	Poverty	Disability
Education	Family structure	Employment

*Note that the SDoH Index for a census tract is assigned to all patients living within that census tract and is not necessarily a reflection of each individual patient's actual SDoH.

Data collection through provider outreach

We are enhancing our patient assessments forms used in our provider outreach program to collect SDoH information on members. This will allow us to engage members in programs that may help address their needs.

SDoH Z-code information

Including applicable SDoH Z-codes in your billing enables our reports to reflect more accurate and detailed SDoH information for your patients. It also supplies detail that our provider outreach teams can use for more targeted discussions and actions with patients to address their individual needs.

Below is a table of SDoH Z-codes with a short description of the diagnosis that aligns to the specific code. Within each category below there are specific codes to identify the SDoH more precisely.

ICD-10 Z-code category	Risk short description
Z55 – Problems related to education and literacy	Illiteracy, school limitations or challenges
Z56 – Problems related to employment and unemployment	Unemployment, job changes, work stress/harassment
Z57 – Occupational exposure to risk factors	Occupational risks ex., noise, dust, radiation, toxins
Z59 – Problems related to housing and economic circumstances	Homelessness, inadequate housing, extreme poverty, low income, other problems related to housing and economic circumstances
Z60 – Problems related to social environment	Maladjustment to lifecycles, living alone, discrimination, social exclusion or other related environment problems
Z62 – Problems related to upbringing	Inadequate parental supervision, child in welfare custody or personal history of childhood neglect or abuse
A63 – Other problems related to primary support group, including family circumstances	Absence, disappearance, death or disruption of a family member or other stressful family/household events
Z64 – Problems related to certain psychosocial circumstances	Conviction in civil or criminal proceedings with or without imprisonment. Victim of crime or terrorism
A65 – Problems related to other psychosocial circumstances	Problems related to unwanted pregnancy. Discord with counselors

Questions?

If you have any questions about these SDoH enhancements, please reach out to your local market engagement manager or RN Program Manager.

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