

Annual Wellness Visit vs. Physical Exam

Annual Wellness Visit (G0438/G0439)

- A yearly benefit to Medicare and Medicare Advantage patients
- A discussion

Welcome to Medicare IPPE (G0402)

- Available to both Medicare and Medicare Advantage members
- A discussion
- Must be completed within 12 months of qualifying for Medicare part B
- **ONCE** per patient lifetime

Physical Exam (99385-99387, 99395-99397)

- Not a covered Medicare Benefit.
- An exam

Initial Annual Wellness Visit (G0438)

- Available to both Medicare and Medicare Advantage members
- A discussion
- **ONCE** per patient lifetime

Subsequent Annual Wellness Visit (G0439)

- Available to both Medicare and Medicare Advantage members
- Covered every year AFTER the patient has completed the initial wellness visit
- A discussion