

Nutrition/Health Volume
Certification Section

Risk Factor 331 Pregnancy at a Young Age (2.04470)

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POLICY: Risk Factor 331 Pregnancy at a Young Age shall be assigned to pregnant women during the current pregnancy or to breastfeeding/non-breastfeeding women whose most recent pregnancy was conceived at ≤ 17 years of age. Procedures for obtaining data, documentation and assigning risk factors must be followed.

PROCEDURES:

A. Obtaining Data

1. Obtain information on participant's age.

B. Documenting

1. Enter the woman's birth date and Last Menstrual Period (LMP) date in MOWINS.

C. Assessing and Assigning Risk Factor

Risk Factor 331 Pregnancy at a Young Age (Conception ≤ 17 years of age) will be automatically assigned by MOWINS when the criteria are met.

1. If the woman was ≤ 17 years old at the conception of the current pregnancy, the system will assign the risk factor.
2. MOWINS will flag prenatal breastfeeding and postpartum woman as high risk if she was ≤ 15 years old at the age of conception for the current pregnancy. Refer to ER #2.02900.
3. Complete a SOAP NOTE in MOWINS.
4. Refer to the Risk Factor Detail Guide.

D. Providing Appropriate Counseling (See Counseling Guides for suggested counseling). Refer to the Nutrition Training Manual for more information.

1. Counseling and education shall be provided by the CPA.
2. Document counseling contact in MOWINS.

E. Providing Referrals.

1. Provide appropriate referral information and document into MOWINS.