

Violence and Abuse

Description

This chapter of the core ethical principles of the medical profession addresses physicians' responsibility in promoting the well-being of patients. UnitedHealthcare uses evidence-based clinical guidelines from nationally recognized sources during review of our quality and health management programs. Recommendations contained in clinical practice guidelines are not a guarantee of coverage. Members should consult their member-specific benefit plan document for information regarding covered benefits.

To Review Guidelines

Guideline Title	Sources/Location
AMA Code of Medical Ethics (2016), Section 8.10 Preventing, Identifying and Treating Violence and Abuse	American Medical Association: https://code-medical-ethics.ama-assn.org/ethics-opinions/preventing-identifying-treating-violence-abuse