

The Preventative Consultation

Subject:	The Preventative Consultation
Summary:	<p>- <i>Actively provided entirely at the initiative of a G.P.</i> Implementing the NHG Standard Preventative Consultation Cardiometabolic Risk, entirely at the level of the population in his practice, involving a G.P.'s active approach, is a matter of selective prevention, as a result of which it is not included in the risks insured under the Zvw.</p> <p>- <i>Actively provided entirely externally to a G.P.'s practice</i> CVZ regards the provision of care described in the standard after an active approach external to a G.P.'s practice as population screening. For this variety too, the provision of care as an entirely selective prevention involves care that is not covered by the Zvw.</p> <p>- <i>Individual request for care</i> In principle, a case whereby an individual patient takes the initiative and approaches his G.P. with a question regarding his possible risk can be regarded as insured care, even if it was prompted by his score on the Preventative Consultation questionnaire. As the NHG standard Preventative Consultation has demonstrated the Cardiometabolic Risk, the G.P. shall act accordingly, regard this standard as part of his arsenal and use it in providing care. Providing customised care in accordance with parts of the NHG standard Preventative Consultation <i>and</i> parts of other relevant standards in determining the individual risk can be regarded - in accordance with article 2.4, first paragraph of the Bzv (Health Insurance Decision) - as medical care normally provided by G.P.s.</p> <p>- <i>Individual request for care after actively supplied risk score-list</i> If participation in a (small scale) population screening leads to a request for care, in principle, CVZ regards the care provided as care that is given for insured risks covered by the Zvw. This situation is comparable with the situation in which a patient takes the initiative and approaches his G.P. with a request about his risk of illness or risk factors.</p>
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Care form:	Selective prevention