



Michigan Quality Improvement Consortium Clinical Practice Guideline Update Alert

Guideline: [In Office Use of Sedation](#)

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This alert provides a summary of only the recommendations which were updated. Refer to the complete guideline for all recommendations and level of evidence.

Updated recommendations include:

Eligible Population

Providers performing office-based procedures using moderate sedation/analgesia or deep sedation/analgesia, or general anesthesia (excludes minimal sedation and local anesthesia).

This guideline does not apply to formally designated ambulatory surgery centers, hospital-based outpatient facilities, or emergency departments.

Accreditation

Moderate or higher levels of sedation must be performed at a practice site accredited by one of the following organizations:

- The Joint Commission (jointcommission.org)
- Accreditation Association for Ambulatory Health Care (aaahc.org)
- American Association for Accreditation of Ambulatory Surgery Facilities (aaaasf.org)
- Healthcare Facilities Accreditation Program (hfap.org)