

1. Identify your clinical practicum setting (primary care office, urgent care, etc.) and the population receiving care (i.e. adolescents, women, older adults).

In the primary care office where I am doing my clinical practicum, we see patients who are at least eighteen years old. Blood pressure and cholesterol checks are two preventive care screenings that are recommended for all patients, according to the US preventive Services Task Force.

2. Use the US Preventative Services Task ForceLinks to an external site. or HealthyPeople 2030Links to an external site.resources to identify two preventative care screenings recommended for the identified population.

Blood pressure checks are advised for all patients in order to check for hypertension, which may result in heart disease, stroke, and other significant health disorders, according to the US Preventative Services Task Force. In order to check for excessive cholesterol, which may result in heart disease and other significant health concerns, cholesterol checks are also advised for all patients.

3. Identify the guidelines providers use to determine which screenings to offer.

The criteria that healthcare professionals use to choose which tests to recommend change based on the particular population they are caring for. To determine which preventive care screenings are suitable for their patients, however, doctors often refer to guidelines from groups such as HealthyPeople 2030 or the US preventive Services Task Force.

4. Describe the quality and equity of preventative care screenings you have observed. Are disparities or bias evident in the care provided to different members of the population?

I've seen really high-quality preventive care being provided. The clinicians at my clinical practicum site use the guidelines from groups such as HealthyPeople 2030 and the US Preventative Services Task Force, about which they are extremely knowledgeable, to recommend preventative care screenings that are appropriate for their patients.

No, I haven't seen any prejudice or discrepancies in the treatment of various demographic members. No matter their age, color, ethnicity, or any other characteristic, every patient at my clinical practicum location receives the same level of care and is handled with professionalism and respect.

5. Explain how screening recommendations are presented to patients. Discuss how providers address health literacy and the National Standards for Culturally and Linguistically Appropriate Services (CLAS) in Health and Health Care when providing patient education about screenings.

Typically, clients are presented with the screening recommendations during their routine check-ups or during appointments that are specifically designated for preventative care. After the