

Michigan Quality Improvement Consortium Clinical Practice Guideline Update Alert

Guideline: Treatment of Childhood Overweight and Obesity

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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:

Population: 2+yrs, 85% or greater BMI with risk factors or complications

Testing Revised to: AST, ALT, fasting glucose and lipid panel every 2 years for children > 10 years of age.

Population: 2+yrs, 95% or greater BMI with or without risk factors

Added: If available, a comprehensive multidisciplinary weight management program referral
is recommended to include counseling and psychological services. If weight management
program not available, referral to Registered Dietician for families and children motivated to
make healthy lifestyle changes is suggested.