2080P0006X DEVELOPMENTAL - BEHAVIORAL PEDIATRICS Healthcare Provider Taxonomy Code Set

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2080P0006X Developmental - Behavioral Pediatrics Physician

Taxonomy Code	2080P0006X
Status	Active
Level	Level III Area of Specialization
Short Name	Developmental - Behavioral Pediatrics
Full Name	Developmental - Behavioral Pediatrics Physician
Level I, Provider Grouping	Allopathic & Osteopathic Physicians
Level II, Classification	Pediatrics
Description	A developmental-behavioral specialist is a pediatrician with special training and experience who aims to foster understanding and promotion of optimal development of children and families through research, education, clinical care and advocacy efforts. This physician assists in the prevention, diagnosis, and management of developmental difficulties and problematic behaviors in children and in the family dysfunctions that compromise children's development.
Additional Information	Source: American Board of Medical Specialties, 2007. www.abms.org [7/1/2007: definition changed, source changed, 3/26/2008: definition corrected] Additional Resources: American Board of Pediatrics, 2007. http://www.abp.org/. Board certification for Medical Doctors (MDs) is provided by the American Board of Pediatrics.

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