



Medical Coding Resources

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Medical Coding System Updates

The new 2020 CPT/HCPCS codes have been loaded into the system. The related updates for the Behavioral Health Matrix and the Telemedicine Code Set will be updated by January 10, 2020.

In this edition you will find some of the changes you will be seeing on these two tables on the Medical Coding Resources page.

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH MATRIX UPDATES

Deletion of CPT 96150-96155. These codes will not be available for use for dates of service 1/1/2020 and after.

96150 Health and behavior assessment (e.g., health-focused clinical interview, behavioral observations, psychophysiological monitoring, health-oriented questionnaires), each 15 minutes face-to-face with the patient; initial assessment

96151 Health and behavior assessment (e.g., health-focused clinical interview, behavioral observations, psychophysiological monitoring, health-oriented questionnaires), each 15 minutes face-to-face with the patient; re-assessment

96152 Health and behavior intervention, each 15 minutes, face-to-face; individual

96153 Health and behavior intervention, each 15 minutes, face-to-face; group (2 or more patients)

96154 Health and behavior intervention, each 15 minutes, face-to-face; family (with the patient present)

96154 Health and behavior intervention, each 15 minutes, face-to-face; family (with the patient present)

96155 Health and behavior intervention, each 15 minutes, face-to-face; family (without the patient present)

Addition of new codes will be effective for dates of service 1/1/2020 and after.

96156 Health behavior assessment, or re-assessment

96158 Health behavior intervention, individual, face-to-face; initial 30 minutes

96159 Health behavior intervention, individual, face-to-face; each additional 15 minutes

96164 Health behavior intervention, group, face-to-face; initial 30 minutes

96165 Health behavior intervention, group, face-to-face; each additional 15 minutes

96167 Health behavior intervention, family (with the patient present), face-to-face; initial 30 minutes

96168 Health behavior intervention, family (with the patient present), face-to-face; each additional 15 minutes

96170 Health behavior intervention, family (without the patient present), face-to-face; initial 30 minutes

96171 Health behavior intervention, family (without the patient present), face-to-face; each additional 15 minutes

2020 New Codes not covered or limited coverage.

The following 2 new codes for 2020 will not be covered at this time.

These codes are under review to see if we will be covering them in the future. We will let you know if this coverage changes

Effective for dates of service 1/1/2020 these codes are not covered.

20560 Needle insertion(s) without injection(s); 1 or 2 muscle(s)

20561 Needle insertion(s) without injection(s); 3 or more muscles

The following codes are covered for Medicare primary members only within the parameters as set out by CMS.

G2064 Comprehensive care management services for a single high-risk disease, e.g., principal care management, at least 30 minutes of physician or other qualified health care professional time per calendar month with the following elements: one complex chronic condition lasting at least 3 months, which is the focus of the care plan, the condition is of sufficient severity to place patient at risk of hospitalization or have been the cause of a recent hospitalization, the condition requires development or revision of disease-specific care plan, the condition requires frequent adjustments in the medication regimen, and/or the management of the condition is unusually complex due to comorbidities

G2065 Comprehensive care management for a single high-risk disease services, e.g. principal care management, at least 30 minutes of clinical staff time directed by a physician or other qualified health care professional, per calendar month with the following elements: one complex chronic condition lasting at least 3 months, which is the focus of the care plan, the condition is of sufficient severity to place patient at risk of hospitalization or have been cause of a recent hospitalization, the condition requires development or revision of disease-specific care plan, the condition requires frequent adjustments in the medication regimen, and/or the management of the condition is unusually complex due to comorbidities

G2067 Medication assisted treatment, methadone; weekly bundle including dispensing and/or administration, substance use counseling, individual and group therapy, and toxicology testing, if performed (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled opioid treatment program)

G2068 Medication assisted treatment, buprenorphine (oral); weekly bundle including dispensing and/or administration, substance use counseling, individual and group therapy, and toxicology testing if performed (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled opioid treatment program)

G2069 Medication assisted treatment, buprenorphine (injectable); weekly bundle including dispensing and/or administration, substance use counseling, individual and group therapy, and toxicology testing if performed (provision of

the services by a Medicare-enrolled opioid treatment program)

G2070 Medication assisted treatment, buprenorphine (implant insertion); weekly bundle including dispensing and/or administration, substance use counseling, individual and group therapy, and toxicology testing if performed (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled opioid treatment program)

G2071 Medication assisted treatment, buprenorphine (implant removal); weekly bundle including dispensing and/or administration, substance use counseling, individual and group therapy, and toxicology testing if performed (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled opioid treatment program)

G2072 Medication assisted treatment, buprenorphine (implant insertion and removal); weekly bundle including dispensing and/or administration, substance use counseling, individual and group therapy, and toxicology testing if performed (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled opioid treatment program)

G2073 Medication assisted treatment, naltrexone; weekly bundle including dispensing and/or administration, substance use counseling, individual and group therapy, and toxicology testing if performed (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled opioid treatment program)

G2074 Medication assisted treatment, weekly bundle not including the drug, including substance use counseling, individual and group therapy, and toxicology testing if performed (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled opioid treatment program)

G2075 Medication assisted treatment, medication not otherwise specified; weekly bundle including dispensing and/or administration, substance use counseling, individual and group therapy, and toxicology testing, if performed (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled opioid treatment program)

G2076 Intake activities, including initial medical examination that is a complete, fully documented physical evaluation and initial assessment by a program physician or a primary care physician, or an authorized healthcare professional under the supervision of a program physician qualified personnel that includes preparation of a treatment plan that includes the patient's short-term goals and the tasks the patient must perform to complete the short-term goals; the patient's requirements for education, vocational rehabilitation, and employment; and the medical, psycho- social, economic, legal, or other supportive services that a patient needs, conducted by qualified personnel (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled opioid treatment program); list separately in addition to code for primary procedure

G2077 Periodic assessment; assessing periodically by qualified personnel to determine the most appropriate combination of services and treatment (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled opioid treatment program); list separately in addition to code for primary procedure

G2078 Take-home supply of methadone; up to 7 additional day supply (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled opioid treatment program); list separately in addition to code for primary procedure

G2079 Take-home supply of buprenorphine (oral); up to 7 additional day supply (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled opioid treatment program); list separately in addition to code for primary procedure

G2080 Each additional 30 minutes of counseling in a week of medication assisted treatment, (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled opioid treatment program); list separately in addition to code for primary procedure.