



Medical Coding Resources

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RURAL SUBSTANCE ABUSE TRANSITIONAL AGCY Provider Type A6

AHCCCS will be implementing the following changes related to Rural Substance Abuse Transitional Agency (Provider Type A6) Coding Updates:

- T1019 and T1020 will be end dated for Provider Type A6 effective 1.31.2021
- H0006 and H0014 for Provider Type A6 will be opened effective 2.1.2021
- H0006 will be allowed to be reported in 15 minute increments to align with how T1019 services are reported
- H0006 is normally reported as 1 unit per day although AHCCCS will allow 15 minute increments for this code during this transition to align with T1019
- H0014 is being implemented to replace how T1020 is currently being utilized by Provider Type A6
- Any future updates for code and rate changes will be published on the AHCCCS website through normal communication notifications/updates

TELEHEALTH CODE SET

AHCCCS has combined the Table I Telephonic code set and Table II Telephonic code set with the Telehealth Code Set. This table was also updated with 2021 changes. Please make sure you are reviewing the Telehealth Code set and using the correct modifier/POS/code.

AHCCCS requires that all modifiers be reported as appropriate per documentation. This includes the CR as mentioned in the COVID-19 Emergency Guidance that was posted originally on 3/17/2020.

ICD-10 CM COVID DIAGNOSES

As a result of the ongoing COVID-19 public health emergency, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's National Center for Health Statistics (CDC/NCHS) is implementing additional codes into the International Classification of Diseases, Tenth Revision, Clinical Modification (ICD-10-CM) for reporting to include:

- Encounter for screening for COVID-19 (Z11.52)
- Contact with and (suspected) exposure to COVID-19 (Z20.822)
- Personal history of COVID-19 (Z86.16)
- Multisystem inflammatory syndrome (MIS) (M35.81)
- Other specified systemic involvement of connective tissue (M35.89)
- Pneumonia due to coronavirus disease 2019 (J12.82)

You can find more information on the [CDC](#) webpage.

COVID-19 Vaccine Administration

You can find specific billing guidance for the COVID-19 vaccine and administration codes on the Medical Coding Resources webpage and the Main AHCCCS FAQ. (links below)

[COVID-19 Vaccine Administration Bill Guidelines](#)

[AHCCCS FAQ](#)

COVID Vaccines will be opened once the FDA has released its Emergency Use Authorization.
