



# RPM Billing Codes

New Rules: At least 16 measurements per month (daily once) needed to bill 99454



# NEW PATIENT ONBOARDING CODE

CPT code 99453: "initial set-up and patient education on the use of instrument for remote monitoring (for physiologic parameter or vitals)."

Reimbursement: Patient onboarding, education and setting up the equipment (billed first month **ONLY**)

# RPM MONTHLY MONITORING CODE



CPT code 99454: "Instruments with daily recordings or programmed alerts transmission, monthly."

Reimbursement: Patients with a instrument for a 30-day period (**billed monthly**)

# RPM TREATMENT MONITORING CODE



CPT code 99457: "Remote monitoring with treatment management services, at least 20 minutes or more of physician/ clinical staff/other qualified healthcare professional time requiring interactive communication with the patient/caregiver during the month." This is different than CCM (chronic care management).

Reimbursement: At Least 20 minutes of treatment management required (**billed monthly**).

# RPM TREATMENT MONITORING CODE 2



CPT code 99458: "Each additional 20 minutes of Remote monitoring with treatment management services,."

Can be submitted twice each month if you provide  $20 \text{ minutes} \times 2 = 40$  minutes of additional care.

# Remote Patient Monitoring (RPM) Versus Chronic Care Management (CCM)

Difference	RPM	CCM
Total monthly payments for 20 minutes care	\$115	\$33
Additional 20 min. month	\$60	\$33
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Vitals Data available	Must have 16 days of vitals to review	No data available to review
Doctor Ai Subscription Fee	\$20 (after paying for RPM device fee)	\$1 per month

# Monthly RPM Note Template (Submit by 30th of the Month)



This is to certify that I and or my medical assistant have called the patients related to RPM and spent a total of 20 minutes for the month of XXXX in 202X. The time spent during the phone call was to address the patient's needs, manage medication, help patients' needs so that patient admission to the hospital can be prevented. The data relating to the RPM is saved in the Doctor Ai RPM website/server.

Include a screenshot of the patient's vitals (from the patient RPM page) at the bottom of the monthly note.



## Copay and Deductible

Reimbursement (combined) 99454 and 99457 = Approx. \$115/month

Reimbursement for 99453 = Approx. \$18 Once.

Patient copay and deductible may apply for RPM services.