

BILLING CODES

Office Visits

- A-1** 1st visit, new illness, requires general assessment documented (full Hx & functional inquiry & physical exam of all parts or systems. Max. one during 6 mo. period
- A-2** 1st visit, not requiring a general assessment & subsequent visits
- A-3** Simple return visit that occurs within 2 weeks after 1st visit & that involves a direct physical encounter with the patient and verifies original diagnosis and treatment was adequate
- A-20** Repeat office visit when patient previously seen same day in outpatients, emergency or office

- A-99** Telephone conference call with a medical practitioner where the call originates from a nurse in a health centre in a community in the Territories in which no medical practitioner resides
- NOTES:**
- 1) Name of Nurse originating call must be placed on claim card
 - 2) Multiple calls may be claimed
 - 3) Subsequent visit or admission on the same day may be claimed
 - 4) No differential allowed

House Visits

- A-5.** 1ST Visit (day) placed or made 8 a.m. – 6 p.m
- A-6** Extra patient seen at home
- A-7** Repeat visit
- A-8** Sundays, Saturdays, stat holidays or emergency visits requiring interruption of office hours
- A-9** Night, placed and made 6 p.m. to 8 a.m.

Emergency Detention Time (**Note:** Must fill out special form)

- A-10** Medical detention time, per hr (to max. 7 hrs)
 - A-10A** Medivac detention, per hr (to max. 12 hours)
 - A-10B** Return travel time or time stranded, per hour (max. 5 hrs/day)
- NOTE:** Times must be accurate

Special Examinations

- A-27C** Alleged sexual assault, complete assessment
 - A-27E** Cardiac arrest, per hour
 - 1) Where more than one medical practitioner is in attendance, each may bill separately
 - 2) Sections 28 to 30 of these regulations apply
- NOTES:**
- A27F** Sexually transmitted disease, complete work-up