

Coding For Inserting And Removing Progestin Implants In an outpatient setting

The following codes can be used when inserting and removing contraceptive implants in an outpatient setting:

ICD-10 Diagnosis Codes

- Z30.017** Encounter for initial prescription of implantable subdermal contraceptive
- Z30.46** Encounter for surveillance of implantable subdermal contraceptive (includes removal, checking, reinsertion of implant)
- Z32.02** Pregnancy test/exam – negative
- Z30.09** Encounter for other general counseling and advice on contraception

Outpatient Procedure Codes – CPT Codes

- 11981** Insertion, non-biodegradable drug delivery implant
- 11982** Removal, non-biodegradable drug delivery implant
- 11983** Removal, with reinsertion, non-biodegradable drug delivery implant
- 81025** Pregnancy test

Medication Administration Codes – HCPCS

- J7307** Etonogestrel (contraceptive) implant system, including implant and supplies.

Evaluation and Management (E/M) Codes

New (99202 – 99205) and established (99212 – 99215) client code selection is now based on an updated medical decision making (MDM) level OR time. Use the method most appropriate for the care given and results in the highest level code supported in the documentation. For further guidance on using E/M codes, see the [Reproductive Health National Training Center's E/M Job Aid](#).

Coding by MDM: level is based on the highest 2 out of the 3 elements:

Problems	Data	Risk	E/M Code
Minimal	Minimal or none	Minimal risk of morbidity	99202; 99212
Low	Limited	Low risk of morbidity	99203; 99213
Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	99204; 99214
High	Extensive	High risk of morbidity	99205; 99215

Coding by Time

New Patient	Time	Established Patient	Time
99202	15-29 min	99212	10-19 min
99203	30-44 min	99213	20-29 min
99204	45-59 min	99214	30-39 min

99205	60-74 min	99215	40-54 min
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-25 Use this modifier with the appropriate E/M code to indicate that significant and separately identifiable E/M was provided on the same date of service as a procedure

Telehealth Encounter Codes – CPT Codes

-95 Use this modifier with the appropriate E/M code to indicate a real-time audio and video telehealth visit.

Additional Coding Resources

- Reproductive Health National Training Center:
 - [Coding for Telemedicine Visits](#)
 - [Evaluation and Management Codes Job Aid](#)
 - [Elements of Medical Decision Making During Family Planning Visits](#)
- [ACOG LARC Quick Coding Guide](#)