## **Coding for Early Pregnancy Loss Management**

In an outpatient setting

## **ICD-10 Diagnosis Codes**

- **O03.9** Complete or unspecified spontaneous abortion (pregnancy loss) without complication
- **O03.4** Incomplete spontaneous abortion without complication
- **O02.1** Embryonic demise (early fetal death, before 20 weeks gestation)
- **O02.0** Anembryonic pregnancy (blighted ovum)
- **003.80** Unspecified complication following complete or unspecified spontaneous abortion

Please check ICD-10 manual for other codes for spontaneous abortion with complications.

#### **Outpatient Procedure Codes - CPT Codes**

- 59820 Treatment of early pregnancy loss (surgical)
- 59812 Treatment of incomplete pregnancy loss (surgical)
- 64435 Paracervical nerve block
- 99000 Specimen handling
- A4550 Surgical tray
- 90384 Rhogam 300mcg (full dose, for use after 12 weeks gestational age)
- 90385 Micro Rhogam 50mcg (for use before 12 weeks gestational age)

## Ultrasound

- 76817 Transvaginal ultrasound, pregnant uterus
- 76815 Limited ultrasound, pregnant uterus
- 76801 Ultrasound for pregnancy viability, first trimester

#### Medication Administration Codes - HCPCS

J2001 Lidocaine injection

J2210 Methergine (methylergonovine maleate)

\$0191 Misoprostol, oral, 200mcg

**\$0190** Mifepristone, oral, 200 mg (Mifeprex®) (see below for how to order mifepristone)

Almost all payors are now using the S codes for Mifepristone and misoprostol. Each insurance carrier may reimburse for mifepristone using a different code. The name of the drug (mifepristone), the dosage (200 mg), and the 11-digit national drug code (NDC) from the drug package must accompany this claim. In addition, you may need to submit a copy of the drug invoice to show the cost of the drug.

## **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
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# **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

<sup>-25</sup> 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

## Mifepristone (Mifeprex®) Ordering Information

Danco and GenBioPro are currently the only distributors of mifepristone in the United States. To order mifepristone (Mifeprex®) visit their websites <a href="https://genbiopro.com/">www.earlyoptionpill.com</a> and <a href="https://genbiopro.com/">https://genbiopro.com/</a>, respectively.

Some important information to know when ordering mifepristone (Mifeprex®):

- Mifeprex® is only sold directly to clinicians, not directly to commercial pharmacies.
- The first time you place an order for Mifeprex®, you must read and sign a Prescriber Agreement and Account Setup form. The form can be found <a href="here">here</a> from Danco or <a href="here">here</a> from GenBioPro.
- Fax the completed Prescriber Agreement/Account Setup form to the distributor.
- After your account is set up, future orders can be made over the phone by calling the distributor Danco directly at 1-877-432-7596 or GenBioPro at 1-855-643-3463.
- Payment is by credit card or established line of credit.
- Shelf life of Mifeprex® is 18 months.
- Any unused, unopened Mifeprex® pills can be returned to distributor for refund or exchange up to one year after expiration date.
- Discount price available for National Abortion Federation (NAF) members through NAF Group Purchasing. To join NAF, call 202-667-5881 ext. 226.