

### **Telemedicine Services**

### 2022 vs. 2023 National Payment Comparison

*Note:* 2022 conversion factor = \$34.6062; 2023 Revised conversion factor = \$33.8872\*

	Telehealth Visits					
CPT Code	Description	Length of Time	2022 Payment	2023 Payment	Change	
99421		5 – 10 minutes	\$15.23	\$14.91	(\$0.32)	
99422	Online digital evaluation and management service, for an established patient, for up to 7 days, cumulative time during the	11 – 20 minutes	\$29.76	\$29.48	(\$0.28)	
99423	7 days	21 or more minutes	\$48.45	\$47.10	(\$1.35)	

	Telephone (Audio - only) Services					
CPT Code	Description	Length of Time	2022 Payment	2023 Payment	Change	
99441	Telephone evaluation and management service by a physician or other qualified health care professional who may report	5 – 10 min of medical discussion	\$56.75	\$56.25	(\$0.50)	
99442	evaluation and management services provided to an established patient, parent, or guardian not originating from a related E/M service provided within the previous 7 days nor leading to an E/M service or	11 – 20 min of medical discussion	\$ 91.71	\$90.82	(\$0.89)	
99443	procedure within the next 24 hours or soonest available appointment	21 – 30 min of medical discussion	\$ 129.77	\$127.75	(\$2.02)	

	Interprofessional Telepho	ne/Internet/EH	R Consultati	ions	
CPT Code	Description	Length of Time	2022	2023	Change
99446	Interprofessional telephone/Internet/electronic health record assessment and management service provided by a consultative physician, including a verbal and written report to the patient's treating/requesting physician or other qualified health care professional	5-10 minutes of medical consultative discussion and review	Payment \$ 18.69	Payment \$17.96	(\$0.73)
99447		11 – 20 minutes of medical consultative discussion and review	\$ 36.68	\$35.58	(\$1.10)
99448		21 – 30 minutes of medical consultative discussion and review	\$ 55.02	\$54.22	(\$0.80)
99449		31 minutes or more of medical consultative discussion and review	\$ 73.71	\$71.84	(\$1.87)

99451	Interprofessional telephone/Internet/electronic health record assessment and management service provided by a consultative physician, including a written report to the patient's treating/requesting physician or other qualified health care professional	5 minutes or more of medical consultative time	\$ 36.34	\$35.58	(\$0.76)
99452	Interprofessional telephone/Internet/electronic health record referral service(s) provided by a treating/ requesting physician or other qualified health care professional	30 minutes	\$ 37.03	\$33.21	(\$3.82)

Fo	Follow up Inpatient Consultations via Telehealth and Telehealth Consultations (ED, Critical Care)						
HCPCS Code **	Description	2022 Payment	2023 Payment	Change			
G0406	Follow-up inpatient consultation, limited, physicians typically spend 15 minutes communicating with the patient via telehealth	\$38.76	\$41.68	\$2.92			
G0407	Follow-up inpatient consultation, intermediate, physicians typically spend 25 minutes communicating with the patient via telehealth	\$71.29	\$72.52	\$1.23			



G0408	Follow-up inpatient consultation, complex, physicians typically spend 35 minutes communicating with the patient via telehealth	\$102.43	\$105.73	\$3.30
G0425	Telehealth consultation, emergency department or initial inpatient, typically 30 minutes communicating with the patient via telehealth	\$100.70	\$93.19	(\$7.51)
G0426	Telehealth consultation, emergency department or initial inpatient, typically 50 minutes communicating with the patient via telehealth	\$135.31	\$130.80	(\$4.51)
G0427	Telehealth consultation, emergency department or initial inpatient, typically 70 minutes or more communicating with the patient via telehealth	\$198.29	\$186.04	(\$12.25)
G0508	Telehealth consultation, critical care, initial, physicians typically spend 60 minutes communicating with the patient and providers via telehealth	\$210.41	\$206.37	(\$4.04)

<b>G0509</b> Telehealth consultation, critical care, subsequent, physicians typically spend 50 minutes communicating with the patient and providers via telehealth	\$193.10	\$189.43	(\$3.67)	
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\*Original 2023 conversion of \$33.0607 was adjusted to \$33.8872, reflecting a 2.5% positive payment adjustment due to passage of the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2023

\*\*Payments listed in the above table reflect facility global billing. G0406-G0408 and G0425-G0427 are <u>inpatient</u> telehealth follow-up and consultation services. Medicare only pays for these services in a facility setting; these codes are not payable in a non-facility setting. Similarly, the G0508 and G0509 descriptors indicate they are for critical care telehealth consultations and therefore would also only be paid by Medicare in a facility setting and not be payable in a non-facility setting.

	Virtual Check-Ins					
CPT Code	Description	2022 Payment	2023 Payment	Change		
G2010	Remote evaluation of recorded video and/or images submitted by an established patient (e.g., store and forward), including interpretation with follow-up with the patient within 24 business hours, not originating from a related E/M service provided within the previous 7 days nor leading to an E/M service or procedure within the next 24 hours or soonest available appointment	\$12.11	\$12.20	\$0.09		
G2012	Brief communication technology-based service, e.g., virtual check-in, by a physician or other qualified health care professional who can report evaluation and management services, provided to an established patient, not originating from a related E/M service provided within the previous 7 days nor leading to an E/M service or procedure within the next 24 hours or soonest available appointment: 5-10 minutes of medical discussion	\$14.53	\$14.23	(\$0.30)		
G2250	Remote assessment of recorded video and/or images submitted by an established patient (e.g., store and forward), including interpretation with follow-up with the patient within 24 business hours, not originating from a related service provided within the previous 7 days nor leading to a service or procedure within the next 24 hours or soonest available appointment	\$12.11	\$12.20	\$0.09		

G2251	Brief communication technology-based service, e.g., virtual check-in, by a qualified health care professional who cannot report evaluation and management services, provided to an established patient, not originating from a related e/m service provided within the previous 7 days nor leading to a service or procedure within the next 24 hours or soonest available appointment: 5-10 minutes of medical discussion	\$14.53	\$14.23	(\$0.30)
G2252	Brief communication technology-based service, e.g., virtual check-in, by a physician or other qualified health care professional who can report evaluation and management services, provided to an established patient, not originating from a related E/M service provided within the previous 7 days nor leading to an E/M service or procedure within the next 24 hours or soonest available appointment; 11-20 minutes of medical discussion	\$ 28.03	\$26.77	(\$1.26)

	Online Assessments (Replaced G2061 – G2063)						
CPT Code	Description	Length of Time	2022 Payment	2023 Payment	Change		
98970	Qualified non-physician healthcare	5 – 10 minutes	\$ 11.77	\$11.52	(\$0.25)		
98971	professional online assessment and management service, for an established patient, for up to seven days, cumulative time during the 7 days	11 – 20 minutes	\$ 20.76	\$20.33	(\$0.43)		
98972		21 or more minutes	\$ 32.18	\$31.18	(\$1.00)		

Remote Physiological Monitoring					
CPT Code	Description	2022 Payment	2023 Payment	Change	
99091	Collection and interpretation of physiologic data digitally stored and/or transmitted by the patient and/or caregiver to the physician or other qualified health care professional, qualified by education, training, licensure/regulation requiring a minimum of 30 minutes of time, each 30 days	\$54.22	\$52.90	(\$2.19)	
99453	Remote monitoring of physiologic parameter(s) (e.g., weight, blood pressure, pulse oximetry, respiratory flow rate), initial; set-up and patient education on use of equipment (PE only)	\$19.03	\$19.32	\$0.29	
99454	Remote monitoring of physiologic parameter(s) (e.g., weight, blood pressure, pulse oximetry, respiratory flow rate), initial; device(s) supply with daily recording(s) or programmed alert(s) transmission, each 30 days (PE only)	\$55.72	\$50.15	(\$5.57)	
99457	Remote physiologic monitoring treatment management services, clinical staff /physician/other qualified health care professional time in a calendar month requiring interactive communication with the patient/caregiver during the month; first 20 minutes	\$50.18	\$48.80	(\$1.38)	
99458	each additional 20 minutes (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	\$40.84	\$39.65	(\$1.19)	

Remote Therapeutic Monitoring					
CPT Code	Description	2022 Payment	2023 Payment	Change	
98975	Remote therapeutic monitoring (eg, therapy adherence, therapy response); initial set-up and patient education on use of equipment	\$19.38	\$19.32	(\$0.06)	
98976	device(s) supply with scheduled (eg, daily) recording(s) and/or programmed alert(s) transmission to monitor respiratory system, each 30 days	\$55.72	\$50.15	(\$5.57)	
98977	device(s) supply with scheduled (eg, daily) recording(s) and/or programmed alert(s) transmission to monitor musculoskeletal system, each 30 days	\$55.72	\$50.15	(\$5.57)	
98978	device(s) supply with scheduled (eg, daily) recording(s) and/or programmed alert(s) transmission to monitor cognitive behavioral therapy, each 30 days	N/A	N/A	N/A	
98980	Remote therapeutic monitoring treatment management services, physician or other qualified health care professional time in a calendar month requiring at least one interactive communication with the patient or caregiver during the calendar month; first 20 minutes	\$50.18	\$49.48	(\$0.70)	
98981	each additional 20 minutes (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	\$40.84	\$39.65	(\$1.19)	



### 2022 vs. 2023 Relative Value Unit Comparison

	Telehealth Visits					
CPT Code	Description	Length of Time	2022 RVUs	2023 RVUs	Change	
99421		5-10 minutes	0.44	0.44	0.00	
99422	Online digital evaluation and management service, for an established patient, for up to 7 days, cumulative time	11 – 20 minutes	0.86	0.87	0.01	
99423	during the 7 days	21 or more minutes	1.4	1.39	(0.01)	

	Telephone (Audio-only) Services					
CPT Code	Description	Length of Time	2022 RVUs	2023 RVUs	Change	
99441	Telephone evaluation and management service by a physician or other qualified health care professional who may report	5 – 10 min of medical discussion	1.64	1.66	0.02	
99442	evaluation and management services provided to an established patient, parent, or guardian not originating from a related E/M service provided within the previous	11 – 20 min of medical discussion	2.65	2.68	0.03	
99443	7 days nor leading to an E/M service or procedure within the next 24 hours or soonest available appointment	21 – 30 min of medical discussion	3.75	3.77	0.02	

	Interprofessional Telephone/In	ternet/EHR Co	onsultatio	ns	
CPT	Description	Length of	2022	2023	Change
Code 99446		Time 5-10 minutes of medical consultative discussion and review	<b>RVUs</b>	<b>RVUs</b>	(0.01)
99447	Interprofessional telephone/Internet/electronic health record assessment and management service provided by a consultative	11 – 20 minutes of medical consultative discussion and review	1.06	1.05	(0.01)
99448	physician, including a verbal and written report to the patient's treating/requesting physician or other qualified health care professional	21 – 30 minutes of medical consultative discussion and review	1.59	1.6	0.01
99449		31 minutes or more of medical consultative discussion and review	2.13	2.12	(0.01)
99451	Interprofessional telephone/Internet/electronic health record assessment and management service provided by a consultative physician, including a written report to the patient's treating/requesting physician or other qualified health care professional	5 minutes or more of medical consultative time	1.05	1.05	0.00
99452	Interprofessional telephone/Internet/electronic health record referral service(s) provided by a treating/ requesting physician or other qualified health care professional	30 minutes	1.07	0.98	(0.09)

Follow up Inpatient Consultations via Telehealth and Telehealth Consultations (ED, Critical Care)				
HCPCS Code	Description	2022 RVUs	2023 RVUs	Change
G0406	Follow-up inpatient consultation, limited, physicians typically spend 15 minutes communicating with the patient via telehealth	1.12	1.23	0.11
G0407	Follow-up inpatient consultation, intermediate, physicians typically spend 25 minutes communicating with the patient via telehealth	2.06	2.14	0.08
G0408	Follow-up inpatient consultation, complex, physicians typically spend 35 minutes communicating with the patient via telehealth	2.96	3.12	0.16
G0425	Telehealth consultation, emergency department or initial inpatient, typically 30 minutes communicating with the patient via telehealth	2.91	2.75	(0.16)
G0426	Telehealth consultation, emergency department or initial inpatient, typically 50 minutes communicating with the patient via telehealth	3.91	3.86	(0.05)
G0427	Telehealth consultation, emergency department or initial inpatient, typically 70 minutes or more communicating with the patient via telehealth	5.73	5.49	(0.24)
G0508	Telehealth consultation, critical care, initial, physicians typically spend 60 minutes communicating with the patient and providers via telehealth	6.08	6.09	0.01
G0509	Telehealth consultation, critical care, subsequent, physicians typically spend 50 minutes communicating with the patient and providers via telehealth	5.58	5.59	0.01

\*RVUs listed in the above table reflect facility global billing.

Virtual Check-Ins				
CPT Code	Description	2022 RVUs	2023 RVUs	Change
G2010	Remote evaluation of recorded video and/or images submitted by an established patient (e.g., store and forward), including interpretation with follow-up with the patient within 24 business hours, not originating from a related E/M service provided within the previous 7 days nor leading to an E/M service or procedure within the next 24 hours or soonest available appointment	0.35	0.36	0.01
G2012	Brief communication technology-based service, e.g., virtual check-in, by a physician or other qualified health care professional who can report evaluation and management services, provided to an established patient, not originating from a related E/M service provided within the previous 7 days nor leading to an E/M service or procedure within the next 24 hours or soonest available appointment; 5-10 minutes of medical discussion	0.42	0.42	0.00
G2250	Remote assessment of recorded video and/or images submitted by an established patient (e.g., store and forward), including interpretation with follow-up with the patient within 24 business hours, not originating from a related service provided within the previous 7 days nor leading to a service or procedure within the next 24 hours or soonest available appointment	0.35	0.36	0.01
G2251	Brief communication technology-based service, e.g. virtual check-in, by a qualified health care professional who cannot report evaluation and management services, provided to an established patient, not originating from a related e/m service provided within the previous 7 days nor leading to a service or procedure within the next 24 hours or soonest available appointment; 5-10 minutes of medical discussion	0.42	0.42	0.00

G2252	Brief communication technology-based service, e.g. virtual check-in, by a physician or other qualified health care professional who can report evaluation and management services, provided to an established patient, not originating from a related E/M service provided within the previous 7 days nor leading to an E/M service or procedure within the next 24 hours or soonest available appointment; 11-20 minutes of medical discussion	0.81	0.79	(0.02)
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	Online Assessments (Replaced G2061 – G2063)					
CPT Code	Description	Length of Time	2022 RVUs	2023 RVUs	Change	
98970		5-10 minutes	0.34	0.34	0.00	
98971	Qualified nonphysician health care professional online digital assessment	11-20 minutes	0.60	0.60	0.00	
98972	and management, for an established patient, for up to 7 days, cumulative time during the 7 days	21 or more minutes	0.93	0.92	(0.01)	

Remote Physiological Monitoring						
CPT Code	Description	2022 RVUs	2023 RVUs	Change		
99091	Collection and interpretation of physiologic data digitally stored and/or transmitted by the patient and/or caregiver to the physician or other qualified health care professional, qualified by education, training, licensure/regulation requiring a minimum of 30 minutes of time, each 30 days	1.63	1.60	(0.03)		
99453	Remote monitoring of physiologic parameter(s) (e.g., weight, blood pressure, pulse oximetry, respiratory flow rate), initial; set-up and patient education on use of equipment (PE only)	0.55	0.57	0.02		
99454	Remote monitoring of physiologic parameter(s) (e.g., weight, blood pressure, pulse oximetry, respiratory flow rate),	1.61	1.48	(0.13)		

	initial; device(s) supply with daily recording(s) or programmed alert(s) transmission, each 30 days (PE only)			
99457	Remote physiologic monitoring treatment management services, clinical staff /physician/other qualified health care professional time in a calendar month requiring interactive communication with the patient/caregiver during the month; first 20 minutes	1.45	1.44	(0.01)
99458	each additional 20 minutes (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	1.18	1.17	(0.01)

	Remote Therapeutic Monitoring					
CPT Code	Description	2022 RVUs	2023 RVUs	Change		
98975	Remote therapeutic monitoring (eg, therapy adherence, therapy response); initial set-up and patient education on use of equipment	0.56	0.57	0.01		
98976	device(s) supply with scheduled (eg, daily) recording(s) and/or programmed alert(s) transmission to monitor respiratory system, each 30 days	1.61	1.48	(0.13)		
98977	device(s) supply with scheduled (eg, daily) recording(s) and/or programmed alert(s) transmission to monitor musculoskeletal system, each 30 days	1.61	1.48	(0.13)		
98978	device(s) supply with scheduled (eg, daily) recording(s) and/or programmed alert(s) transmission to monitor cognitive behavioral therapy, each 30 days	N/A	N/A	N/A		
98980	Remote therapeutic monitoring treatment management services, physician or other qualified health care professional time in a calendar month requiring at least one interactive communication with the patient or caregiver during the calendar month; first 20 minutes	1.45	1.46	0.01		

98981	each additional 20 minutes (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	1.18	1.17	(0.01)
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