

PROVIDER ALERT

Updated Fee Schedules for E&M Codes Effective January 1, 2021

June 4, 2021

Target Audience: All Providers

We are advising providers that the posted [fee schedules](#) listed below have been updated with Evaluation and Management (E&M) rates that went into effect on January 1, 2021.

Specifically, please note that 99201 is no longer a billable code as of January 1, 2021. Claims that were submitted and paid, will be retracted (if not already) or providers can submit a void for each outstanding paid 99201 claim and submit a claim for a service corresponding to the appropriate E&M code. Providers can use the following resources for guidance on E&M code changes: [Summary-of-New-CMS-2021-Physician-Fee-Schedule.pdf](#) (thenationalcouncil.org).

In addition, for details on the new documentation standards please visit: <https://www.thenationalcouncil.org/webinars/mtm-services-are-you-ready-to-utilize-new-evaluation-management-codes-effective-january-1/>

Fee schedule updates were made as of April 22, 2021, and providers should have seen claims paying at the 2021 rates posted.

Click each item to view the full document regarding updated fee schedules:

- [Individual Practitioner and OMHC Rates](#)
- [Gambling Fee Schedule](#)
- [SUD Fee Schedule](#)
- [SUD-Gambling Fee Schedule](#)

Thank you,

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