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| **Policy Statement** | Per *Current Procedural Terminology* (CPT), Physicians should report evaluation and management (E/M) CPT codes 99201-99499 instead of the following nonphysician health care professional medicine codes:  
  - Medical Genetics and Genetic Counseling Services, CPT code 96040  
    Note: 96040 is eligible for reimbursement to Genetic Counselor providers only.  
  - Health and Behavior Assessment/Intervention, CPT codes 96150-96155, 96160-96161  
  - Medical Nutrition Therapy, CPT codes 97802-97804 and HCPCS codes G0270-G0271  
  - Education and Training for Patient Self-Management, CPT codes 98960-98962  
  - Medication therapy management service(s) provided by a pharmacist, CPT codes 99605-99607  
  If these services are reported by physicians, they will be denied. |
| **Code List** | Nonphysician Health Care Codes List |
| **Resources** |  
  - Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) |
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