
Cardiology Billing Examples:-- CMS-1500

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This section is to assist providers in completing the *CMS-1500* claim form for cardiology procedures. Refer to the *Cardiology* section of this manual for detailed policy information. Refer to the *CMS-1500 Completion* section of this manual for instructions to complete claim fields not explained in the following examples. For additional claim preparation information, refer to the *Forms: Legibility and Completion Standards* section of this manual.

Billing Tips:

When completing claims, do not enter the decimal points in ICD-10-CM codes or dollar amounts. If requested information does not fit neatly in the *Additional Claim Information* field (Box 19) of the claim, type it on an 8½ x 11-inch sheet of paper and attach it to the claim.

Transesophageal Echocardiography Professional and Technical Components Rendered by Same Provider

Figure 1. Transesophageal Echocardiography both professional and technical component services indicated by billing on one line without a modifier

This is a sample only. Please adapt to your billing situation.

In this example, a provider has performed a Transesophageal Echocardiography (TEE) for a recipient, and has rendered both the professional component (placement of transesophageal probe) and the technical component (image acquisition, interpretation and report) of the service. Because both components were rendered by the same provider, CPT® code 93312 is entered on a single claim line without a modifier.

Because this claim is submitted with a diagnosis code, an ICD indicator is required between the dotted lines in the *ICD Ind.* area of Box 21. An indicator is required only when an ICD-10-CM/PCS code is entered on the claim.

HEALTH INSURANCE CLAIM FORM											
APPROVED BY NATIONAL UNIFORM CLAIM COMMITTEE (NUCC) 02/12											
<input type="checkbox"/> PICA 1. MEDICARE <input type="checkbox"/> (Medicare#) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MEDICAID <input type="checkbox"/> (Medicaid#) <input type="checkbox"/> TRICARE <input type="checkbox"/> (ID#/DoD#) <input type="checkbox"/> CHAMPVA <input type="checkbox"/> (Member ID#) <input type="checkbox"/> GROUP HEALTH PLAN <input type="checkbox"/> (ID#) <input type="checkbox"/> FECA BLK LUNG <input type="checkbox"/> (ID#) <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER <input type="checkbox"/> (ID#)										1a. INSURED'S I.D. NUMBER (For Program in Item 1) 90000000A95001	
2. PATIENT'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial) DOE, JOHN				3. PATIENT'S BIRTH DATE MM DD YY 06 21 62 SEX <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F				4. INSURED'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial)			
5. PATIENT'S ADDRESS (No., Street) 1234 MAIN STREET				6. PATIENT RELATIONSHIP TO INSURED Self <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Child <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>				7. INSURED'S ADDRESS (No., Street)			
CITY ANYTOWN		STATE CA		8. RESERVED FOR NUCC USE				CITY		STATE	
ZIP CODE 958235555		TELEPHONE (Include Area Code) (916) 555-5555						ZIP CODE		TELEPHONE (Include Area Code)	
9. OTHER INSURED'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial)				10. IS PATIENT'S CONDITION RELATED TO:				11. INSURED'S POLICY GROUP OR FECA NUMBER			
a. OTHER INSURED'S POLICY OR GROUP NUMBER				a. EMPLOYMENT? (Current or Previous) <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO				a. INSURED'S DATE OF BIRTH MM DD YY M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>			
b. RESERVED FOR NUCC USE				b. AUTO ACCIDENT? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO PLACE (State)				b. OTHER CLAIM ID (Designated by NUCC)			
c. RESERVED FOR NUCC USE				c. OTHER ACCIDENT? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO				c. INSURANCE PLAN NAME OR PROGRAM NAME			
d. INSURANCE PLAN NAME OR PROGRAM NAME				10d. CLAIM CODES (Designated by NUCC)				d. IS THERE ANOTHER HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <i>If yes, complete items 9, 9a, and 9d.</i>			
READ BACK OF FORM BEFORE COMPLETING & SIGNING THIS FORM.											
12. PATIENT'S OR AUTHORIZED PERSON'S SIGNATURE I authorize the release of any medical or other information necessary to process this claim. I also request payment of government benefits either to myself or to the party who accepts assignment below.						13. INSURED'S OR AUTHORIZED PERSON'S SIGNATURE I authorize payment of medical benefits to the undersigned physician or supplier for services described below.					
SIGNED _____ DATE _____						SIGNED _____					
14. DATE OF CURRENT ILLNESS, INJURY, or PREGNANCY (LMP) MM DD YY _____ QUAL. _____				15. OTHER DATE MM DD YY _____ QUAL. _____				16. DATES PATIENT UNABLE TO WORK IN CURRENT OCCUPATION FROM MM DD YY _____ TO MM DD YY _____			
17. NAME OF REFERRING PROVIDER OR OTHER SOURCE				17a. _____		17b. NPI _____		18. HOSPITALIZATION DATES RELATED TO CURRENT SERVICES FROM MM DD YY _____ TO MM DD YY _____			
19. ADDITIONAL CLAIM INFORMATION (Designated by NUCC)						20. OUTSIDE LAB? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO \$ CHARGES _____					
21. DIAGNOSIS OR NATURE OF ILLNESS OR INJURY Relate A-L to service line below (24E) ICD Ind. 0						22. RESUBMISSION CODE _____ ORIGINAL REF. NO. _____					
A. D1D1D1D		B. _____		C. _____		D. _____		23. PRIOR AUTHORIZATION NUMBER			
E. _____		F. _____		G. _____		H. _____					
I. _____		J. _____		K. _____		L. _____					
24. A. DATE(S) OF SERVICE From MM DD YY _____ To MM DD YY _____		B. PLACE OF SERVICE EMG		C. _____		D. PROCEDURES, SERVICES, OR SUPPLIES (Explain Unusual Circumstances) CPT/HCPCS _____ MODIFIER _____		E. DIAGNOSIS POINTER		F. \$ CHARGES	
1 10 01 15		22				93312		15574		NPI	
2										NPI	
3										NPI	
4										NPI	
5										NPI	
6										NPI	
25. FEDERAL TAX I.D. NUMBER		SSN EIN <input type="checkbox"/>		26. PATIENT'S ACCOUNT NO.		27. ACCEPT ASSIGNMENT? (For govt. claims, see back) <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO		28. TOTAL CHARGE \$ 15574		29. AMOUNT PAID \$	
31. SIGNATURE OF PHYSICIAN OR SUPPLIER INCLUDING DEGREES OR CREDENTIALS (I certify that the statements on the reverse apply to this bill and are made a part thereof.) <i>Jane Doe</i>				32. SERVICE FACILITY LOCATION INFORMATION a. NPI b. _____				33. BILLING PROVIDER INFO & PH # (916) 555-5555 JANE SMITH 1027 MAIN STREET ANYTOWN CA 958235555 a. 0123456789 b. _____			
SIGNED _____ DATE 10/02/15											

Figure 1: Transesophageal Echocardiography Professional and Technical Component Services .

Transesophageal Echocardiography Professional Component Only

Figure 2. Transesophageal Echocardiography professional component only indicated by modifier 26.

This is a sample only. Please adapt to your billing situation.

In this example, a provider has performed a Transesophageal Echocardiography (TEE) for a recipient, and has rendered only the professional component of the service. This service is indicated using CPT code 93315 and modifier 26 on the claim line.

Because this claim is submitted with a diagnosis code, an ICD indicator is required between the dotted lines in the *ICD Ind.* area of Box 21. An indicator is required only when an ICD-10-CM/PCS code is entered on the claim.

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2. PATIENT'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial) DOE, JOHN		3. PATIENT'S BIRTH DATE SEX 06 21 62 M <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>	
5. PATIENT'S ADDRESS (No., Street) 1234 MAIN STREET		6. PATIENT RELATIONSHIP TO INSURED Self <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Child <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	
CITY STATE ANYTOWN CA		7. INSURED'S ADDRESS (No., Street) CITY STATE	
ZIP CODE TELEPHONE (Include Area Code) 958235555 (916) 555-5555		ZIP CODE TELEPHONE (Include Area Code) ()	
9. OTHER INSURED'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial)		10. IS PATIENT'S CONDITION RELATED TO:	
a. OTHER INSURED'S POLICY OR GROUP NUMBER		a. EMPLOYMENT? (Current or Previous) <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	
b. RESERVED FOR NUCC USE		b. AUTO ACCIDENT? PLACE (State) <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
c. RESERVED FOR NUCC USE		c. OTHER ACCIDENT? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
d. INSURANCE PLAN NAME OR PROGRAM NAME		10d. CLAIM CODES (Designated by NUCC)	
READ BACK OF FORM BEFORE COMPLETING & SIGNING THIS FORM.		11. INSURED'S POLICY GROUP OR FECA NUMBER a. INSURED'S DATE OF BIRTH SEX MM DD YY M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>	
12. PATIENT'S OR AUTHORIZED PERSON'S SIGNATURE I authorize the release of any medical or other information necessary to process this claim. I also request payment of government benefits either to myself or to the party who accepts assignment below.		b. OTHER CLAIM ID (Designated by NUCC)	
SIGNED _____ DATE _____		c. INSURANCE PLAN NAME OR PROGRAM NAME	
14. DATE OF CURRENT ILLNESS, INJURY, or PREGNANCY (LMP) MM DD YY QUAL.		d. IS THERE ANOTHER HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <i>If yes, complete items 9, 9a, and 9d.</i>	
15. OTHER DATE MM DD YY QUAL.		13. INSURED'S OR AUTHORIZED PERSON'S SIGNATURE I authorize payment of medical benefits to the undersigned physician or supplier for services described below.	
17. NAME OF REFERRING PROVIDER OR OTHER SOURCE		SIGNED _____	
17a. 17b. NPI		16. DATES PATIENT UNABLE TO WORK IN CURRENT OCCUPATION FROM MM DD YY TO MM DD YY	
19. ADDITIONAL CLAIM INFORMATION (Designated by NUCC)		18. HOSPITALIZATION DATES RELATED TO CURRENT SERVICES FROM MM DD YY TO MM DD YY	
21. DIAGNOSIS OR NATURE OF ILLNESS OR INJURY Relate A-L to service line below (24E) ICD Ind. 0		20. OUTSIDE LAB? \$ CHARGES <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
A. D1D1D1D B. _____ C. _____ D. _____		22. RESUBMISSION CODE ORIGINAL REF. NO.	
E. _____ F. _____ G. _____ H. _____		23. PRIOR AUTHORIZATION NUMBER	
I. _____ J. _____ K. _____ L. _____		F. \$ CHARGES G. DAYS CRT UNITS H. EP/SDT Family Plan I. ID. QUAL. J. RENDERING PROVIDER ID. #	
24. A. DATE(S) OF SERVICE B. PLACE OF SERVICE C. EMG D. PROCEDURES, SERVICES, OR SUPPLIES (Explain Unusual Circumstances) CPT/HCPCS E. DIAGNOSIS POINTER		1 10 01 15 22 93315 26 6415 NPI	
25. FEDERAL TAX I.D. NUMBER SSN EIN		2 _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ NPI	
26. PATIENT'S ACCOUNT NO. 27. ACCEPT ASSIGNMENT? (For gov. claims, see back) <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO		3 _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ NPI	
28. TOTAL CHARGE 29. AMOUNT PAID 30. Rsvd for NUCC Use		4 _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ NPI	
\$ 6415 \$ _____		5 _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ NPI	
31. SIGNATURE OF PHYSICIAN OR SUPPLIER INCLUDING DEGREES OR CREDENTIALS (I certify that the statements on the reverse apply to this bill and are made a part thereof.) SIGNED <i>Jane Doe</i> DATE 10/02/15		6 _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ NPI	
32. SERVICE FACILITY LOCATION INFORMATION a. NPI b. _____		33. BILLING PROVIDER INFO & PH # (916) 555-5555 JANE SMITH 1027 MAIN STREET ANYTOWN CA 958235555	
a. 0123456789 b. _____		_____	

Figure 2: Transesophageal Echocardiography Professional Component Service Indicated by Modifier 26

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