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CRITICAL CARE						
You are managing patient during time reported. No history or Exam required. Document system failure, your action and time involved directing care						
30-74 minutes						
Each additional 30 minutes						
TIME-BASED REPORTING DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS						
1. Document and code total duration of floor-time spent dedicated to the patient						
2. Document content/detail of discussion/coordination that occurred						
3. Time-based reporting cannot be captured by residents						

PROLONGED SERVICES							
CODE	PATIENT CONTACT	MINIMUM REPORTABLE PROLONGED SERVICE TIME (SINGLE DATE OF SERVICE)	USE IN CONJUNCTION WITH	DO NOT REPORT WITH	OTHER PROLONGED SERVICES REPORTABLE ON THE SAME DATE OF SERVICE		
99358	Non- face- to- face ONLY	First 60 minutes	Must relate to a service in which face-to-face has or will occur. This is not an add on code and is not used in conjunction with a base code	On same date of service: 99202-99205, 99212-99215 99221-99223 99231-99236 99242-99245 99252-99255 99281-99285 99304-99310 99341,99342,99344,99345 99347,99348,99349,99350 99417,99418,99483	NA		
99359	Non- face- to- face ONLY	Each additional 30 minutes (beyond the time assigned in code 99358)	99358	On same date of service: 99202-99205, 99212-99215 99221-99223 99231-99236 99242-99245 99252-99255 99281-99285 99304-99310 99341,99342,99344,99345 99347,99348,99349,99350 99417,99418,99483	NA		
99415	Face-to-face only	First 60 minutes	99202-99205 99212-99215	99417	99358 99359 99418		
99416	Face-to-face only	Each additional 30 minutes (beyond the time assigned in code 99415)	99415	99417	99358 99359 99418		
99417	Face-to-face and/or non-face- to-face	Reported with 99205:75 minutes or more Reported with 99215:55 minutes or more Total time on the Date of the encounter	99205,99215 99245,99345 99350,99483	On the same date of service: 90833,90836 90838,99358 99569,99415,99416	99418		
99418	Face-to-face and/or non-face- to-face	Reported with 99283:85 minutes or more Reported with 99310:50 minutes or more Total time on the Date of the encounter	99223,99233 99236,99255 99306,99310	On the same date of service: 90833,90836 90838,99358,99359	99415 99416 99417		
			DISCHARGE SER	VICES			
Same Day Discharge Management- Time must be documented-Requires at least two encounters on the same date, of which one is the initial admission, and another is the discharge.							
99234 99235 99236							
.,	Hospital inpatient or observation discharge day management – On the date of service					70 mins	
99238 99239						<30 mins > 30 mins	

