

mdwizards E/M Wizard

Evaluation and Management Coding

Assign E & M codes with confidence

Evaluation and management (E/M) coding routinely presents difficult challenges when determining accurate coding from a wide range of choices. As a result, providers tend to make more E/M coding mistakes than with any other item or service. The E/M Wizard removes guesswork or uncertainty from the coding process while helping to quickly and efficiently calculate E/M codes to the highest appropriate level. An excellent provider auditing and educational tool, this product works to effectively complete required patient encounter documentation.

The top screenshot shows the 'Evaluation and Management Wizard - '95 Guidelines' interface. It includes a navigation menu on the left with options like 'New E/M '95', 'Load E/M Encounter', and 'E/M Reports'. The main form has a header with 'Welcome Jessica Bailey' and 'Log Out'. Below this, there are dropdown menus for 'Category: Outpatient and Other Visits' and 'Sub-category: New Patient'. Fields for 'Provider: LISA BERGER', 'Patient Name: Joe Smith', and 'Date: 10/03/2013' are visible, along with 'E&M Submitted: 99205' and a 'Calculate' button. The form is divided into three sections: 'History', 'Examination', and 'Medical Decision Making'. Each section contains several checkboxes for various components like 'Location', 'Timing', 'Quality', 'Severity', 'Duration', 'Associated Signs And Symptoms', 'Past Medical History', 'Family Medical History', 'Social History', 'Constitutional Symptoms', 'Cardiovascular', 'Eyes', 'Endocrine', 'Genitourinary', 'Neurological', 'Ear, Nose, Mouth and Throat', 'Skin and/or Breast', 'Allergy / Immunologic', 'Respiratory', 'Gastrointestinal', 'Musculoskeletal', 'Psychiatric', and 'Hematologic / Lymphatic'. There is also an 'All others negative' checkbox.

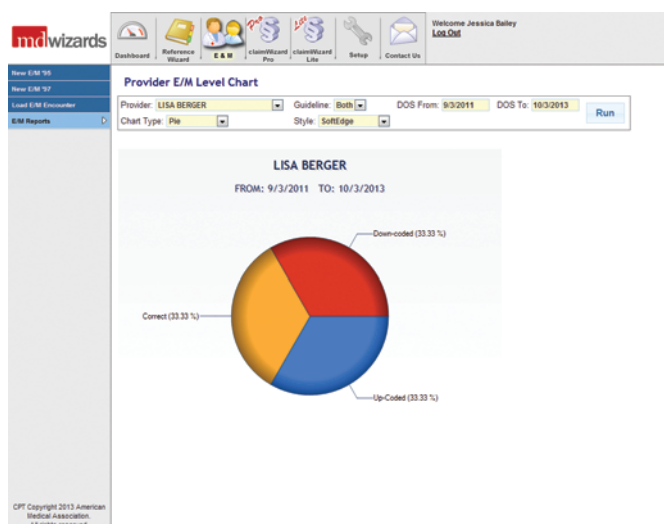
The bottom screenshot shows the 'E/M '95 Calculation Result' window. It displays the following information: 'Category: Outpatient and Other Visits: New Patient', 'Submitted Code: 99205 Correct', 'Calculated Code: 99205', and 'Code Description: OFFICE OUTPATIENT NEW 60 MINUTES'. The 'Long Description' states: 'Office or other outpatient visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these 3 key components: A comprehensive history; A comprehensive examination; Medical decision making of high complexity. Counseling and/or coordination of care with other physicians, other qualified health care professionals, or agencies is provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the presenting problem(s) are of moderate to high severity. Typically, 60 minutes are spent face-to-face with the patient and/or family.' Below this, there are summary tables for 'History', 'Examination', and 'Medical Decision Making'. The 'History' table shows 'HPI: Extended', 'ROS: Complete', 'PFSH: Complete', and 'TOTAL: Comprehensive'. The 'Examination' table shows 'TOTAL: Comprehensive'. The 'Medical Decision Making' table shows 'Diagnose: Extensive', 'Complexity: Extensive', 'Risk: Moderate', and 'TOTAL: High Complexity'. There are 'Close' and 'Save' buttons at the bottom right.

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E/M Wizard, a smart, web-based application, greatly enhances requisite medical documentation through patient chart verification while assuring correct compliance coding with claims submissions. Instilling confidence that the most appropriate and highest level E/M code is submitted, the E/M Wizard works to avoid up- or down-coding leading of the highest possible reimbursement rates and complete confidence in the face of potential audit.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Choice of utilizing 1995 or 1997 official guidelines
- Automatically assigns the highest appropriate E/M level with certainty and confidence
- Easy-to-use templates which remove guesswork and uncertainty from the E/M coding process
- Increase revenue by reducing the number of denied claims
- Maximizes time by encouraging efficient documentation practices
- Ensures coding compliance with CMS and AMA guidelines
- Eliminates down or up-coding limiting audit exposure
- Enhances efficiency and profit
- Keep Evaluation and Management encounter history
- Compare calculated code to the code submitted and receive a flag for up-, or down-coding
- Generation of reports denoting documentation which validates codes calculated
- Customizable appearance of the Provider E/M Level Chart
- The product includes automatic updates and upgrades



MAIN FEATURES

- Web based
- Posts the assigned procedure code with associated long and short procedure descriptions
- Save and Open '95 and '97 encounters
- Auditing and reporting capability for under/over-coding
- Ability to appropriately select from an array of Evaluation and Management services
- Calculates total history examination and medical decision-making levels
- Results include history of present illness, review of symptoms, medical-family-social history, diagnosis, complexity and risk levels
- Customizable provider E/M Level Chart available in several different variations
- Aggregate E/M Report per period and provider
- Original coding documentation for 1995 and 1997 CMS and the latest AMA Guidelines included
- Evaluation and Management coding documentation by TrailBlazer and Highmark

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