

MDM	CPT Code	MDM Elements	Time (Mins)
N/A	99211 (established)	N/A	N/A
Straightforward	99202 (New) 99212 (established)	Problems: 1 self-limited or minor Data Complexity: Minimal Morbidity: Minimal	15-29
Low	99203 (New) 99213 (established)	Problems: Low <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2 or more self-limited or minor problems; or ▪ 1 stable chronic illness; or ▪ 1 acute, uncomplicated illness or injury Data Complexity: Must meet one of the categories below. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Category 1: Tests and documents. Any combination of 2 from the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review of prior external note(s) from each unique source; • review of the result(s) of each unique test; • ordering of each unique test ▪ Category 2: Assessment requiring an independent historian(s) <i>(For the categories of independent interpretation of tests and discussion of management or test interpretation, see moderate or high)</i> Morbidity: Low risk of morbidity from additional diagnostic testing or treatment	30-44
Moderate	99204 (new) 99214 (established)	Problems: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 1 or more chronic illnesses with exacerbation, progression, or side effects of treatment; or ▪ 2 or more stable chronic illnesses; or ▪ 1 undiagnosed new problem with uncertain prognosis, or ▪ 1 acute illness with systemic symptoms; or ▪ 1 acute complicated injury Data Complexity: Must meet one of the categories below. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Category 1: Tests, documents, or independent historian(s). Must be any combination of 3 from the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review of prior external note(s) from each unique source; • Review of the result(s) of each unique test; • Ordering of each unique test; • Assessment requiring an independent historian(s) 	45-59

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Category 2: Independent interpretation of tests another physician/other qualified health care professional (not separately reported); ▪ Category 3: Discussion of management or test interpretation with external physician/other qualified health care professional\appropriate source (not separately reported) <p>Morbidity: Moderate risk</p>	
High	99205 (New) 99215 (established)	<p>Problems:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 1 or more chronic illnesses with severe exacerbation, progression, or side effects of treatment; or ▪ 1 acute or chronic illness or injury that poses a threat to life or bodily function <p>Data Complexity: Must meet one of the categories below.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Category 1: Tests, documents, or independent historian(s). Must be any combination of 3 from the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Review of prior external note(s) from each unique source; ▪ Review of the result(s) of each unique test; ▪ Ordering of each unique test; ▪ Assessment requiring an independent historian(s) ▪ Category 2: Independent interpretation of tests performed by another physician/other qualified health care professional (not separately reported); ▪ Category 3: Discussion of management or test interpretation with external physician/other qualified health care professional/appropriate source (not separately reported) <p>Morbidity: High Risk</p>	60-74