

Prolonged, After Hours and Weekend Services

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Issuing Department: Claims

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COMPLIANCE STATEMENT:

Enforcement:	All members of the workforce are responsible for compliance with this policy. Failure to abide by the requirements of this policy may result in corrective action, up to and including termination. Workforce members are responsible for reporting any observed violations of this policy.
Review Schedule:	This policy will be reviewed and updated as necessary and no less than every two years.
Monitoring and Auditing:	The Issuing/Collaborating Department(s) is responsible for monitoring compliance with this policy.
Documentation:	Documentation related to this policy must be maintained for a minimum of 10 years.

Applies to:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SummaCare | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Apex |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Summa Health Management Company | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Summa Insurance Company |

Line of Business:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commercial Groups | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Medicare |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Medicare Supplemental | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On-Exchange |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Off-Exchange | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self-Funded |

1.0 Purpose:

- 1.1 To provide payment information related to prolonged, after hours and weekend services.

2.0 Policy:

- 2.1 Payment for prolonged, after hours and weekend services are included in the evaluation and management codes billed on the same date of service by the same provider.

3.0 Procedure:

- 3.1 SummaCare does not provide separate reimbursement for procedures associated with additional time, intensity or complexity of the evaluation and management visit. This includes but is not limited to the following codes: G2211, and 99050 - 99060

4.0 References:

- 4.1 Source of the policy (regulatory citation, accreditation standard, internal standard)
- 4.1.1 Internal standard
- 4.2 Are there any references to other documents, regulations, or intranet locations?
- 4.2.1 None
- 4.3 Are there other policies that work in conjunction with this policy?
- 4.3.1 None

5.0 Definitions:

- 5.1 None

6.0 Key Words or Aliases (Optional):

- 5.2 Prolonged, after hours, weekend

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