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How Much Do You Know About Outpatient E/M Codes?

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Part A:

Match the terms in Column A with the definitions in Column B

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<th>Column A</th>
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<tr>
<td>99204</td>
<td>1. One body area or organ system documented</td>
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<td>Problem-Focused Exam</td>
<td>2. A level 5 New Patient Office Visit</td>
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<td>1995/1997 Guidelines</td>
<td>3. Used to determine level of Medical Decision Making</td>
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<td>Established patient visit</td>
<td>4. A high-level New Patient office visit code</td>
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<td>CPT Time average is 60 minutes</td>
<td>5. Indicates a choice of guidelines that may be used to document an exam</td>
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<td>Level of Risk Table</td>
<td>6. Two of three key E/M components must be documented to support the service billed</td>
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Part B:

1. The three key components of E/M services are:
   a. _________________________
   b. _________________________
   c. _________________________

2) A physician sees an established patient for a chronic condition that has mild exacerbation. The physician spends a total of 15 minutes face-to-face time with patient and 10 minutes of that time is spent discussing the patient’s prognosis and treatment options. The E/M level the physician may bill is:
   a. 99213, provided the physician documented that the visit was 15 minutes in length
   b. 99213, provided the documentation of at least two key components of E/M coding (History, Exam and Medical Decision Making) meet 99213 documentation levels.
   c. 99213, provided the physician documented the time spent in counseling and the total time of the visit.
   d. B & C

3) The portion of the HPI that is most often undocumented is:
   a. Chief Compliant
   b. Exam
   c. Past/Family/Social History
   d. Review of Systems
4) Body Areas/and or Organ Systems may be used to document exam EXCEPT for what level of exam?

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5) A physician sees a patient complaining of fever, chills, coughing, and tightness of the chest. The physician suspects pneumonia and orders a chest x-ray to confirm. The physician should list pneumonia, unspecified (486) as the diagnosis. □ True □ False.

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