

<b>Coding Policy Policy and Procedure</b>		
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**SCOPE:**

Providence Health Plan, Providence Health Assurance, Providence Plan Partners, and Ayin Health Solutions as applicable (referred to individually as “Company” and collectively as “Companies”).

**APPLIES TO:**

All Lines of Business

**POLICY:**

Company supports utilization of anticoagulation clinics (ACC) to track and regulate medication for members on long-term anticoagulation therapy.

Anticoagulation management modalities supported by Company and addressed in this policy:

- Pharmacist-managed ACC face-to-face in a clinic setting.
- Pharmacist-managed ACC telephone visits.
- Pharmacist-managed ACC face-to-face in an outpatient hospital.

**PROCEDURE:**

Company covers face-to-face visits and/or telephone visits provided by a pharmacist in a medical clinic where the pharmacist regulates anticoagulation therapy using physician-approved protocols as authorized by ORS collaborative drug therapy rules and in accordance with the Oregon State Board of Pharmacy. Company ensures pharmacist-managed anticoagulation clinics meet these standards through the contracting/credentialing process. Clinics not contracted with Company to use codes S9401 and S9401-52 for pharmacist-managed ACC should use CPT code 99211 to report anticoagulation management services.

Pharmacist-managed face-to-face anticoagulation clinics in an outpatient hospital setting are covered under CMS guidelines using CPT code 99211.

HCPCS code G0463 (hospital outpatient clinic visit for assessment and management of a patient) is paid for anticoagulation clinics in an outpatient hospital setting ONLY for providers affected by Senate Bill 204 or for providers who contract specifically with Company to pay using the Outpatient Prospective Payment System (OPPS).

**BILLING:**

**Face-to-Face Visits in Clinic Setting:**

- **S9401:** Anticoagulation clinic, inclusive of all services except laboratory tests, per session

**Telephonic Visits in Clinic Setting:**

- **S9401-52** Anticoagulation clinic, inclusive of all services except laboratory tests, per session

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**Face-to-Face Visits in Outpatient Hospital Setting:**

- Covered in accordance with CMS guidelines using CPT code 99211
- Providers affected by Senate Bill 204 or providers who contract specifically with Company to pay using OPPS use HCPCS code G0463 instead of CPT code 99211

**REFERENCE:**

Providence Health Plan Medical Policy  
 CMS Guidelines  
 Providence Health Plan Clinical Coding Edits