
42 C.F.R. § 414.39

Special rules for payment of care plan oversight.

- (a) *General.* Except as specified in paragraphs (b) and (c) of this section, payment for care plan oversight is included in the payment for visits and other services under the physician fee schedule. For purposes of this section a nonphysician practitioner (NPP) is a nurse practitioner, clinical nurse specialist or physician assistant.
- (b) *Exception.* Separate payment is made under the following conditions for physician care plan oversight services furnished to beneficiaries who receive HHA and hospice services that are covered by Medicare:
- (1) The care plan oversight services require recurrent physician supervision of therapy involving 30 or more minutes of the physician's time per month.

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