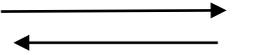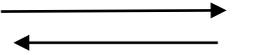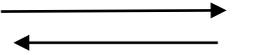Approved – January 14, 2016

Title of Meeting: AUC Medical Code TAG
Date and Time of Meeting – Thursday, December 10, 2015, 9 a.m. to 12 Noon
Location of Meeting – HealthPartners
Meeting Minutes

Minutes By: Dave Haugen and Faith Bauer

1. Welcome and Introductions
 	
   a. Attendance tracking: Deb Sorg
      deb.a.sorg@healthpartners.com
 	
   b. Membership request and/or updates: Deb Sorg
      deb.a.sorg@healthpartners.com
	Faith convened meeting. Requested those on phones email their attendance to Deb Sorg.	Completed.

2. Review of Antitrust Statement	Faith read anti-trust statement	No discussion.
3. Review of October and November meeting minutes – October 27, 2015 November 12, 2015	Corrected October minutes and November minutes approved.	**CLOSED**
4. Teledentistry – Kathy Sijan	Who bills: The distant site (see diagram below) bills. They must use the dental codes in the SBAR (section R) and the U9 modifier. (The distant site may or may not have a purchase of service agreement with the originating site, but that does not affect who bills.) For final version of SBAR response – define the terms "distant site" and "originating site" (see Medicare defines as example). Note that the recommendation will be to include the coding tele-dentistry coding requirements in the 837D companion guide – include a section re. tele-dentistry with the rule above in the companion guide. (Need clarification – need to ask DHS what happens if the originating site provider is different than the distant site provider.) Decision: <table><tr><td>A. Distant site (billing clinic) – this is the site doing the diagnosing</td><td>The originating site sends data back (live, or store and forward)</td><td>B. Originating site(nursing home,etc.) – where the patient is</td></tr></table>	**OPEN**

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	Question: When is a service teledentistry vs. referral?	
5. Behavior Health Home (BHH) – Kathy Sijan, DHS	The state plan amendment was submitted on October 12th, and we are currently in the review process with CMS.	**OPEN**
6. MCT Article for Monthly AUC Update – Dave Haugen, MDH	The AUC would like to work with the TAG for regular contributions to a coding section in each month's AUC Update (newsletter). Members will be asked to volunteer for a coding article each month.	**CLOSED**
7. Miscellaneous	Carolyn Larson contributed the following information: • Ruby Woodward announced that the AAPC is looking at developing a test to confirm participation in a phone conference eligible for CEUs. • Joanne Wolf will be available at the January meeting to discuss children and telehealth services. • There will be a national telehealth conference summer 2016 in Minneapolis.	**CLOSED**
8. Next regularly scheduled meeting:	January 14, 2016, 9:00-12:00, St. Croix Room – 1st floor, HealthPartners, 8170 Building, Bloomington. Treats – Carolyn Larson	**CLOSED**