

**MEDICAL CODE TECHNICAL ADVISORY GROUP (MCT)  
Meeting Minutes – Thursday December 1, 2016**

<b>Agenda Item</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	<b>Action Item</b>
<b>1. Welcome and Introductions, Attendance tracking: Deb Sorg <a href="mailto:deb.a.sorg@healthpartners.com">deb.a.sorg@healthpartners.com</a>, Membership request and/or updates: Deb Sorg <a href="mailto:deb.a.sorg@healthpartners.com">deb.a.sorg@healthpartners.com</a></b>	Faith called for introductions and reminded everyone to forward updates and membership requests to Deb Sorg. She also instructed those participating by phone to email their attendance to Deb.	Closed
<b>2. Review of Antitrust Statement</b>	Faith read AUC anti-trust statement.	Closed
<b>3. Review of last meeting's minutes – October 13, 2016</b>	The minutes were approved	Closed
<b>4. Telemedicine – JoAnne Wolf, Children's Health Network</b>	<p>After much discussions and review of Medicare guides, for Medicare, the new place of service 02 pulls a facility payment. The coding still includes reporting the originating site code Q3014 with the appropriate place of service; however, where the patient received services is reported with place of service 02 and the GT (or GQ) modifier. The intent of the new modifier 95 is the same as GT. Because these guides are accepted Medicare guides, nothing needs to be added to the Guides.</p> <p>There is still question on other types of telemedicine and the need to develop a policy. Included would be reporting the place of service based on patient or provider location.</p> <p>Kathy Sijan volunteered to obtain additional information from the AMA.</p>	<b>OPEN</b>
<b>5. DHS and Companion Guide Maintenance – David Haugen, MDH</b>	Dave Haugen will talk with AUC Executive and Operations on concerns and next steps.	Closed
<b>6. Decision Tree Creation Reminder– Judy Edwards, MDH</b>	Not discussed.	<b>OPEN</b>
<b>7. CEMT Provider Type Legislation – Shawnet Healy, DHS</b>	This SBAR was withdrawn. Proposed changes (post NH discharge will be treated the same as post hospital discharge services) are still be discussed at the legislature.	Closed
<b>8. Additional Agenda Items/ Announcements</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dave Haugen reported the 837D (dental teledentistry) implementation has been delayed because of questions that need to be addressed.</li> <li>• Next scheduled meeting: December 8, 9:00-12:00, Split Rock – 1st floor, HealthPartners, 8170 Building, Bloomington</li> <li>• The primary discussion at the next meeting will be the 2017 code changes, identify the impact on the Guide and plan the January 2017 <i>AUC UPDATE</i> coding article.</li> <li>• Reminder: <i>AUC UPDATE</i> newsletter coding article volunteers needed.</li> <li>• Judy Edwards has been promoted. Her last meeting with the MCT is December 8.</li> </ul>	Closed