

Carnation Ambulatory Monitor (CAM)

Reimbursement Coding Guide



The **CAM** patch is a single use, continuous recording ambulatory ECG monitor that records for up to 14 days.

Indications for Use: The monitor is designed to provide extended duration cardiac monitoring for people who are suspected of having cardiac arrhythmias.

Patient Population: The intended population includes both males and females not weighing less than 10 kg (22 lbs) who may have cardiac arrhythmias.

ICD-10-CM DIAGNOSIS CODES¹

ICD-10-CM diagnosis codes classify and describe code diagnoses and symptoms of the patient. Report all appropriate ICD-10-CM diagnosis codes to support medical necessity of the **CAM** patch. The following list of common ICD-10-CM codes/ranges are provided to aid in your decision process. This is not a comprehensive list of all available codes, and it is possible that there are more appropriate codes for any given diagnosis or symptom. The codes presented here are consistent with coverage policies published by CMS and large commercial insurance companies.

| Atrioventricular and left bundle-branch block | |
|---|---------------------------------------|
| I44.0 | Atrioventricular block, first degree |
| I44.1 | Atrioventricular block, second degree |
| I44.2 | Atrioventricular block, complete |
| I44.39 | Other atrioventricular block |
| I44.4 | Left anterior fascicular block |
| I44.5 | Left posterior fascicular block |
| I44.60 | Unspecified fascicular block |
| I44.69 | Other fascicular block |
| Other conduction disorders | |
| I45.0 | Right fascicular block |
| I45.19 | Other right bundle-branch block |
| I45.2 | Bifascicular block |
| I45.3 | Trifascicular block |
| I45.4 | Nonspecific intraventricular block |
| I45.5 | Other specified heart block |
| I45.6 | Pre-excitation syndrome |
| I45.81 | Long QT syndrome |
| I45.89 | Other specified conduction disorders |
| Paroxysmal tachycardia | |
| I47.0 | Re-entry ventricular arrhythmia |
| I47.21 | Torsades de pointes |
| I47.29 | Other ventricular tachycardia |

| Atrial fibrillation and flutter | |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| I48.0 | Paroxysmal atrial fibrillation |
| I48.11 | Longstanding persistent atrial fibrillation |
| I48.19 | Other persistent atrial fibrillation |
| I48.20 | Chronic atrial fibrillation, unspecified |
| I48.21 | Permanent atrial fibrillation |
| I48.3 | Typical atrial flutter |
| I48.4 | Atypical atrial flutter |
| I48.91 | Unspecified atrial fibrillation |
| I48.92 | Unspecified atrial flutter |
| Other cardiac arrhythmias | |
| I49.01 | Ventricular fibrillation |
| I49.02 | Ventricular flutter |
| I49.1 | Atrial premature depolarization |
| I49.2 | Junctional premature depolarization |
| I49.3 | Ventricular premature depolarization |
| I49.49 | Other premature depolarization |
| I49.5 | Sick sinus syndrome |
| I49.8 | Other specified cardiac arrhythmias |
| Abnormalities of heartbeat | |
| R00.2 | Palpitations |
| Symptoms, signs and abnormal findings | |
| R42 | Dizziness and giddiness |
| R55 | Syncope and collapse |

CPT® PROCEDURE CODES²

CPT procedure codes describe the medical, surgical, and diagnostic services provided to the patient. The following information includes the commonly billed physician codes for cardiac monitoring services. This is not a comprehensive list of all available codes, and it is possible that there are more appropriate codes for any given service/procedure.

Continuous Cardiac Monitoring (Holter Monitoring) up to 48 hours

| CPT Code | APC Category | Description | RVUs |
|----------|--------------|--|------|
| 93224 | N/A | Electrocardiographic monitoring for up to 48 hours by continuous original ECG waveform recording and storage, with visual superimposition scanning; includes recording, scanning analysis with report, physician review and interpretation | 2.40 |
| 93225 | 5734 | Recording (includes hook-up, recording and disconnection) | 0.61 |
| 93226 | 5734 | Scanning analysis with report | 1.24 |
| 93227 | N/A | Physician review and interpretation | 0.55 |

(Do not report 93224 in conjunction with 93225-93227)

Continuous Cardiac Monitoring up to 7 days*

| CPT Code | APC Category | Description | RVUs |
|----------|--------------|--|------|
| 93241 | N/A | External electrocardiographic recording for more than 48 hours up to 7 days by continuous rhythm recording and storage; includes recording, scanning analysis with report, review and interpretation | |
| 93242 | 5732 | Recording (includes connection and initial recordings) | 0.45 |
| 93243 | 5733 | Scanning analysis with report | |
| 93244 | N/A | Physician review and interpretation | 0.72 |

(Do not report 93241 in conjunction with 93242-93244)

Continuous Cardiac Monitoring up to 15 days*

| CPT Code | APC Category | Description | RVUs |
|----------|--------------|---|------|
| 93245 | N/A | External electrocardiographic recording for more than 7 days up to 15 days by continuous rhythm recording and storage; includes recording, scanning analysis with report, review and interpretation | |
| 93246 | 5733 | Recording (includes connection and initial recordings) | 0.45 |
| 93247 | 5734 | Scanning analysis with report | |
| 93248 | N/A | Physician review and interpretation | 0.79 |

(Do not report 93245 in conjunction with 93246-93248)

* CPT codes 0295T-0298T are discontinued effective January 1, 2021 and replaced by these new Category I codes

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS

Documentation supporting medical necessity is vital for ensuring proper reimbursement for use of the **CAM** patch. Include the following recommended documentation components to support the claim:

- Patient's relevant signs and symptoms and pertinent medical history
- Frequency of symptom occurrence
- Prior test results (particularly previous cardiac monitoring tests)
- Rationale for the need for extended cardiac monitoring (>48 hrs), if applicable
- Expectations on improved diagnostic implications and patient compliance using the **CAM** patch

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