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Office Visit Modifiers

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Unrelated evaluation and management service (or eye codes) by the same physician during a postoperative period

Office visit in the postoperative period is not related to the original surgery:

-New symptoms

- -Significant changes in eye health requiring new evaluation
- -Different diagnosis than the surgery does not necessarily mean unrelated

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Significant, separately, identifiable evaluation and management service (or eye codes) by the same physician on the same day of the procedure or other services

Office visit same day as a minor surgery (0 or 10 global period days) 57

Decision for surgery, major procedure

Office visit same day, or within 3 days of a major surgery (90 day global period)