

Appendix 3

Documentation of 99212

CC: I'm here for prenatal exam

HPI:

21 year-old Hispanic woman, G2P1 here for routine prenatal @35 wks. Feeling well. Some low back-pain. Sleeping well. EDD 10/30/....

Exam:

Constitutional:

BP 110/72

Pulse 74

Temp 98.6

Heart:

normal rate and rhythm, no edema

Lungs

clear

GU:

FH 34

FHT 156

Fetal Position ROP

Abdomen, some right ligament pain

Assessment:

Normal prenatal exam @ 35 wks.

Plan:

Reviewed records, labs

Recommended continued over the counter vitamins

Discussed anticipatory guidance for sleep positions.

Discussed birth plan, options for guests at birth, plans for children at birth.

Reviewed birth supply list.

Discussed signs and symptoms to report.

Contact info for midwives.

Discussion of variations of labor and delivery.

Inquired of social support.

Labs to be done next visit: GBS screening, hemoglobin.

Return for prenatal 1 wk.

Provider's Signature

Date

Coding Rationale for 99212

Documentation requirements for 99212 (2 out of 3)

History Level	Problem-focused history
Exam	Problem-focused exam
Medical Decision Making	Straightforward Complexity

Clinical documentation elements.

History Level	Problem focused history
Exam	Expanded focused exam
Medical Decision Making	Straightforward Complexity

Clinical documentation supports 99212.

Time-based billing elements were not met, due to a lack of documentation of time.