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**TOPIC: Physical and Occupational Evaluation Code Update**

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**Effective for DOS 1/1/2017 moving forward**

The Division met on 4/25/17 to discuss the reimbursement of the new tiered PT and OT Evaluation codes.

Since these codes are interim value codes, meaning information received by the Relative Values for Physicians (RVP) editors was below accepted confidence levels, the editors indicate that reimbursement disagreements should be resolved by treating interim value codes as a by report or rate not established code. Therefore; Wyoming Workers Compensation has decided to reimburse as follows for each code based on level of complexity:

**PT:**

97161 low = \$102.24  
97162 moderate = \$102.24  
97163 high = \$102.24  
97164 re-eval = \$69.01

**OT:**

97165 low = \$102.24  
97166 moderate = \$102.24  
97167 high = \$102.24  
97168 re-eval = \$69.01

Once these codes become established, reimbursement may change. We will notify providers at that time. The next scheduled update for the RVP is January 2018.

If you would like to provide input to the editor's, please call Optum at (303)534-0506, or send questions or comments to:

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