Increase Reimbursement With the SOS™ Global Registry
Through Remote Patient Monitoring (RPM)

With the Surgical Outcomes System™ (SOS) global registry, providers can easily automate patient engagement and collection of patient-reported outcomes to remotely monitor recovery progress, market their practice, and align with reimbursement initiatives.

- **CPT code 99457**
  Remote physiologic monitoring treatment management services.
  - $52 per patient per month for clinical staff providing RPM services and documenting via SOS global registry.
  - Can be billed per calendar month
  - Requires 20+ minutes of interactive communication per month (interaction must be face-to-face but does not have to be in person)

- **CPT code 99453**
  Remote monitoring of physiologic parameter(s), initial; set-up and patient education on use.
  - $19 per activated patient on SOS global registry (covering the initial patient education and activation of the program).
  - Can be billed once
  - Interaction with the patient is required for set up
  - Can only be reported once per episode of care and code may not be reported for monitoring of less than 16 days

- **CPT code 99091**
  Collection and interpretation of physiologic data digitally stored and/or transmitted by the patient and/or caregiver to the physician or other qualified health care professional.
  - $58 per patient per month for qualified health care professionals providing RPM services and documenting via SOS global registry.
  - Can be billed every 30 days
  - Aggregate of 30 min x 30 days is required
  - Can be all remote
  - 99091 should not be reported in conjunction with 99457

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The SOS™ platform can be used in several ways to support RPM:

**Patient Engagement and Education**
Educate your patients on the SOS global registry and the benefits of completing patient-reported outcome surveys, including remote monitoring of pain, function, and well-being following their treatment.

**Survey Completion**
Encourage patients to complete pre- and post-treatment surveys in a timely manner, allowing you to stay current on treatment outcomes. Surveys can be completed on PCs, smart devices, or tablets via any web browser, or they can be completed in the office.

**Stay Connected**
Collect data, monitor patients’ treatment progress, and discuss results during follow-up visits.

**Analyze Data and Support Reimbursement**
Once patient data is analyzed and insurance eligibility is confirmed, export the required documentation for claims submission.

### Key requirements for RPM include:

- **Advance Beneficiary Consent**
  Prior to initiating RPM services, providers must obtain and document patient consent within the patient’s medical record. This can be incorporated into the standard consent for treatment.

- **Face-to-Face Visit**
  For new patients or patients who have not seen the billing provider within 1 year, an initial face-to-face visit with the provider, such as an annual wellness visit or initial preventive physical exam, is required for RPM services to be initiated.

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