

Place of Service/Location Dictionary

Revisions

Date	Code	Description
09/20/22	All	Add if code is currently in dictionary. Add Description.
08/31/22	02	Change from 'Telehealth' to 'Telehealth Provided Other than in Patient's Home'
08/31/22	10	Change from 'Unknown/Not Reported' to 'Telehealth Provided in Patient's Home'

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When entering services, the location in which the service took place would need to be selected. Though many County of Santa Clara's location codes match the CMS website, please review the location dictionary to ensure the correct location code was chosen.

To view locations as defined by Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services: https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Coding/place-of-service-codes/Place_of_Service_Code_Set

CURRENTLY IN DICTIONARY	DICTIONARY	DICTIONARY VALUE	DESCRIPTION (NOT UPLOADED)
Yes	01	Pharmacy	A facility or location where drugs and other medically related items and services are sold, dispensed, or otherwise provided directly to patients. (Effective October 1, 2003)
Yes	02	Telehealth Other than in Patient's Home	The location where health services and health related services are provided or received, through telecommunication technology. Patient is not located in their home when receiving health services or health related services through telecommunication technology. (Effective January 1, 2017) (Description change effective January 1, 2022, and applicable for Medicare April 1, 2022.)
Yes	03	School	A facility whose primary purpose is education. (Effective January 1, 2003)
Yes	04	Homeless/Emergency Shelter	A facility or location whose primary purpose is to provide temporary housing to homeless individuals (e.g., emergency shelters, individual or family shelters). (Effective January 1, 2003)

Yes	05	Indian Health Svc Free-standing Facility	A facility or location, owned and operated by the Indian Health Service, which provides diagnostic, therapeutic (surgical and non-surgical), and rehabilitation services to American Indians and Alaska Natives who do not require hospitalization. (Effective January 1, 2003)
Yes	06	Indian Health Svc Provider-based Facility	A facility or location, owned and operated by the Indian Health Service, which provides diagnostic, therapeutic (surgical and non-surgical), and rehabilitation services rendered by, or under the supervision of, physicians to American Indians and Alaska Natives admitted as inpatients or outpatients. (Effective January 1, 2003)
Yes	07	Tribal 638 Free-standing Facility	A facility or location owned and operated by a federally recognized American Indian or Alaska Native tribe or tribal organization under a 638 agreement, which provides diagnostic, therapeutic (surgical and non-surgical), and rehabilitation services to tribal members who do not require hospitalization. (Effective January 1, 2003)
Yes	08	Tribal 638 Provider-based Facility	A facility or location owned and operated by a federally recognized American Indian or Alaska Native tribe or tribal organization under a 638 agreement, which provides diagnostic, therapeutic (surgical and non-surgical), and rehabilitation services to tribal members admitted as inpatients or outpatients. (Effective January 1, 2003)
Yes	09	Correctional Facility	A prison, jail, reformatory, work farm, detention center, or any other similar facility maintained by either Federal, State or local authorities for the purpose of confinement or rehabilitation of adult or juvenile criminal offenders. (Effective July 1, 2006)
Yes	10	Telehealth Provided in Patient's Home	The location where health services and health related services are provided or received, through telecommunication technology. Patient is located in their home (which is a location other than a hospital or other facility where the patient receives care in a private residence) when receiving health services or health related services through telecommunication technology.

			(This code is effective January 1, 2022, and available to Medicare April 1, 2022.)
Yes	11	Office	Location, other than a hospital, skilled nursing facility (SNF), military treatment facility, community health center, State or local public health clinic, or intermediate care facility (ICF), where the health professional routinely provides health examinations, diagnosis, and treatment of illness or injury on an ambulatory basis.
Yes	12	Home	Location, other than a hospital or other facility, where the patient receives care in a private residence.
Yes	13	Assisted Living Facility	Congregate residential facility with self-contained living units providing assessment of each resident's needs and on-site support 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, with the capacity to deliver or arrange for services including some health care and other services. (Effective October 1, 2003)
Yes	14	Group Home	A residence, with shared living areas, where clients receive supervision and other services such as social and/or behavioral services, custodial service, and minimal services (e.g., medication administration). (Effective October 1, 2003)
Yes	15	Mobile Unit	A facility/unit that moves from place-to-place equipped to provide preventive, screening, diagnostic, and/or treatment services. (Effective January 1, 2003)
Yes	16	Temporary Lodging	A short term accommodation such as a hotel, camp ground, hostel, cruise ship or resort where the patient receives care, and which is not identified by any other POS code. (Effective January 1, 2008)

No	17	Walk-in Retail Health Clinic	<p>A walk-in health clinic, other than an office, urgent care facility, pharmacy or independent clinic and not described by any other Place of Service code, that is located within a retail operation and provides, on an ambulatory basis, preventive and primary care services.</p> <p>(This code is available for use immediately with a final effective date of May 1, 2010)</p>
Yes	18	Client's Job Site	<p>A location, not described by any other POS code, owned or operated by a public or private entity where the patient is employed, and where a health professional provides on-going or episodic occupational medical, therapeutic or rehabilitative services to the individual.</p> <p>(This code is available for use effective January 1, 2013 but no later than May 1, 2013)</p>
Yes	19	Outpatient Hospital (Off Campus)	<p>A portion of an off-campus hospital provider based department which provides diagnostic, therapeutic (both surgical and nonsurgical), and rehabilitation services to sick or injured persons who do not require hospitalization or institutionalization.</p> <p>(Effective January 1, 2016)</p>
Yes	20	Urgent Care Facility	<p>Location, distinct from a hospital emergency room, an office, or a clinic, whose purpose is to diagnose and treat illness or injury for unscheduled, ambulatory patients seeking immediate medical attention.</p> <p>(Effective January 1, 2003)</p>
Yes	21	Inpatient Hospital	<p>A facility, other than psychiatric, which primarily provides diagnostic, therapeutic (both surgical and nonsurgical), and rehabilitation services by, or under, the supervision of physicians to patients admitted for a variety of medical conditions.</p>
Yes	22	Outpatient Hospital (On Campus)	<p>A portion of a hospital's main campus which provides diagnostic, therapeutic (both surgical and nonsurgical), and rehabilitation services to sick or injured persons who do not require hospitalization or institutionalization.</p> <p>(Description change effective January 1, 2016)</p>
Yes	23	Emergency Room - Hospital	<p>A portion of a hospital's main campus which provides diagnostic, therapeutic (both surgical and nonsurgical), and rehabilitation services to sick or injured persons who do not require hospitalization or institutionalization.</p>

			(Description change effective January 1, 2016)
Yes	24	Ambulatory Surgical Center	A portion of a hospital where emergency diagnosis and treatment of illness or injury is provided.
Yes	25	Birthing Center	A facility, other than a hospital's maternity facilities or a physician's office, which provides a setting for labor, delivery, and immediate post-partum care as well as immediate care of new born infants.
Yes	26	Military Treatment Facility	A medical facility operated by one or more of the Uniformed Services. Military Treatment Facility (MTF) also refers to certain former U.S. Public Health Service (USPHS) facilities now designated as Uniformed Service Treatment Facilities (USTF).
Yes	27	Phone	Unassigned by CMS but used by SCC.
Yes	28	Health Care/Primary Care	Unassigned by CMS but used by SCC.
Yes	29	Age Specific Community Center	Unassigned by CMS but used by SCC.
Yes	30	Faith Based	Unassigned by CMS but used by SCC.
Yes	31	Skilled Nursing Facility	A facility which primarily provides inpatient skilled nursing care and related services to patients who require medical, nursing, or rehabilitative services but does not provide the level of care or treatment available in a hospital.
Yes	32	Nursing Facility	A facility which primarily provides to residents skilled nursing care and related services for the rehabilitation of injured, disabled, or sick persons, or, on a regular basis, health-related care services above the level of custodial care to other than individuals with intellectual disabilities.
Yes	33	Custodial Care Facility	A facility which provides room, board and other personal assistance services, generally on a long-term basis, and which does not include a medical component.
Yes	34	Hospice	A facility, other than a patient's home, in which palliative and supportive care for terminally ill patients and their families are provided.
Yes	35	Non-Traditional service location	Unassigned by CMS but used by SCC.

Yes	36	Residential Care - Children	Unassigned by CMS but used by SCC.
Yes	37	Field	Unassigned by CMS but used by SCC.
No	38	<i>Unassigned</i>	Unassigned by CMS and not in use by SCC.
Yes	39	STRTP (Short Term Residential Treatment Program)	Unassigned by CMS but used by SCC.
No	40	<i>Unassigned</i>	Unassigned by CMS and not in use by SCC.
Yes	41	Ambulance - Land	A land vehicle specifically designed, equipped and staffed for lifesaving and transporting the sick or injured.
Yes	42	Ambulance - Air or Water	An air or water vehicle specifically designed, equipped and staffed for lifesaving and transporting the sick or injured.
No	43	<i>Unassigned</i>	Unassigned by CMS and not in use by SCC.
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No	47	<i>Unassigned</i>	Unassigned by CMS and not in use by SCC.
No	48	<i>Unassigned</i>	Unassigned by CMS and not in use by SCC.
Yes	49	Independent Clinic	A location, not part of a hospital and not described by any other Place of Service code, that is organized and operated to provide preventive, diagnostic, therapeutic, rehabilitative, or palliative services to outpatients only. (Effective October 1, 2003)
Yes	50	Federally Qualified Health Center	A facility located in a medically underserved area that provides Medicare beneficiaries preventive primary medical care under the general direction of a physician.
Yes	51	Inpatient Psychiatric	A facility for the diagnosis and treatment of mental illness that provides a planned therapeutic program for patients who do not require full time hospitalization, but who need broader programs than are possible from outpatient visits to a hospital-based or hospital-affiliated facility.

No	52	Psychiatric Facility- Partial Hospitalization	A facility for the diagnosis and treatment of mental illness that provides a planned therapeutic program for patients who do not require full time hospitalization, but who need broader programs than are possible from outpatient visits to a hospital-based or hospital-affiliated facility.
No	53	Community Mental Health Center	A facility that provides the following services: outpatient services, including specialized outpatient services for children, the elderly, individuals who are chronically ill, and residents of the CMHC's mental health services area who have been discharged from inpatient treatment at a mental health facility; 24 hour a day emergency care services; day treatment, other partial hospitalization services, or psychosocial rehabilitation services; screening for patients being considered for admission to State mental health facilities to determine the appropriateness of such admission; and consultation and education services.
No	54	Intermediate Care Facility/ Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities	A facility which primarily provides health-related care and services above the level of custodial care to individuals but does not provide the level of care or treatment available in a hospital or SNF.
Yes	55	Residential Substance Abuse Treatment Facility	A facility which provides treatment for substance (alcohol and drug) abuse to live-in residents who do not require acute medical care. Services include individual and group therapy and counseling, family counseling, laboratory tests, drugs and supplies, psychological testing, and room and board.
Yes	56	Psychiatric Residential Treatment Center	A facility or distinct part of a facility for psychiatric care which provides a total 24-hour therapeutically planned and professionally staffed group living and learning environment.
Yes	57	Non-residential Sub Abuse Tx Facility	A location which provides treatment for substance (alcohol and drug) abuse on an ambulatory basis. Services include individual and group therapy and counseling, family counseling, laboratory tests, drugs and supplies, and psychological testing. (Effective October 1, 2003)
No	58	Non-residential Opioid Treatment Facility	A location that provides treatment for opioid use disorder on an ambulatory basis. Services include methadone and other forms of Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT). (Effective January 1, 2020)
No	59	<i>Unassigned</i>	Unassigned by CMS and not in use by SCC.

Yes	60	Mass Immunization Center	A location where providers administer pneumococcal pneumonia and influenza virus vaccinations and submit these services as electronic media claims, paper claims, or using the roster billing method. This generally takes place in a mass immunization setting, such as, a public health center, pharmacy, or mall but may include a physician office setting.
No	61	Comprehensive Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility	A facility that provides comprehensive rehabilitation services under the supervision of a physician to inpatients with physical disabilities. Services include physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech pathology, social or psychological services, and orthotics and prosthetics services.
Yes	62	Comprehensive Outpatient Rehab Facility	A facility that provides comprehensive rehabilitation services under the supervision of a physician to outpatients with physical disabilities. Services include physical therapy, occupational therapy, and speech pathology services.
No	63	<i>Unassigned</i>	Unassigned by CMS and not in use by SCC.
No	64	<i>Unassigned</i>	Unassigned by CMS and not in use by SCC.
Yes	65	End-Stage Renal Disease Tx Facility	A facility other than a hospital, which provides dialysis treatment, maintenance, and/or training to patients or caregivers on an ambulatory or home-care basis.
No	66	<i>Unassigned</i>	Unassigned by CMS and not in use by SCC.
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No	70	<i>Unassigned</i>	Unassigned by CMS and not in use by SCC.
Yes	71	Public Health Clinic	A facility maintained by either State or local health departments that provides ambulatory primary medical care under the general direction of a physician.
Yes	72	Rural Health Clinic	A certified facility which is located in a rural medically underserved area that provides ambulatory primary medical care under the general direction of a physician.
No	73	<i>Unassigned</i>	Unassigned by CMS and not in use by SCC.
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No	80	<i>Unassigned</i>	Unassigned by CMS and not in use by SCC.
Yes	81	Independent Laboratory	A laboratory certified to perform diagnostic and/or clinical tests independent of an institution or a physician's office.
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Yes	99	Other Place of Service	Other place of service not identified above.