# Roll Up Those Sleeves



## The new and updated 2021 CPT codes are for outpatient visits only, so don't ditch those notes templates just yet!

Learn about the gradual and immediate impacts of transitioning to the new code sets, view a checklist to ensure an ideal transition process, and access more CPT resources in part two of "Major Changes Are Coming for E/M Visits in 2021–Are you Ready?" Read it here on <u>the Salus Medical Blog</u>.

### CDC Creates #Sleevesup and #Fightflu Social Media Campaign

The CDC is taking to social media to create engagement about the importance of flu vaccines. Their <u>social media toolkit</u> includes sample captions, photo suggestions (images of rolled up sleeves and bandages), free graphics available for immediate download, appropriate hashtags, and custom frames to use when posting on various social media accounts. The hope is that spreading awareness will encourage more people to get flu vaccines this year. The goal? To help minimize the impact of the flu on medical systems focused on COVID-19.

### The Future of Healthcare: Post the 2020 Election

It's no surprise to many that Biden and Trump disagree on key issues such as the Affordable Care Act (Trump wants to dissolve it and Biden wants to expand upon it). However, it may be more unexpected that both candidates are in favor of lowering drug prices. *Medical News Today* has outlined the key differences and similarities of both presidential candidates as they relate to health care and the pharmaceutical industry. Read the full comparison <u>here</u>.

### What is the Role of the Future Physician?

Amid a world-wide pandemic, those in the healthcare industry have started reflecting on what the potential lasting effects of COVID-19 could be, particularly for physicians and our healthcare system. The rise of technology has sped up the pace of medical advancements, but the pandemic will likely call for an overhaul of how medicine is approached and practiced. An article in the *Clinical Medicine* journal outlines the role of the future physician,"building on shifting sands," as it relates to our current healthcare crisis. Read the full article <u>here</u>.

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