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Thank you for opportunity to comment:

M1000 indicates following Inpatient Facilities was pt d/c...
response #3 Hospital ER dept---Is NOT usually considered an
inpatient facility--will need to be addressed in instructions to
decrease confusion.

M1010, M1012, M1016--- Are this items REALLY necessary--- seems so
redundant

M1010 asks ... conditions treated

M1016 asks ...conditions requiring changed ...regimen..how is
this different--Has there really been that much difference in the data
that has been obtained over the years for these two items??

M1012---there is NO WAY to obtain this information unless
we have REALLY thorough referral info from the hospitals---Can't this
data be obtained from the hospital records via the CWF if it is really
needed??? Home Care does not use HCPCS procedure codes as hospitals do--
are you also asking for surgical procedures??

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