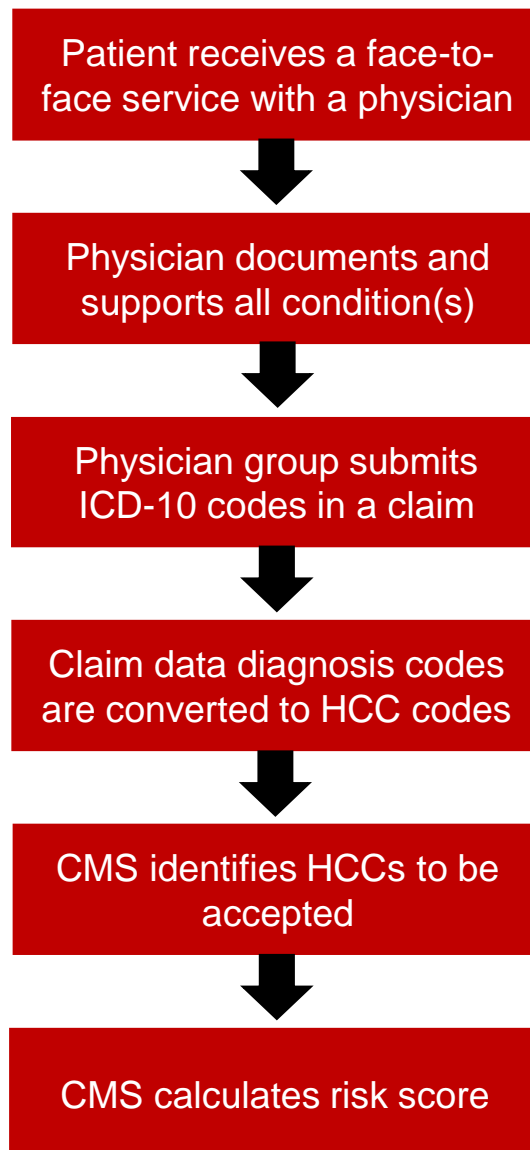


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### Recapturing Chronic ICD-10 Coding Opportunities

#### Medicare Risk Adjustment Process



#### What is the importance of the Risk Adjustment Process?

This process is used to estimate future health spending by utilizing ICD-10 codes that roll up to certain HCC codes. In order to accurately estimate risk scores, it often requires a coordinated effort across physicians, coding professionals and/or management teams.

*You can also contact us at [RiskCoding@OrlandoHealth.com](mailto:RiskCoding@OrlandoHealth.com) for additional questions or support needs.*

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#### Steps to Recapturing Chronic Conditions

- Schedule patients to be seen for a face-to-face encounter or telehealth visit that includes video and audio
- Utilize BPA reminders and Risk Coder suggestions for open coding opportunities
- Document and support all chronic conditions that have been confirmed from consults, radiology and lab results and specialist notes at least once per year
- Document each chronic condition to the highest level of specificity
- Remember to document and support “status conditions” at least once per year; such as, dialysis status, amputations status
- Review and update the medication and problem list



**REMEMBER:**  
**If you THINK it, INK it!**