

The Short Version

This modifier code applies to **70%** of the hours in a given week!

- Document the **TIME** of any procedure performed
- Add the modifier code to your blue sheet billing codes
 - **E412** (+10%) - Mon – Fri 17:00 - 24:00 or day time (07:00 - 24:00) Sat, Sun or Holidays
 - **E413** (+30%) - Nights – 7 days a week - (00:00 - 07:00)

TIP! : note this
"night" code is an
exception and uses
a '3' (vs H12x, H112)

Details

As of Sept 1, 2011, most of our **surgical** procedures (think **lacerations** and **ortho** procedures) are eligible for a premium if the procedure is performed "after hours".

These codes (**E412** and **E413**) are for the procedure only, and are very distinct from the after hours premiums associated with procedural sedation (ie E400C and E401C - see Procedural Sedation sheet).

Interpretation (Schedule of Benefits p GP80)

We can add these premium codes to most procedures :

- non elective surgical procedures (including **fractures and dislocations**)
- major invasive procedures ie. nerve block or central line (N/A with Gxxx codes)

Documentation

- For any procedure - document the **time you performed the procedure**
- **Add applicable E412 or E413 to blue sheet** beside documented procedure code

Example

Case: Saturday 02:00 - 59 male - shoulder dislocation and pubic ramus # after fall
ED Care: 5 hours in ED, shoulder reduction with Doc 2 sedating, observation time
Document: **Doc 1** - ER Chart, Procedure (Time 03:15), Re-assessment (Time 05:15)
Doc 2 - ER Chart, Start/Stop times for sedation (03:10 - 03: 22), Sedation modifiers (see sheet)

Blue Sheet Coding: **Doc 1** - H123 + D016A + E413 + H124
Doc 2 - D016C + 1 time unit + E401C