



Upper Payment Limit - Naloxone Education

In accordance with our Upper Payment Limit (UPL) program initiatives, a Naloxone Prescribing Protocol has been created as an intervention for opioid overdoses. Patients receiving prescribed narcotics or using illicit opioids should receive education and a prescription for naloxone nasal spray.

To provide the naloxone education, navigate to the Recommended Orders section of the note. From the Education Orders, naloxone education can be ordered.

For the Internal Medicine notes, a new Recommended Orders section has been added to select note types - right above the Plan section. Clicking the box will create an order, which will appear in the Plan section of the note, as well as on the Orders tab.

The screenshot displays a medical note interface. On the left is a sidebar menu with the following items: Immunizations, Vitals, Procedure, Physical Exam & Risk Fac..., AWV Cognitive Impairment, AWV Cognitive Status - 6C..., AWV Functional Ability an..., Hearing Acuity Assessment, Family Medicine Physical ..., Care Plan & Hear/Vision ..., Auditory Findings, Assessment, Assessment, Recommended Orders (highlighted in yellow), Education Orders (highlighted in teal), FU Recommended Orders, Plans & Patient Instructio..., and Medication Changes and I... The main content area is divided into sections: CLINICS, OTHER, SBIRT, NALOXONE (highlighted in yellow), Plans & Patient Instructions, and Attending Note. The CLINICS section includes checkboxes for Follow-up for Procedure Clinic, Follow-up in Nurse Clinic, Follow-up visit for INR check, Follow-up for OMT Clinic, and Follow-up with Pharm Clinic. The OTHER section includes checkboxes for Acupuncture Follow Up, Medical Record Consent, Behavioral Health Follow Up (In House Today), and Behavioral Health Follow up (In House Schedule). The SBIRT section includes checkboxes for Patient declined to participate in SBIRT, Brief intervention conducted (5-20 minutes), Referred to in house Brief Treatment (3-5 sessions provided by Peer Specialist), Referred to in house addiction medicine program, and Referred to external treatment provider. The NALOXONE section includes checkboxes for Naloxone Education provided to patient and if present, family, and Discussed diet and physical activity with patient and family, and information provided.