

ARES™ Billing Codes and Classification

TEST TYPE	PROCEDURE	CODE	DESCRIPTION
Home Sleep Test	Global	95800	Sleep study, unattended, simultaneous recording; heart
	Technical	95800-TC	rate, oxygen saturation, respiratory analysis (e.g., by
	Professional	95800-26	airflow or peripheral arterial tone) and sleep time
Home Sleep Test	Global	95806	Sleep Study, unattended, simultaneous recording of
	Technical	95806-TC	heart rate, oxygen saturation, respiratory airflow and
	Professional	95806-26	respiratory effort (e.g., thoracoabdominal movement)
Home Sleep Test Level III	Global Technical Professional	G0399 G0399-TC G0399-26	Home sleep test (HST) with Type III portable monitor, unattended; minimum of 4 channels: 2 Respiratory movement/airflow, ECG/heart rate, oxygen saturation

CPT 95800 Requirements	Associates Signals and Measures
Heart Rate	Heart Rate Channel (Forehead spO2 Sensor)
Oxygen Saturation	Oxygen Saturation (Forehead spO2 Sensor)
Respiratory Analysis (e.g., airflow or peripheral arterial tone)	Airflow Sensor (Nasal Cannula)
Sleep Time	Sleep Time

CPT 95806 Requirements	Associates Signals and Measures
Heart Rate	Heart Rate Channel (Forehead spO2 Sensor)
Oxygen Saturation	Oxygen Saturation (Forehead spO2 Sensor)
Respiratory Airflow	Airflow Sensor (Nasal Cannula)
Respiratory Effort	Respiratory Effort (Piezo Respiratory Belt)

CPT G0399 Requirements	Associates Signals and Measures
Minimum of 4 Channels	>10 Available Channels
	Channel 1:
2 Respiratory Movement /Airflow Channels	Channel 2: Quantified Acoustic Snoring (Microphone)
	Channel 3: Respiratory Effort (Optional Piezo Crystal Belt) ^a
ECG/Heart Rate	Heart Rate Channel (Reflectance Pulse Oximetry)
Oxygen Saturation	Oxygen Saturation (Reflectance Pulse Oximetry)

Available ARES [™] Signals and Measures		
Signals	Airflow, SpO ₂ , Heart Rate, Snoring, Actigraphy, EEG/EOG/EMG, Respiratory Effort ^a	
Measures	Apneas & hypopneas ^b , head position & movement, mean/max/min pulse rate & SpO ₂ , sleep/wake, sleep latency & efficiency, NREM/REM, behavioral arousals, snoring intensity & pattern	

^aAn ARES[™] can be equipped with an optional piezo crystal belt upon request for an additional cost. This modification will not influence sleep/wake detection, but will eliminate NREM/REM detection.

 $_{b}$ AHI = Average number of apneas and hypopneas(4%) per hour of valid recording time*; RDI = Average number of apneas, hypopneas(4%), and hypopneas that terminate in an behavioral arousal w/ >1% desaturation per hour of valid recording time*

*Notes- ARES™ AHI is equivalent to CMS RDI; AHI/RDI data are also quantified across state, stage, and body position. Additional desaturation criteria (e.g. 3%) can be added upon request.

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