

Radial Pressure Wave Procedure Flow

REMINDERS:

- RPW MUST BE IN CARE PLAN IN ORDER TO BE USED ON PATIENT
- INTERN MUST COMPLETE RPW TRAINING PRIOR TO USE IN CLINIC
- RPW is for use in Out-patient clinic by Out-patient interns only

Ensure that patient is free of contraindications:

Contraindications:

Bleeding conditions

Pacemakers

Medications that prolong blood clotting

Children

Pregnancy

Acute injuries

PRE-APPOINTMENT

- Intern schedules a 15-minute time slot on the RPW Sign-Up Sheet located at OP cashier window (one 15-minute time slot per patient per day).
- Five minutes prior to the scheduled appointment, intern provides **photo ID** to OP clinic cashier to check out:
 - Two pairs of hearing protection headphones



AT APPOINTMENT

- Position the patient comfortably
- Offer hearing protection headphones to patient. The additional pair is for the intern
- Treat the patient



POST-APPOINTMENT

- Return the hearing protection headphones to OP Clinic cashier immediately following the RPW treatment.
- Cashier will return photo ID
- Document the RPW setting utilized in EHR (pressure: 1.0 – 5.0 bar, shock frequency: 1 – 21 Hz, and impulses or 'shocks' per treatment 1,000 – 3,000)
- Bill as an unlisted therapy 97139