# Emergency Department Note

## HPI:

37-year-old female with right upper quadrant abdominal pain for last 6 hours. Denies fever, vomiting. Has some nausea.

No significant medical history.

## DDX:

\* gall bladder disease

\* pancreatitis

\* appendicitis

\* ectopic rupture

## EXAM:

BP 122/88, HR 88, RR 12, T 98.6, O2 Sat 99% RA

GEN: Non-toxic appearing.

RESP: Lungs clear.

CV: Heart regular, no murmurs.

ABD: Abdomen is tender in the RUQ with some mild rebound.

## TESTING/IMAGING:

Urine pregnancy negative.

UA normal.

CBC has mild leukocytosis of 13.2.

CMP has elevations of AST (260) and ALT (190).

Lipase normal.

US shows gallstones with dilated CBD.

## CONSULTS:

I spoke with Dr. Parent and he recommends admission for cholecystectomy.

## DIAGNOSIS/PLAN:

Acute cholelithiasis with CBD obstruction

Admit to surgery with hospitalist direction.

## Explanation:

The example chart you provided would have coded as 99285:

High Number & Complexity of Problems Addressed at the Encounter; High Amount and/or Complexity of Data to be Reviewed and Analyzed; and High Risk of Complications and/or Morbidity or Mortality of patient Management.