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101 CMR 347.00: Freestanding Ambulatory Surgery Centers

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CPT/HCPCS 2021 Procedure Code Updates

In accordance with 101 CMR 347.01(5): *Coding Updates and Corrections*, the Executive Office of Health and Human Services (EOHHS) is adding new procedure codes, deleting outdated codes, and cross walking deleted codes to replacement codes, effective for dates of service provided on or after January 1, 2021. New and deleted codes are identified in the respective lists below, followed by a crosswalk that identifies the replacement codes for applicable deleted codes.

Rates for new codes replacing deleted codes are set at the payment rate of the deleted codes. Existing codes that are replacements for deleted codes will continue to be reimbursed at the existing codes' rates. For all other new codes that require new pricing and that have Medicare rates, corresponding rates are calculated in accordance with the rate methodology used in setting freestanding ambulatory surgery center facility component rates. Rates listed in this administrative bulletin are applicable until revised rates are issued by EOHHS. Deleted codes are not available for use for dates of service provided after December 31, 2020.

101 CMR 347.00: New Codes

New Code	Rate	Code Description
30468	\$2,956.50	Repair of collapsed nostril using implant in side of nose
32408	\$461.45	Core needle biopsy of lung or center cavity of chest (mediastinum), accessed through skin
55880	\$1,753.87	High-intensity ultrasound destruction of cancerous tissue in prostate gland, accessed through rectum using ultrasound guidance
69705	\$3,033.36	Dilation of canal between middle ear and throat (eustachian tube) on one side of body, using endoscope inserted through nose
69706	\$3,033.36	Dilation of canal between middle ear and throat (eustachian tube) on both sides of body, using endoscope inserted through nose
C9770	\$1,396.17	Vitrectomy, mechanical, pars plana approach, with subretinal injection of pharmacologic/biologic agent
C9771	\$1,199.19	Nasal/sinus endoscopy, cryoablation nasal tissue(s) and/or nerve(s), unilateral or bilateral



New Code	Rate	Code Description	
C9772	\$4,937.21	Revascularization, endovascular, open or percutaneous, tibial/peroneal artery(ies), with intravascular lithotripsy, includes angioplasty within the same vessel (s), when performed	
C9773	\$8,830.90	Revascularization, endovascular, open or percutaneous, tibial/peroneal artery(ies); with intravascular lithotripsy, and transluminal stent placement(s), includes angioplasty within the same vessel(s), when performed	
C9774	\$8,957.14	Revascularization, endovascular, open or percutaneous, tibial/peroneal artery(ies); with intravascular lithotripsy and atherectomy, includes angioplasty within the same vessel (s), when performed	
C9775	\$8,988.26	Revascularization, endovascular, open or percutaneous, tibial/peroneal artery(ies); with intravascular lithotripsy and transluminal stent placement(s), and atherectomy, includes angioplasty within the same vessel (s), when performed	

101 CMR 347.00: Deleted Codes

Deleted Code	Code Description		
19324	Mammaplasty, augmentation; without prosthetic implant		
19366	Breast reconstruction with other technique		
32405	Biopsy, lung or mediastinum, percutaneous needle		
69605	Revision mastoidectomy; with apicectomy		
C9745	Nasal endoscopy, surgical; balloon dilation of eustachian tube		
C9747	Ablation of prostate, transrectal, high intensity focused ultrasound (HIFU), including imaging		
	guidance		

101 CMR 347.00: Crosswalk

Deleted Code	Replacement Code
19324	15771*
32405	32408

^{*}This code currently exists in 101 CMR 347.00.