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TO: Community Health Centers Participating in MassHealth

FROM: Tom Dehner, Medicaid Director

RE: Community Health Center Manual (Revisions to Service Codes and Descriptions)

This letter transmits revisions to the service codes and descriptions in Subchapter 6 of the *Community Health Center Manual*. The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) has revised the Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) for 2007. The revisions are effective for dates of service on or after July 1, 2007.

**Please Note:** Providers must use the new service codes for dates of service on or after July 1, 2007. The 2007 HCPCS additions that are payable for dates of service on or after July 1, 2007, are found in the revised Subchapter 6 of the *Community Health Center Manual*. Effective July 1, 2007, MassHealth pays for medical nutrition therapy (MNT) and diabetes self-management training (DSMT). New service codes for billing these services have been incorporated into the attached Subchapter 6. Please refer to Community Health Center Bulletin 60 for more information about MNT and DSMT. In accordance with MassHealth regulations, payments are subject to the terms and conditions of 130 CMR 405.000 and 450.000. Prior-authorization requests may be submitted to MassHealth for any medically necessary service for a MassHealth Standard or CommonHealth member younger than 21 years of age.

For more information about payment, you may download the Division of Health Care Finance and Policy regulations at no cost at <u>www.mass.gov/dhcfp</u>. You may also purchase a paper copy of Division of Health Care Finance and Policy regulations from either the Massachusetts State bookstore or from the Division of Health Care Finance and Policy (see addresses and telephone numbers below). You must contact them first to find out the price of the paper copy of the publication. The regulation titles are as follows: for radiology, 114.3 CMR 18.00: Radiology; for laboratory, 114.3 CMR 20.00: Clinical Laboratory Services; for visits, 114.3 CMR 4.00: Rates for Community Health Centers; for tobacco cessation, 114.3 CMR 17.00: Medicine; and for MNT and DSMT, 114.3 CMR 17.00: Medicine.

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#### 601 Introduction and Explanation of Abbreviations

MassHealth pays for the services represented by the codes listed in Subchapter 6 in effect at the time of service, subject to all conditions and limitations in MassHealth regulations at 130 CMR 405.000 and 450.000. A community health center may request prior authorization for any medically necessary service reimbursable under the federal Medicaid Act in accordance with 130 CMR 450.144, 42 U.S.C. 1396d(a), and 42 U.S.C. 1396d(r)(5) for a MassHealth Standard or CommonHealth member younger than 21 years of age, even if it is not designated as covered or payable in Subchapter 6 of the *Community Health Center Manual*.

The following abbreviations are used in Subchapter 6.

(A) P.A. indicates that service-specific prior authorization is required (see 130 CMR 450.303).

(B) I.C. indicates that the claim will receive individual consideration to determine payment. A descriptive report must accompany the claim (see 130 CMR 450.271).

(C) S.P. indicates that the procedure is commonly performed as part of a total service and does not usually warrant a separate fee. The procedure must be performed separately to receive the separate fee.

#### 602 Radiology Service Codes and Descriptions

Service

<u>Code</u> <u>Service Description</u>

## **DIAGNOSTIC RADIOLOGY (DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING)**

#### HEAD AND NECK

- 70010 Myelography, posterior fossa, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 70015 Cisternography, positive contrast, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 70030 Radiologic examination, eye, for detection of foreign body
- 70100 Radiologic examination, mandible; partial, less than four views
- 70110 complete, minimum of four views
- 70120 Radiologic examination, mastoids; less than three views per side
- complete, minimum of three views per side
- 70134 Radiologic examination, internal auditory meati, complete
- 70140 Radiologic examination, facial bones; less than three views
- 70150 complete, minimum of three views
- 70160 Radiologic examination, nasal bones, complete, minimum of three views
- 70170 Dacryocystography, nasolacrimal duct, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 70190 Radiologic examination; optic foramina
- 70200 orbits, complete, minimum of four views
- 70210 Radiologic examination, sinuses, paranasal, less than three views
- 70220 Radiologic examination, sinuses, paranasal, complete, minimum of three views
- 70240 Radiologic examination, sella turcica
- 70250 Radiologic examination, skull; less than four views
- complete, minimum of four views

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<ul> <li>Radiologic examination, teeth; single view</li> <li>partial examination, less than full mouth</li> <li>complete, full mouth</li> <li>Radiologic examination, temporomandibular joint, open and closed mouth; unilateral</li> <li>bilateral</li> <li>Temporomandibular joint arthrography, radiological supervision and interpretation</li> <li>Magnetic resonance (e.g., proton) imaging, temporomandibular joint(s) (P.A.)</li> <li>Cephalogram, orthodontic</li> <li>Orthopantogram</li> <li>Radiologic examination; neck, soft tissue</li> <li>pharynx or larynx, including fluoroscopy and/or magnification technique</li> <li>Complex dynamic pharyngeal and speech evaluation by cine or video recording</li> <li>Laryngography, contrast, radiological supervision and interpretation</li> <li>Radiologic examination, salivary gland for calculus</li> <li>Sialography, radiological supervision and interpretation</li> </ul>	Service <u>Code</u>	Service Description
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	70380	Radiologic examination, salivary gland for calculus
70450 Computed tomography head or brain: without contrast material	70390	Sialography, radiological supervision and interpretation
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70460 with contrast material(s)	70460	with contrast material(s)
70470 without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sections	70470	without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sections
70480 Computed tomography, orbit, sella, or posterior fossa or outer, middle, or inner ear; without	70480	
contrast material		
70481with contrast material(s)		
without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sections		•
70486 Computed tomography, maxillofacial area; without contrast material		
70487with contrast material(s)		
without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sections		
70490 Computed tomography, soft tissue neck; without contrast material		
70491 with contrast material(s)		
70492 without contrast material followed by contrast material(s) and further sections		•
70540 Magnetic resonance (e.g., proton) imaging, orbit, face, and neck; without contrast material(s)		
70542 with contrast materials		
without contrast material(s), followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences		
70551 Magnetic resonance (e.g., proton) imaging, brain (including brain stem); without contrast material		
70552 with contrast material(s) (professional component only)		
70553 without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences		
70554 Magnetic resonance imaging, brain, functional MRI; including test selection and administration	/0554	
of repetitive body part movement and/or visual stimulation, not requiring physician or $(\mathbf{D}, \mathbf{A})$		
psychologist administration (P.A.)	70555	
70555 requiring physician or psychologist administration of entire neurofunctional testing (P.A.)		
70557 Magnetic resonance (e.g., proton) imaging, brain (including brain stem and skull base), during	10337	
open intracranial procedure (e.g., to assess for residual tumor or residual vascular malformation); without contrast material		
70558 with contrast material(s)	70559	
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<u>Code</u> <u>Service Description</u>

# **CHEST**

- 71010 Radiologic examination, chest; single view, frontal
- 71015 stereo, frontal
- 71020 Radiologic examination, chest, two views, frontal and lateral
- 71021 with apical lordotic procedure
- 71022 with oblique projections
- 71023 with fluoroscopy
- 71030 Radiologic examination, chest, complete, minimum of four views
- 71034 with fluoroscopy
- 71035 Radiologic examination, chest, special views (e.g., lateral decubitus, Bucky studies)
- 71040 Bronchography, unilateral, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 71060 Bronchography, bilateral, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 71090 Insertion pacemaker, fluoroscopy and radiography, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 71100 Radiologic examination, ribs, unilateral; two views
- 71101 including posteroanterior chest, minimum of three views
- 71110 Radiologic examination, ribs, bilateral; three views
- 71111 including posteroanterior chest, minimum of four views
- 71120 Radiologic examination; sternum, minimum of two views
- 71130 sternoclavicular joint or joints, minimum of three views
- 71250 Computed tomography, thorax; without contrast material
- with contrast material(s)
- 71270 without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sections
- 71555 Magnetic resonance angiography, chest (excluding myocardium), with or without contrast material(s)

## SPINE AND PELVIS

- 72010 Radiologic examination, spine, entire, survey study, anteroposterior and lateral
- 72020 Radiologic examination, spine, single view, specify level
- 72040 Radiologic examination, spine, cervical; two or three views
- 72050 minimum of four views
- 72052 complete, including oblique and flexion and/or extension studies
- 72069 Radiological examination, spine, thoracolumbar, standing (scoliosis)
- 72070 Radiologic examination, spine; thoracic, two views
- thoracic, three views
- thoracic, minimum of four views
- 72080 thoracolumbar, two views
- 72090 scoliosis study, including supine and erect studies
- 72100 Radiologic examination, spine, lumbosacral; two or three views
- 72110 minimum of four views
- 72114 complete, including bending views
- 72120 Radiologic examination, spine, lumbosacral, bending views only, minimum of four views
- 72125 Computed tomography, cervical spine; without contrast material

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Service <u>Code</u>	Service Description
72126	with contrast material
72127	without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sections
72128	Computed tomography, thoracic spine; without contrast material
72129	with contrast material
72130	without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sections
72131	Computed tomography, lumbar spine; without contrast material
72132	with contrast material
72133	without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sections
72141	Magnetic resonance (e.g., proton) imaging, spinal canal and contents, cervical; without contrast material
72142	with contrast material(s)
72146	Magnetic resonance (e.g., proton) imaging, spinal canal and contents, thoracic; without contrast material
72147	with contrast material(s)
72148	Magnetic resonance (e.g., proton) imaging, spinal canal and contents, lumbar; without contrast material
72149	with contrast material(s)
72156	Magnetic resonance (e.g., proton) imaging, spinal canal and contents, without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences; cervical
72157	thoracic
72158	lumbar
72170	Radiologic examination, pelvis; one or two views
72190	complete, minimum of three views
72192	Computed tomography, pelvis; without contrast material
72193	with contrast material(s)
72194	without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sections
72196	Magnetic resonance (e.g., proton) imaging, pelvis; with contrast material(s)
72200	Radiologic examination, sacroiliac joints; less than three views
72202	three or more views
72220	Radiologic examination, sacrum and coccyx, minimum of two views
72240	Myelography, cervical, radiological supervision and interpretation
72255	Myelography, thoracic, radiological supervision and interpretation
72265	Myelography, lumbosacral, radiological supervision and interpretation
72270	Myelography, two or more regions (e.g., lumbar/thoracic, cervical/thoracic, lumbar/cervical, lumbar/thoracic/cervical), radiological supervision and interpretation
72275	Epidurography, radiological supervision and interpretation
72285	Diskography, cervical or thoracic, radiological supervision and interpretation
72291	Radiological supervision and interpretation, percutaneous vertebroplasty or vertebral
augment	
72292	under CT guidance
72295	Diskography, lumbar, radiological supervision and interpretation

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<u>Code</u> <u>Service Description</u>

# UPPER EXTREMITIES

73000	Radiologic examination; clavicle, complete
73010	scapula, complete
73020	Radiologic examination, shoulder; one view
73030	complete, minimum of two views
73040	Radiologic examination, shoulder, arthrography, radiological supervision and interpretation
73050	Radiologic examination; acromioclavicular joints, bilateral, with or without weighted distraction
73060	humerus, minimum of two views
73070	Radiologic examination, elbow; two views
73080	complete, minimum of three views
73085	Radiologic examination, elbow, arthrography, radiological supervision and interpretation
73090	Radiologic examination; forearm, two views
73092	upper extremity, infant, minimum of two views
73100	Radiologic examination, wrist; two views
73110	complete, minimum of three views
73115	Radiologic examination, wrist, arthrography, radiological supervision and interpretation
73120	Radiologic examination, hand; two views
73130	minimum of three views
73140	Radiologic examination, finger(s), minimum of two views
73200	Computed tomography, upper extremity; without contrast material
73201	with contrast material(s)
73202	without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sections
73220	Magnetic resonance (e.g., proton) imaging, upper extremity, other than joint; without contrast material(s), followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences
73221	Magnetic resonance (e.g., proton) imaging, any joint of upper extremity; without contrast material(s)

# LOWER EXTREMITIES

- 73500 Radiologic examination, hip, unilateral; one view
- 73510 complete, minimum of two views
- 73520 Radiologic examination, hips, bilateral, minimum of two views of each hip, including anteroposterior view of pelvis
- 73525 Radiologic examination, hip, arthrography, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 73530 Radiologic examination, hip, during operative procedure
- 73540 Radiologic examination, pelvis and hips, infant or child, minimum of two views
- 73542 Radiological examination, sacroliac joint arthrography, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 73550 Radiologic examination, femur, two views
- 73560 Radiologic examination, knee; one or two views
- three views
- 73564 complete, four or more views
- both knees, standing, anteroposterior

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- 73580 Radiologic examination, knee, arthrography, radiological supervision and interpretation 73590 Radiologic examination; tibia and fibula, two views 73592 lower extremity, infant, minimum of two views 73600 Radiologic examination, ankle; two views 73610 complete, minimum of three views 73615 Radiologic examination, ankle, arthrography, radiological supervision and interpretation 73620 Radiologic examination, foot; two views 73630 complete, minimum of three views Radiologic examination; calcaneus, minimum of two views 73650 toe(s), minimum of two views 73660 Computed tomography, lower extremity; without contrast material 73700 73701 with contrast material(s) 73702 without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sections 73720 Magnetic resonance (e.g., proton) imaging, lower extremity, other than joint; without contrast material(s), followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences
- 73721 Magnetic resonance (e.g. proton) imaging, any joint of lower extremity; without contrast material
- 73725 Magnetic resonance angiography, lower extremity, with or without contrast material(s)

# **ABDOMEN**

- 74000 Radiologic examination, abdomen; single anteroposterior view
- 74010 anteroposterior and additional oblique and cone views
- 74020 complete, including decubitus and/or erect views
- complete acute abdomen series, including supine, erect, and/or decubitus views, single view chest
- 74150 Computed tomography, abdomen; without contrast material
- 74160 with contrast material(s)
- 74170 without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sections
- 74181 Magnetic resonance (e.g., proton) imaging, abdomen; without contrast material(s)
- 74185 Magnetic resonance angiography, abdomen, with or without contrast material(s)
- 74190 Peritoneogram (e.g., after injection of air or contrast), radiological supervision and interpretation

# GASTROINTESTINAL TRACT

- 74210 Radiologic examination; pharynx and/or cervical esophagus
- 74220 esophagus
- 74230 Swallowing function, with cineradiography/videoradiography
- 74235 Removal of foreign body(s), esophageal, with use of balloon catheter, radiological supervision and interpretation
- Radiologic examination, gastrointestinal tract, upper; with or without delayed films, without KUB
  with or without delayed films, with KUB
- 74245 with small intestine, includes multiple serial films
- 74246 Radiological examination, gastrointestinal tract, upper, air contrast, with specific high density barium, effervescent agent, with or without glucagon; with or without delayed films, without KUB

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74247	with or without delayed films, with KUB
74249	with small intestine follow-through
74250	Radiologic examination, small intestine, includes multiple serial films
74251	via enteroclysis tube
74260	Duodenography, hypotonic
74270	Radiologic examination, colon; barium enema, with or without KUB
74280	air contrast with specific high density barium, with or without glucagon
74283	Therapeutic enema, contrast or air, for reduction of intussusception or other intraluminal
	obstruction (e.g., meconium ileus)
74290	Cholecystography, oral contrast
74291	additional or repeat examination or multiple day examination
74300	Cholangiography and/or pancreatography; intraoperative, radiological supervision and
	interpretation
74301	additional set intraoperative, radiological supervision and interpretation (List separately in
	addition to code for primary procedure.)
74305	through existing catheter, radiological supervision and interpretation
74320	Cholangiography, percutaneous, transhepatic, radiological supervision and interpretation
74327	Postoperative biliary duct calculus removal, percutaneous via T-tube tract, basket or snare (e.g.,
	Burhenne technique), radiological supervision and interpretation
74328	Endoscopic catheterization of the biliary ductal system, radiological supervision and interpretation
74329	Endoscopic catheterization of the pancreatic ductal system, radiological supervision and
	interpretation
74330	Combined endoscopic catheterization of the biliary and pancreatic ductal systems, radiological
	supervision and interpretation
74340	Introduction of long gastrointestinal tube (e.g., Miller-Abbott), including multiple fluoroscopies
	and films, radiological supervision and interpretation
74350	Percutaneous placement of gastrostomy tube, radiological supervision and interpretation
74355	Percutaneous placement of enteroclysis tube, radiological supervision and interpretation
74360	Intraluminal dilation of strictures and/or obstructions (e.g., esophagus), radiological supervision and interpretation
74363	Percutaneous transhepatic dilatation of biliary duct stricture with or without placement of stent, radiological supervision and interpretation
	URINARY TRACT
74400	Urography (pyelography), intravenous, with or without KUB, with or without tomography

- 74400 Urography (pyelography), intravenous, with or without KUB, with or without tomography
- 74410 Urography, infusion, drip technique and/or bolus technique
- 74415 with nephrotomography
- 74420 Urography, retrograde, with or without KUB
- 74425 Urography, antegrade (pyelostogram, nephrostogram, loopogram), radiological supervision and interpretation
- 74430 Cystography, minimum of three views, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 74440 Vasography, vesiculography, or epididymography, radiological supervision and interpretation

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#### <u>Code</u> <u>Service Description</u>

- 74445 Corpora cavernosography, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 74450 Urethrocystography, retrograde, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 74455 Urethrocystography, voiding, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 74470 Radiologic examination, renal cyst study, translumbar, contrast visualization, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 74475 Introduction of intracatheter or catheter into renal pelvis for drainage and/or injection, percutaneous, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 74480 Introduction of ureteral catheter or stent into ureter through renal pelvis for drainage and/or injection, percutaneous, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 74485 Dilation of nephrostomy, ureters, or urethra, radiological supervision and interpretation

# GYNECOLOGICAL AND OBSTETRICAL

- 74710 Pelvimetry, with or without placental localization
- 74740 Hysterosalpingography, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 74742 Transcervical catheterization of fallopian tube, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 74775 Perineogram (e.g., vaginogram, for sex determination or extent of anomalies)

# **HEART**

- 75552 Cardiac magnetic resonance imaging for morphology; without contrast material
- vith contrast material
- Cardiac magnetic resonance imaging for function, with or without morphology; complete studylimited study
- 75556 Cardiac magnetic resonance imaging for velocity flow mapping (I.C.)

## AORTA AND ARTERIES

- Aortography, thoracic, without serialography, radiological supervision and interpretation
- Aortography, thoracic, by serialography, radiological supervision and interpretation
- Aortography, abdominal, by serialography, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75630 Aortography, abdominal plus bilateral iliofemoral lower extremity, catheter, by serialography, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75650 Angiography, cervicocerebral, catheter, including vessel origin, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75658 Angiography, brachial, retrograde, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75660 Angiography, external carotid, unilateral, selective, radiological supervision and interpretation
- Angiography, external carotid, bilateral, selective, radiological supervision and interpretation
- Angiography, carotid, cerebral, unilateral, radiological supervision and interpretation
- Angiography, carotid, cerebral, bilateral, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75676 Angiography, carotid, cervical, unilateral, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75680 Angiography, carotid, cervical, bilateral, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75685 Angiography, vertebral, cervical, and/or intracranial, radiological supervision and interpretation

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Service <u>Code</u>	Service Description
75705	Angiography, spinal, selective, radiological supervision and interpretation
75710	Angiography, extremity, unilateral, radiological supervision and interpretation
75716	Angiography, extremity, bilateral, radiological supervision and interpretation
75722	Angiography, renal, unilateral, selective (including flush aortogram), radiological supervision and interpretation
75724	Angiography, renal, bilateral, selective (including flush aortogram), radiological supervision and interpretation
75726	Angiography, visceral, selective or supraselective (with or without flush aortogram), radiological supervision and interpretation
75731	Angiography, adrenal, unilateral, selective, radiological supervision and interpretation
75733	Angiography, adrenal, bilateral, selective, radiological supervision and interpretation
75736	Angiography, pelvic, selective or supraselective, radiological supervision and interpretation
75741	Angiography, pulmonary, unilateral, selective, radiological supervision and interpretation
75743	Angiography, pulmonary, bilateral, selective, radiological supervision and interpretation
75746	Angiography, pulmonary, by nonselective catheter or venous injection, radiological supervision and interpretation
75756	Angiography, internal mammary, radiological supervision and interpretation
75774	Angiography, selective, each additional vessel studied after basic examination, radiological supervision and interpretation (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
75790	Angiography, arteriovenous shunt (e.g., dialysis patient), radiological supervision and interpretation

# VEINS AND LYMPHATICS

- 75801 Lymphangiography, extremity only, unilateral, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75803 Lymphangiography, extremity only, bilateral, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75805 Lymphangiography, pelvic/abdominal, unilateral, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75807 Lymphangiography, pelvic/abdominal, bilateral, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75809 Shuntogram for investigation of previously placed indwelling nonvascular shunt (e.g., LeVeen shunt, ventriculoperitoneal shunt, indwelling infusion pump), radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75810 Splenoportography, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75820 Venography, extremity, unilateral, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75822 Venography, extremity, bilateral, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75825 Venography, caval, inferior, with serialography, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75827 Venography, caval, superior, with serialography, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75831 Venography, renal, unilateral, selective, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75833 Venography, renal, bilateral, selective, radiological supervision and interpretation
- Venography, adrenal, unilateral, selective, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75842 Venography, adrenal, bilateral, selective, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75860 Venography, venous sinus (e.g., petrosal and inferior saggital) or jugular, catheter, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75870 Venography, superior sagittal sinus, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75872 Venography, epidural, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75880 Venography, orbital, radiological supervision and interpretation

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75885	Percutaneous transhepatic portography with hemodynamic evaluation, radiological supervision and interpretation
75887	Percutaneous transhepatic portography without hemodynamic evaluation, radiological supervision and interpretation
75889	Hepatic venography, wedged or free, with hemodynamic evaluation, radiological supervision and interpretation
75891	Hepatic venography, wedged or free, without hemodynamic evaluation, radiological supervision and interpretation
75893	Venous sampling through catheter, with or without angiography (e.g., for parathyroid hormone, renin), radiological supervision and interpretation
	Transcatheter Procedures
75894	Transcatheter therapy, embolization, any method, radiological supervision and interpretation
75896	Transcatheter therapy, infusion, any method (e.g., thrombolysis other than coronary), radiological supervision and interpretation
75898	Angiography through existing catheter for follow-up study for transcatheter therapy, embolization or infusion
75900	Exchange of a previously placed intravascular catheter during thrombolytic therapy with contrast monitoring, radiological supervision and interpretation
75901	Mechanical removal of pericatheter obstructive material (e.g., fibrin sheath) from central venous device via separate venous access, radiologic supervision and interpretation
75902	Mechanical removal of intraluminal (intracathether) obstructive material from central venous device
	through device lumen, radiologic supervision and interpretation
75940	Percutaneous placement of IVC filter, radiological supervision and interpretation
75945	Intravascular ultrasound (non-coronary vessel), radiological supervision and interpretation; initial vessel
75946	each additional non-coronary vessel (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
75952	Endovascular repair of infrarenal abdominal aortic aneurysm or dissection, radiological supervision and interpretation
75953	Placement of proximal or distal extension prosthesis for endovascular repair of infrarenal aortic or iliac artery aneurysm, pseudoaneurysm, or dissection, radiological supervision and interpretation
75954	Endovascular repair of iliac artery aneurysm, pseudoaneurysm, arteriovenous malformation, or trauma, radiological supervision and interpretation
75956	Endovascular repair of descending thoracic aorta (e.g., aneurysm, pseudoaneurysm, dissection, penetrating ulcer, intramural hematoma, or traumatic disruption); involving coverage of left subclavian artery origin, initial endoprothesis plus descending thoracic aortic extension(s), if required, to level of celiac artery origin, radiological supervision and interpretation
75957	not involving coverage of left subclavian artery origin, initial endoprothesis plus descending thoracic aortic extension(s), if required, to level of celiac artery origin, radiological supervision and interpretation

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75958	Placement of proximal extension prosthesis for endovascular repair of descending thoracic aorta (e.g., aneurysm, pseudoaneurysm, dissection, penetrating ulcer, intramural hematoma, or traumatic disruption), radiological supervision and interpretation
75959	Placement of distal extension prosthesis(s) (delayed) after endovascular repair of descending thoracic aorta, as needed, to level of celiac origin, radiological supervision and interpretation
75960	Transcatheter introduction of intravascular stent(s), (except coronary, carotid, and vertebral vessel), percutaneous and/or open, radiological supervision and interpretation, each vessel
75961	Transcatheter retrieval, percutaneous, of intravascular foreign body (e.g., fractured venous or arterial catheter), radiological supervision and interpretation
75962	Transluminal balloon angioplasty, peripheral artery, radiological supervision and interpretation
75964	Transluminal balloon angioplasty, each additional peripheral artery, radiological supervision and interpretation (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
75966	Transluminal balloon angioplasty, renal or other visceral artery, radiological supervision and interpretation
75968	Transluminal balloon angioplasty, each additional visceral artery, radiological supervision and interpretation (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
75970	Transcatheter biopsy, radiological supervision and interpretation
75978	Transluminal balloon angioplasty, venous (e.g., subclavian stenosis), radiological supervision and interpretation
75980	Percutaneous transhepatic biliary drainage with contrast monitoring, radiological supervision and interpretation
75982	Percutaneous placement of drainage catheter for combined internal and external biliary drainage or of a drainage stent for internal biliary drainage in patients with an inoperable mechanical biliary obstruction, radiological supervision and interpretation
75984	Change of percutaneous tube or drainage catheter with contrast monitoring (e.g., gastrointestinal system, genitourinary system, abscess), radiological supervision and interpretation
75989	Radiological guidance (i.e., fluoroscopy, ultrasound, or computed tomography), for percutaneous drainage (e.g., abscess, specimen collection), with placement of catheter, radiological supervision and interpretation
	Transluminal Atherectomy
75992	Transluminal atherectomy, peripheral artery, radiological supervision and interpretation
75993	Transluminal atherectomy, each additional peripheral artery, radiological supervision and

- interpretation (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
- 75994 Transluminal atherectomy, renal, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75995 Transluminal atherectomy, visceral, radiological supervision and interpretation
- 75996 Transluminal atherectomy, each additional visceral artery, radiological supervision and interpretation (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)

#### **Other Procedures**

R0070 Transportation of portable X-ray equipment and personnel to home or nursing facility, per trip to facility or location, more than one patient seen, per patient (one or more patients)

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76000	Fluoroscopy (separate procedure), up to one hour physician time, other than 71023 or 71034 (e.g., cardiac fluoroscopy)
76001	Fluoroscopy, physician time more than one hour, assisting a non-radiologic physician (e.g., nephrostolithotomy, ERCP, bronchoscopy, transbronchial biopsy)
76010	Radiologic examination from nose to rectum for foreign body, single view, child
76080	Radiologic examination, abscess, fistula or sinus tract study, radiological supervision and interpretation
76098	Radiological examination, surgical specimen
76100	Radiologic examination, single plane body section (e.g., tomography), other than with urography
76101	Radiologic examination, complex motion (i.e., hypercycloidal) body section (e.g., mastoid polytomography), other than with urography; unilateral
76102	bilateral
76120	Cineradiography/videoradiography, except where specifically included
76125	Cineradiography/videoradiography to complement routine examination (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
76376	3D rendering with interpretation and reporting of computer tomography, magnetic resonance
	imaging, ultrasound, or other tomographic modality; not requiring image postprocessing on an independent workstation
76277	
76377	requiring image postprocessing on an independent workstation

- 76380 Computed tomography, limited or localized follow-up study
- 76499 Unlisted diagnostic radiographic procedure (I.C.)

## DIAGNOSTIC ULTRASOUND

## HEAD AND NECK

- 76506 Echoencephalography, B-scan and/or real time with image documentation (gray scale) (for determination of ventricular size, delineation of cerebral contents and detection of fluid masses or other intracranial abnormalities), including A-mode encephalography as secondary component where indicated
- 76510 Ophthalmic ultrasound, diagnostic; B-scan and quantitative A-scan performed during the same patient encounter
- 76511 quantitative A-scan only
- 76512 B-scan (with or without superimposed non-quantitative A-scan)
- anterior segment ultrasound, immersion (water bath) B-scan or high resolution biomicroscopy
- corneal pachymetry, unilateral or bilateral (determination of corneal thickness)
- 76516 Ophthalmic biometry by ultrasound echography, A-scan
- 76519 with intraocular lens power calculation
- 76529 Ophthalmic ultrasonic foreign body localization
- 76536 Ultrasound, soft tissues of head and neck (e.g., thyroid, parathyroid, parotid), B-scan and/or real time with image documentation

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# **CHEST**

- 76604 Ultrasound, chest, B-scan (includes mediastinum) and/or real time with image documentation
- 76645 Ultrasound, breast(s) (unilateral or bilateral), B-scan and/or real time with image documentation

# ABDOMEN AND RETROPERITONEUM

- 76700 Ultrasound, abdominal, B-scan and/or real time with image documentation; complete
- 76705 limited (e.g., single organ, quadrant, follow-up)
- 76770 Ultrasound, retroperitoneal (e.g., renal, aorta, nodes), B-scan and/or real time with image documentation; complete
- 76775 limited
- 76776 Ultrasound, transplanted kidney, real time and duplex Doppler with image documentation

# SPINAL CANAL

76800 Ultrasound, spinal canal and contents

# PELVIS

76801	Ultrasound, pregnant uterus, real time with image documentation, fetal and maternal evaluation, first trimester (<14 weeks 0 days), transabdominal approach; single or first gestation
76802	each additional gestation (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
76805	Ultrasound, pregnant uterus, real time with image documentation, fetal and maternal evaluation, after first trimester (> or = 14 weeks 0 days), transabdominal approach; single or first gestation
76810	each additional gestation (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)
76811	Ultrasound, pregnant uterus, real time with image documentation, fetal and maternal evaluation
/0011	plus detailed fetal anatomic examination, transabdominal approach, single or first gestation
76812	each additional gestation (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
76813	Ultrasound, pregnant uterus, real time with image documentation, first trimester fetal nuchal
	translucency measurement, transabdominal or transvaginal approach; single or first gestation
76814	each additional gestation (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)
76815	Ultrasound, pregnant uterus, real time with image documentation, limited (e.g., fetal heart beat,
	placental location, fetal position and/or qualitative amniotic fluid volume), one or more fetuses
76816	Ultrasound, pregnant uterus, real time with image documentation, follow-up (e.g., reevaluation of
	fetal size by measuring standard growth parameters and amniotic fluid volume, reevaluation of
	organ system(s) suspected or confirmed to be abnormal on a previous scan), transabdominal
	approach, per fetus
76817	Ultrasound, pregnant uterus, real time with image documentation, transvaginal
76818	Fetal biophysical profile; with non-stress testing
76820	Doppler velocimetry, fetal; umbilical artery
76821	middle cerebral artery

Echocardiography, fetal, cardiovascular system, real time with image documentation (2D), with or

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	without M-mode recording
76826	follow-up or repeat study
76827	Doppler echocardiography, fet

- 76827 Doppler echocardiography, fetal, pulsed wave and/or continuous wave with spectral display; complete
- 76828 follow-up or repeat study

# **NONOBSTETRICAL**

- 76830 Ultrasound, transvaginal
- Saline infusion sonohysterography (SIS), including color flow Doppler, when performed
- 76856 Ultrasound, pelvic (nonobstetric), B-scan and/or real time with image documentation; complete
- 76857limited or follow-up (e.g., for follicles)

# **GENITALIA**

- 76870 Ultrasound, scrotum and contents
- 76872 transrectal
- prostate volume study for brachytherapy treatment planning (separate procedure)

# **EXTREMITIES**

- 76880 Ultrasound, extremity, non-vascular, B-scan and/or real time with image documentation
- 76885 Ultrasound, infant hips, real time with imaging documentation; dynamic (requiring physician manipulation)
- 76886 limited, static (not requiring physician manipulation)

# **ULTRASONIC GUIDANCE PROCEDURES**

- 76930 Ultrasonic guidance for pericardiocentesis, imaging supervision and interpretation
- 76932 Ultrasonic guidance for endomyocardial biopsy, imaging supervision and interpretation
- 76936 Ultrasound guided compression repair of arterial pseudoaneurysm or arteriovenous fistulae (includes diagnostic ultrasound evaluation, compression of lesion and imaging)
- 76937 Ultrasound guidance for vascular access requiring ultrasound evaluation of potential access sites, documentation of selected vessel patency, concurrent realtime ultrasound visualization of vascular needle entry, with permanent recording and reporting (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
- 76940 Ultrasonic guidance for, and monitoring of, visceral tissue ablation
- 76941 Ultrasonic guidance for intrauterine fetal transfusion or cordocentesis, imaging supervision and interpretation
- 76942 Ultrasonic guidance for needle placement (e.g., biopsy, aspiration, injection, localization device), imaging supervision and interpretation
- 76945 Ultrasonic guidance for chorionic villus sampling, imaging supervision and interpretation
- 76946 Ultrasonic guidance for amniocentesis, imaging supervision and interpretation
- 76948 Ultrasonic guidance for aspiration of ova, imaging supervision and interpretation
- 76950 Ultrasonic guidance for placement of radiation therapy fields

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#### **Other Procedures**

- 76965 Ultrasonic guidance for interstitial radioelement application
- 76970 Ultrasound study follow-up (specify)
- 76975 Gastrointestinal endoscopic ultrasound, supervision and interpretation
- 76977 Ultrasound bone density measurement and interpretation, peripheral site(s), any method
- 76998 Ultrasonic guidance, intraoperative
- 76999 Unlisted ultrasound procedure (e.g., diagnostic, interventional) (I.C.)

# **RADIATION ONCOLOGY**

## CLINICAL TREATMENT PLANNING (EXTERNAL AND INTERNAL SOURCES)

77001	Fluoroscopic guidance for central venous access device placement, replacement (catheter only or complete), or removal (includes fluoroscopic guidance for vascular access and catheter manipulation, any necessary contrast injections through access site or catheter with related venography radiologic supervision and interpretation, and radiographic documentation of final catheter position) (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)
77002	Fluoroscopic guidance for needle placement (e.g., biopsy, aspiration, injection, localization device)
77003	Fluoroscopic guidance and localization of needle or catheter tip for spine or paraspinous diagnostic or therapeutic injection procedures (epidural, transforaminal epidural, subarachnoid, paravertebral facet joint, paravertebral facet joint nerve, or sacroiliac joint), including neurolytic agent destruction
77011	Computed tomography guidance for stereotactic localization
77012	Computed tomography guidance for needle placement (e.g., biopsy, aspiration, injection, localization device), radiological supervision and interpretation
77013	Computerized tomography guidance for, and monitoring of, parenchymal tissue ablation
77014	Computed tomography guidance for placement of radiation therapy fields
77021	Magnetic resonance guidance for needle placement (e.g., for biopsy, needle aspiration, injection, or placement of localization device) radiological supervision and interpretation
77022	Magnetic resonance guidance for, and monitoring of, parenchymal tissue ablation
77031	Stereotactic localization guidance for breast biopsy or needle placement (e.g., for wire localization or for injection), each lesion, radiological supervision and interpretation
77032	Mammographic guidance for needle placement, breast (e.g., for wire localization or for injection), each lesion, radiological supervision and interpretation
77051	Computer-aided detection (computer algorithm analysis of digital image data for lesion detection) with further physician review for interpretation, with or without digitization of film radiographic images; diagnostic mammography (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
77052	screening mammography (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
77053	Mammary ductogram or galactogram, single duct, radiological supervision and interpretation
77054	Mammary ductogram or galactogram, multiple ducts, radiological supervision and interpretation
77055	Mammography; unilateral
77056	bilateral

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77057	Screening mammography, bilateral (two-view film study of each breast)	
77058	Magnetic resonance imaging, breast, without and/or with contrast material(s); unilateral (P.A.)	
77059	bilateral (P.A.)	
77071	Manual application of stress performed by physician for joint radiography, including contralateral joint if indicated	
77072	Bone age studies	
77073	Bone length studies	
77074	Radiologic examination, osseous survey; limited (e.g., for metastases)	
77075	complete (axial and appendicular skeleton)	
77076	Radiologic examination, osseous survey, infant	
77077	Joint survey, single view, 2 or more joints (specify)	
77078	Computed tomography, bone mineral density study, 1 or more sites; axial skeleton (e.g., hips, pelvis, spine)	
77079	appendicular skeleton (peripheral) (e.g., radius, wrist, heel)	
77080	Dual-energy X-ray absorptiometry (DXA), bone density study, 1 or more sites; axial skeleton (e.g., hips, pelvis, spine)	
77081	appendicular skeleton (peripheral) (e.g., radius, wrist, heel)	
77082	vertebral fracture assessment	
77083	Radiographic absorptiometry (e.g., photodensitometry, radiogrammetry), 1 or more sites	
77084	Magnetic resonance (e.g., proton) imaging, bone marrow blood supply	
77261	Therapeutic radiology treatment planning; simple	
77262	intermediate	
77263	complex	
77280	Therapeutic radiology simulation-aided field setting; simple	
77285	intermediate	
77290	complex	
77295	three-dimensional	
77299	Unlisted procedure, therapeutic radiology clinical treatment planning (I.C.)	
77399	Unlisted procedure, medical radiation physics, dosimetry and treatment devices, and special services (I.C.)	
<b>RADIATION TREATMENT MANAGEMENT</b>		

- 77427 Radiation treatment management, five treatments
- 77431 Radiation therapy management with complete course of therapy consisting of one or two fractions only
- 77432 Stereotactic radiation treatment management of cerebral lesion(s) (complete course of treatment consisting of one session)
- 77435 Stereotactic body radiation therapy, treatment management, per treatment course, to one or more lesions, including image guidance, entire course not to exceed five fractions
- 77470 Special treatment procedure (e.g., total body irradiation, hemibody radiation, per oral, endocavitary, or intraoperative cone irradiation)
- Unlisted procedure, therapeutic radiology treatment management (I.C.)

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#### **Hyperthermia**

Hyperthermia is used **only** as an adjunct to radiation therapy or chemotherapy.

- 77600 Hyperthermia, externally generated; superficial (i.e., heating to a depth of four cm or less) 77605 deep (i.e., heating to depths greater than four cm)
- 77610 Hyperthermia generated by interstitial probe(s); five or fewer interstitial applicators
- more than five interstitial applicators

#### **Clinical Intracavitary Hyperthermia**

Clinical intracavitary hyperthermia is used **only** as an adjunct to radiation therapy or chemotherapy.

77620 Hyperthermia generated by intracavitary probe(s)

## **Clinical Brachytherapy**

- 77750 Infusion or instillation of radioelement solution (includes three months follow-up care)
- 77761 Intracavitary radiation source application; simple
- 77762 intermediate
- 77763 complex
- 77776 Interstitial radiation source application; simple
- 77777 intermediate
- 77778 complex
- Remote afterloading high intensity brachytherapy; one to four source positions or cathetersfive to eight source positions or catheters
- nine to 12 source positions or catheters
- 77784 over 12 source positions or catheters
- 77789 Surface application of radiation source
- 77799 Unlisted procedure, clinical brachytherapy (I.C.)

# NUCLEAR MEDICINE

## DIAGNOSTIC

## **Endocrine System**

- 78000 Thyroid uptake; single determination
- 78001 multiple determinations
- stimulation, suppression or discharge (not including initial uptake studies)
- 78006 Thyroid imaging, with uptake; single determination
- 78007 multiple determinations
- 78010 Thyroid imaging; only
- 78011 with vascular flow

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- <u>Code</u> <u>Service Description</u>
- 78015 Thyroid carcinoma metastases imaging; limited area (e.g., neck and chest only)
- 78016 with additional studies (e.g., urinary recovery)
- 78018 whole body
- 78020 Thyroid carcinoma metastases uptake (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
- 78070 Parathyroid imaging
- 78075 Adrenal imaging, cortex and/or medulla
- 78099 Unlisted endocrine procedure, diagnostic nuclear medicine (I.C.)

#### Hematopoietic, Reticuloendothelial and Lymphatic System

- 78102 Bone marrow imaging; limited area
- 78103 multiple areas
- 78104 whole body
- 78110 Plasma volume, radiopharmaceutical volume-dilution technique (separate procedure); single sampling
- 78111 multiple samplings
- 78120 Red cell volume determination (separate procedure); single sampling
- 78121 multiple samplings
- 78122 Whole blood volume determination, including separate measurement of plasma volume and red cell volume (radiopharmaceutical volume-dilution technique)
- 78130 Red cell survival study
- 78135 differential organ/tissue kinetics (e.g., splenic and/or hepatic sequestration)
- 78140 Labeled red cell sequestration, differential organ/tissue (e.g., splenic and/or hepatic)
- 78185 Spleen imaging only, with or without vascular flow
- 78190 Kinetics, study of platelet survival, with or without differential organ/tissue localization
- 78191 Platelet survival study
- 78195 Lymphatics and lymph nodes imaging
- 78199 Unlisted hematopoietic, reticuloendothelial and lymphatic procedure, diagnostic nuclear medicine (I.C.)

#### **Gastrointestinal System**

- 78201 Liver imaging; static only
- 78202with vascular flow
- 78205Liver imaging (SPECT)
- 78206with vascular flow
- 78215 Liver and spleen imaging; static only
- 78216 with vascular flow
- 78220 Liver function study with hepatobiliary agents, with serial images
- 78223 Hepatobiliary ductal system imaging, including gallbladder, with or without pharmacologic intervention, with or without quantitative measurement of gallbladder function
- 78230 Salivary gland imaging
- 78231 with serial images
- 78232 Salivary gland function study

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78258	Esophageal motility
78261	Gastric mucosa imaging
78262	Gastroesophageal reflux study
78264	Gastric emptying study
78270	Vitamin B-12 absorption study (e.g., Schilling test); without intrinsic factor
78271	with intrinsic factor
78272	Vitamin B-12 absorption studies combined, with and without intrinsic factor
78278	Gastrointestinal protein loss
78282	Gastrointestinal protein loss
78290	Intestine imaging (e.g., ectopic gastric mucosa, Meckel's localization, volvulus)
78291	Peritoneal-venous shunt patency test (e.g., for LeVeen, Denver shunt)

78299 Unlisted gastrointestinal procedure, diagnostic nuclear medicine (I.C.)

## **Musculoskeletal System**

- 78300 Bone and/or joint imaging; limited area
- 78305 multiple areas
- 78306 whole body
- 78315 three phase study
- 78320tomographic (SPECT)
- 78350 Bone density (bone mineral content) study, one or more sites; single photon absorptiometry
- 78399 Unlisted musculoskeletal procedure, diagnostic nuclear medicine (I.C.)

## **Cardiovascular System**

- 78414 Determination of central c-v hemodynamics (non-imaging) (e.g., ejection fraction with probe technique) with or without pharmacologic intervention or exercise, single or multiple determinations
- 78428 Cardiac shunt detection
- 78445 Non-cardiac vascular flow imaging (i.e., angiography, venography)
- 78456 Acute venous thrombosis imaging, peptide
- 78457 Venous thrombosis imaging, venogram; unilateral
- 78458 bilateral
- 78459 Myocardial imaging, positron emission tomography (PET), metabolic evaluation
- 78460 Myocardial perfusion imaging; (planar) single study, at rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic), with or without quantification
- 78461 multiple studies, (planar) at rest and/or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic), and redistribution and/or rest injection, with or without quantification
- 78464tomographic (SPECT), single study (including attenuation correction when performed), at rest<br/>or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic), with or without quantification
- 78465 tomographic (SPECT), multiple studies (including attenuation correction when performed), at rest and/or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic) and redistribution and/or rest injection, with or without quantification

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78466	Myocardial imaging, infarct avid, planar; qualitative or quantitative
78468	with ejection fraction by first pass technique
78469	tomographic SPECT with or without quantification
78472	Cardiac blood pool imaging, gated equilibrium; planar, single study at rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic), wall motion study plus ejection fraction, with or without additional quantitative processing
78473	multiple studies, wall motion study plus ejection fraction, at rest and stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic), with or without additional quantification
78478	Myocardial perfusion study with wall motion, qualitative or quantitative study (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
78480	Myocardial perfusion study with ejection fraction (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
78481	Cardiac blood pool imaging, (planar), first pass technique; single study, at rest or with stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic), wall motion study plus ejection fraction, with or without quantification
78483	multiple studies, at rest and with stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic), wall motion study plus ejection fraction, with or without quantification
78491	Myocardial imaging, positron emission tomography (PET), perfusion; single study at rest or stress
78492	multiple studies at rest and/or stress
78494	Cardiac blood pool imaging, gated equilibrium, SPECT, at rest, wall motion study plus ejection fraction, with or without quantitative processing
78496	Cardiac blood pool imaging, gated equilibrium, single study, at rest, with right ventricular ejection fraction by first pass technique (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
78499	Unlisted cardiovascular procedure, diagnostic nuclear medicine (I.C.)
	<u>Respiratory System</u>
78580	Pulmonary perfusion imaging; particulate
78584	Pulmonary perfusion imaging, particulate, with ventilation; single breath
78585	rebreathing and washout, with or without single breath
78586	Pulmonary ventilation imaging, aerosol; single projection
78587	multiple projections (e.g., anterior, posterior, lateral views)
78588	Pulmonary perfusion imaging, particulate, with ventilation imaging, aerosol, one or multiple projections
78591	Pulmonary ventilation imaging, gaseous, single breath, single projection
78593	Pulmonary ventilation imaging, gaseous, with rebreathing and washout with or without single breath; single projection
78594	multiple projections (e.g., anterior, posterior, lateral views)
78596	Pulmonary quantitative differential function (ventilation/perfusion) study
78599	Unlisted respiratory procedure, diagnostic nuclear medicine (I.C.)

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<u>Code</u> <u>Service Description</u>

#### **Nervous System**

- 78600 Brain imaging, limited procedure; static
- 78601with vascular flow
- 78605 Brain imaging, complete study; static
- 78607 tomographic (SPECT)
- 78608 Brain imaging, positron emission tomography (PET); metabolic evaluation
- 78609 perfusion evaluation
- 78610 Brain imaging, vascular flow only
- 78615 Cerebral vascular flow
- 78630 Cerebrospinal fluid flow, imaging (not including introduction of material); cisternography
- 78635 ventriculography
- 78645shunt evaluation
- 78647tomographic (SPECT)
- 78650 Cerebrospinal fluid leakage detection and localization
- 78660 Radiopharmaceutical dacryocystography
- 78699 Unlisted nervous system procedure, diagnostic nuclear medicine (I.C.)

## **Genitourinary System**

- 78700 Kidney imaging; static only
- 78701 with vascular flow
- 78707 Kidney imaging with vascular flow and function; single study without pharmacological intervention
- 78708 single study, with pharmacological intervention (e.g., angiotensin converting enzyme inhibitor and/or diuretic)
- 78709 multiple studies, with and without pharmacological intervention (e.g., angiotensin converting enzyme inhibitor and/or diuretic)
- 78710 Kidney imaging, tomographic (SPECT)
- 78725 Kidney function study, non-imaging radioisotopic study
- 78730 Urinary bladder residual study
- 78740 Ureteral reflux study (radiopharmaceutical voiding cystogram)
- 78761 with vascular flow
- 78799 Unlisted genitourinary procedure, diagnostic nuclear medicine (I.C.)

#### **Other Procedures**

- 78800 Radiopharmaceutical localization of tumor or distribution of radiopharmaceutical agent(s); limited area
- 78801 multiple areas
- 78802 whole body, single day imaging
- 78803 tomographic (SPECT)
- 78804 whole body, requiring two or more days imaging
- 78805 Radiopharmaceutical localization of inflammatory process; limited area

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78806	whole body
78807	tomographic (SPECT)
78811	Tumor imaging, position emission tomography (PET); limited area (eg, chest, head/neck)
78812	skull base to mid-thigh
78813	whole body
78814	Tumor imaging, positron emission tomography (PET) with concurrently acquired computed tomography (CT) for attenuation correction and anatomical localization; limited area (eg, chest, head/neck)
78815	skull base to mid-thigh
78816	whole body
78999	Unlisted miscellaneous procedure, diagnostic nuclear medicine (I.C.)

# **THERAPEUTIC**

- 79005 Radiopharmaceutical therapy, by oral administration
- 79101 Radiopharmaceutical therapy, by intravenous administration
- 79200 Radiopharmaceutical therapy by intracavitary administration
- 79300 Radiopharmaceutical therapy by interstitial radioactive colloid administration
- 79403 Radiopharmaceutical therapy, radiolabeled monoclonal antibody by intravenous infusion
- 79440 Radiopharmaceutical therapy, by intra-articular administration
- 79999 Radiopharmaceutical therapy, unlisted procedure (I.C.)

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# PATHOLOGY AND LABORATORY

# **ORGAN OR DISEASE-ORIENTED PANELS**

These panels were developed for coding purposes only and should not be interpreted as clinical parameters. The tests listed with each panel identify the defined components of that panel. These panel components are not intended to limit the performance of other tests. If one performs tests in addition to those specifically indicated for a particular panel, those tests should be reported separately in addition to the panel code.

Service <u>Code</u>	Service Description
80048	Basic metabolic panel (This panel must include the following: Calcium (82310), Carbon dioxide (82374), Chloride (82435), Creatinine (82565), Glucose (82947), Potassium (84132), Sodium (84295), and Urea Nitrogen (BUN) (84520).)
80050	General health panel (This panel must include the following: Comprehensive metabolic panel (80053), Blood count, complete (CBC), automated and automated differential (85025 of 85027 and 85004) or Blood count, complete (CBC), automated (85027) and appropriate manual differential WBC count (85007 or 85009) and Thyroid stimulating hormone (TSH) (84443).)
80051	Electrolyte panel (This panel must include the following: Carbon dioxide (82374), Chloride (82435), Potassium (84132), and Sodium (84295).)
80053	Comprehensive metabolic panel (This panel must include the following: Albumin (82040), Bilirubin, total (82247), Calcium (82310), Carbon dioxide (bicarbonate) (82374), Chloride (82435), Creatinine (82565), Glucose (82947), Phosphatase, alkaline (84075), Potassium (84132), Protein, total (84155), Sodium (84295), Transferase, alanine amino (ALT) (SGPT) (84460), Transferase, aspartate amino (AST) (SGOT) (84450), and Urea Nitrogen (BUN) (84520).)
80055	Obstetric panel (This panel must include the following: Blood count, complete (CBC), automated and automated differential WBC count (85025 or 85027 and 85004) or Blood count, complete (CBC), automated (85027) and appropriate manual differential WBC count (85007 or 95009), Hepatitis B surface antigen (HbsAg) (87340), Antibody, rubella (86762), Syphilis test, qualitative (e.g., VDRL, RPR, ART) (86592), Antibody screen, RBC, each serum technique (86850), Blood typing, ABO (86900), and Blood typing, Rh (D) (86901).)
80061	Lipid panel (This panel must include the following: Cholesterol, serum, total (82465), Lipoprotein, direct measurement, high density cholesterol (HDL cholesterol) (83718), and Triglycerides (84478).)
80069	Renal function panel (This panel must include the following: Albumin (82040), Calcium (82310), Carbon dioxide (bicarbonate) (82374), Chloride (82435), Creatinine (82565), Glucose (82947), Phosphorus inorganic (phosphate) (84100), Potassium (84132), Sodium (84295), and Urea nitrogen (BUN) (84520).)
80074	Acute hepatitis panel (This panel must include the following: Hepatitis A antibody (HAAb), IgM antibody (86709), Hepatitis B core antibody (HBcAb), IgM antibody (86705), Hepatitis B surface antigen (HBsAg) (87340), and Hepatitis C antibody (86803).)

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Hepatic function panel (This panel must include the following: Albumin (82040), Bilirubin, total (82247), Bilirubin, direct (82248), Phosphatase, alkaline (84075), Protein, total (84155), Transferase, alanine amino (ALT) (SGPT) (84460), and Transferase, aspartate amino (AST) (SGOT) (84450).)

# **DRUG TESTING**

The following list contains examples of drugs or classes of drugs that are commonly assayed by qualitative screen, followed by confirmation with a second method.

Alcohols Amphetamines Barbiturates Benzodiazepines Cocaine and metabolites Methadones Methaqualones Opiates Phencyclidines Phenothiazines Propoxyphenes Tetrahydrocannabinoids Tricyclic antidepressants

Confirmed drugs may also be quantitated.

Use 80100 for each multiple drug class chromatographic procedure. Use 80102 for each procedure necessary for confirmation. For chromatography, each combination of stationary and mobile phase is to be counted as one procedure. For example, if detection of three drugs by chromatography requires one stationary phase with three mobile phases, use 80100 three times. However, if multiple drugs can be detected using a single analysis (e.g., one stationary phase with one mobile phase), use 80100 only once.

For quantitation of drugs screened, use appropriate code in Chemistry section (82000-84999) or Therapeutic Drug Assay section (0150-80299).

- 80100 Drug screen, qualitative; multiple drug classes chromatographic method, each procedure
- single drug class method (e.g., immunoassay, enzyme assay), each drug class
- 80102 Drug confirmation, each procedure
- 80103 Tissue preparation for drug analysis

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# THERAPEUTIC DRUG ASSAYS

The material for examination may be from any source. Examination is quantitative. For nonquantitative testing, see drug testing (80100-80103).

80150	Amikacin
80152	Amitriptyline
80154	Benzodiazepines
80156	Carbamazepine; total
80157	free
80158	Cyclosporine
80160	Desipramine
80162	Digoxin
80164	Dipropylacetic acid (valproic acid)
80166	Doxepin
80168	Ethosuximide
80170	Gentamicin
80172	Gold
80173	Haloperidol
80174	Imipramine
80176	Lidocaine
80178	Lithium
80182	Nortriptyline
80184	Phenobarbital
80185	Phenytoin; total
80186	free
80188	Primidone
80190	Procainamide
80192	with metabolites (e.g., n-acetyl procainamide)
80194	Quinidine
80195	Sirolimus
80196	Salicylate
80197	Tacrolimus
80198	Theophylline
80200	Tobramycin
80201	Topiramate
80202	Vancomycin
80299	Quantitation of drug, not elsewhere specified

# EVOCATIVE/SUPPRESSION TESTING

80400 ACTH stimulation panel; for adrenal insufficiency (This panel must include the following: Cortisol (82533 x 2).)

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80402	for 21 hydroxylase deficiency (This panel must include the following: Cortisol ( $82533 \times 2$ ) and 17 hydroxyprogesterone ( $83498 \times 2$ ).)
80406	for 3 beta-hydroxydehydrogenase deficiency (This panel must include the following: Cortisol (82533 x 2) and 17 hydroxypregnenolone (84143 x 2).)
80408	Aldosterone suppression evaluation panel (e.g., saline infusion) (This panel must include the following: Aldosterone (82088 x 2) and Renin (84244 x 2).)
80410	Calcitonin stimulation panel (e.g., calcium, pentagastrin) (This panel must include the following: Calcitonin (82308 x 3).)
80412	Corticotropic releasing hormone (CRH) stimulation panel (This panel must include the following: Cortisol (82533 x 6) and Adrenocorticotropic hormone (ACTH) (82024 x 6).)
80414	Chorionic gonadotropin stimulation panel; testosterone response (This panel must include the following: Testosterone (84403 x 2 on three pooled blood samples).)
80415	estradiol response (This panel must include the following: Estradiol (82670 x 2 on three pooled blood samples).)
80416	Renal vein renin stimulation panel (e.g., captopril) (This panel must include the following: Renin (84244 x 6).)
80417	Peripheral vein renin stimulation panel (e.g., captopril) (This panel must include the following: Renin (84244 x 2).)
80418	Combined rapid anterior pituitary evaluation panel (This panel must include the following: Adrenocorticotropic hormone (ACTH) (82024 x 4), Luteinizing hormone (LH) (83002 x 4), Follicle stimulating hormone (FSH) (83001 x 4), Prolactin (84146 x 4), Human growth hormone (HGH) (83003 x 4), Cortisol (82533 x 4), and Thyroid stimulating hormone (TSH) (84443 x 4).)
80420	Dexamethasone suppression panel, 48 hour (This panel must include the following: Free cortisol, urine (82530 x 2), Cortisol (82533 x 2), and Volume measurement for timed collection (81050 x 2).) (For single dose dexamethasone, use 82533.)
80422	Glucagon tolerance panel; for insulinoma (This panel must include the following: Glucose (82947 x 3) and Insulin (83525 x 3).)
80424	for pheochromocytoma (This panel must include the following: Catecholamines, fractionated (82384 x 2).)
80426	Gonadatropin releasing hormone stimulation panel (This panel must include the following: Follicle stimulating hormone (FSH) (83001 x 4) and Luteinizing hormone (LH) (83002 x 4).)
80428	Growth hormone stimulation panel (e.g., arginine infusion, l-dopa administration). (This panel must include the following: Human growth hormone (HGH) (83003 x 4).)
80430	Growth hormone suppression panel (glucose administration) (This panel must include the following: Glucose (82947 x 3) and Human growth hormone (HGH) (83003 x 4).)
80432	Insulin-induced C-peptide suppression panel (This panel must include the following: Insulin (83525), C-peptide (84681 x 5), and Glucose (82947 x 5).)
80434	Insulin tolerance panel; for ACTH insufficiency (This panel must include the following: Cortisol (82533 x 5) and Glucose (82947 x 5).)
80435	for growth hormone deficiency (This panel must include the following: Glucose (82947 x 5) and Human growth hormone (HGH) (83003 x 5).)
80436	Metyrapone panel (This panel must include the following: Cortisol (82533 x 2) and 11 deoxycortisol (82634 x 2).)

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80438	Thyrotropin releasing hormone (TRH) stimulation panel; one hour (This panel must include the following: Thyroid stimulating hormone (TSH) (84443 x 3).)	
80439	two hour (This panel must include the following: Thyroid stimulating hormone (TSH) (84443 x 4).)	
80440	for hyperprolactinemia (This panel must include the following: Prolactin (84146 x 3).)	
<u>URINALYSIS</u>		
81000	Urinalysis, by dip stick or tablet reagent for bilirubin, glucose, hemoglobin, ketones, leukocytes, nitrite, pH, protein, specific gravity, urobilinogen, any number of these constituents; non-automated, with microscopy	
81001	automated, with microscopy	
81002	non-automated, without microscopy	
81003	automated, without microscopy	
81005	Urinalysis; qualitative or semiquantitative, except immunoassays	
81007	bacteriuria screen, except by culture or dipstick (specify type)	
81015	microscopic only	
81020	two or three glass test	
81025	Urine pregnancy test, by visual color comparison methods	
81050	Volume measurement for timed collection, each	
01000		

81099 Unlisted urinalysis procedure (I.C.)

# **CHEMISTRY**

The material for examination may be from any source. Examination is quantitative unless specified.

Clinical information derived from the results of laboratory data that is mathematically calculated (e.g., free thyroxine index (T7)) is considered part of the test procedure and therefore is not a separately reportable service.

82000	Acetaldehyde, blood
82003	Acetaminophen
82009	Acetone or other ketone bodies, serum; qualitative
82010	quantitative
82013	Acetylcholinesterase
82016	Acylcarnitines; qualitative, each specimen
82017	quantitative, each specimen
82024	Adrenocorticotropic hormone (ACTH)
82030	Adenosine; 5-monophosphate, cyclic (cyclic AMP)
82040	Albumin; serum
82042	urine or other source, quantitative, each specimen
82043	urine, microalbumin, quantitative
82044	urine, microalbumin, semiquantitative (e.g., reagent strip assay)

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92045	$\mathbf{I}_{\mathbf{C}} = \mathbf{I}_{\mathbf{C}} + $
82045	Ischemia modified (I.C.)
82055 82085	Alcohol (ethanol); any specimen except breath Aldolase
82085 82088	Aldosterone
82088	Alkaloids, urine, quantitative
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82103 82104	Alpha-1-antitrypsin; total
82104 82105	phenotype
82103 82106	Alpha-fetoprotein; serum amniotic fluid
82100 82108	Aluminum
82108	Amines, vaginal fluid, qualitative
82120	Amino acids; single, qualitative, each specimen
82127	multiple, qualitative, each specimen
82128	single, quantitative, each specimen
82131	Aminolevulinic acid, delta (ALA)
82135	Amino acids, two to five amino acids, quantitative, each specimen
82130	Amino acids, two to five amino acids, quantitative, each specimen
82140	Ammonia
82143	Amniotic fluid scan (spectrophotometric)
82145	Amphetamine or methamphetamine
82150	Amylase
82154	Androstanediol glucuronide
82157	Androstenedione
82160	Androsterone
82163	Angiotensin II
82164	Angiotensin I - converting enzyme (ACE)
82172	Apolipoprotein, each
82175	Arsenic
82180	Ascorbic acid (vitamin C), blood
82190	Atomic absorption spectroscopy, each analyte
82205	Barbiturates, not elsewhere specified
82232	Beta-2 microglobulin
82239	Bile acids; total
82240	cholylglycine
82247	Bilirubin; total
82248	direct
82252	feces, qualitative
82261	Biotinidase, each specimen
82270	Blood, occult, by peroxidase activity (e.g., guaiac), qualitative; feces, consecutive collected
	specimens with single determination, for colorectal neoplasm screening (ie, patient was
	provided three cards or single triple card for consecutive collection)
82271	other sources (I.C.)
82272	Blood, occult, by perioxidase activity (eg, guaiac), qualitative, feces, single specimen, (eg, from
	digital rectal exam) (I $C$ )

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82274	Blood, occult, by fecal hemoglobin determination by immunoassay, qualitative, feces, one to three
0000	simultaneous determinations
82286	Bradykinin
82300	Cadmium
82306	Calcifediol (25-OH vitamin D-3)
82307	Calciferol (vitamin D)
82308	Calcitonin
82310	Calcium; total
82330	ionized
82331	after calcium infusion test
82340	urine quantitative, timed specimen
82355	Calculus; qualitative analysis
82360	quantitative analysis, chemical
82365	infrared spectroscopy
82370	X-ray diffraction
82373	Carbohydrate deficient transferrin
82374	Carbon dioxide (bicarbonate)
82375	Carbon monoxide (carboxyhemoglobin); quantitative
82376	qualitative
82378	Carcinoembryonic antigen (CEA)
82379	Carnitine (total and free), quantitative, each specimen
82380	Carotene Catachalanninga tataluning
82382	Catecholamines; total urine blood
82383	
82384	fractionated
82387 82390	Cathepsin-D
82390 82397	Ceruloplasmin Chemiluminescent assay
82397 82415	Chloramphenicol
82413 82435	Chloride; blood
82435 82436	urine
82430 82438	other source
82438 82441	Chlorinated hydrocarbons, screen
82441	Cholesterol, serum or whole blood, total
82403 82480	Cholinesterase; serum
82480	RBC
82482	Chondroitin B sulfate, quantitative
82485	Chromatography, qualitative; column (e.g., gas liquid or HPLC), analyte not elsewhere specified
82480 82487	paper, one-dimensional, analyte not elsewhere specified
82487	paper, two-dimensional, analyte not elsewhere specified
82488 82489	thin layer, analyte not elsewhere specified
82489 82491	Chromatography, quantitative, column (e.g., gas liquid or HPLC); single analyte not elsewhere
02771	specified, single stationary and mobile phase
82492	multiple analytes, single stationary and mobile phase
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82495	Chromium
82507	Citrate
82520	Cocaine or metabolite
82523	Collagen cross links, any method
82525	Copper
82528	Corticosterone
82530	Cortisol; free
82533	total
82540	Creatine
82541	Column chromatography/mass spectrometry (e.g., GC/MS, or HPLC/MS), analyte not elsewhere specified; qualitative, single stationary and mobile phase
82542	quantitative, single stationary and mobile phase
82543	stable isotope dilution, single analyte, quantitative, single stationary and mobile phase
82544	stable isotope dilution, multiple analytes, quantitative, single stationary and mobile phase
82550	Creatine kinase (CK), (CPK); total
82552	isoenzymes
82553	MB fraction only
82554	isoforms
82565	Creatinine; blood
82570	other source
82575	clearance
82585	Cryofibrinogen
82595	Cryoglobulin, qualitative or semi-quantitative (e.g., cryocrit)
82600	Cyanide
82607	Cyanocobalamin (vitamin B-12)
82608	unsaturated binding capacity
82615	Cystine and homocystine, urine, qualitative
82626	Dehydroepiandrosterone (DHEA)
82627	Dehydroepiandrosterone-sulfate (DHEA-S)
82633	Desoxycorticosterone, 11- Deoxycortisol, 11-
82634 82638	Dibucaine number
82038 82646	Dihydrocodeinone
82649	Dihydromorphinone
82651	Dihydrotestosterone (DHT)
82652	Dihydroxyvitamin D, 1,25-
82652 82654	Dimydroxy vitanini D, 1,25- Dimethadione
82054 82656	Elastase, pancreatic (EL-1), fecal, qualitative or semiquantitative (I.C.)
82657	Enzyme activity in blood cells, cultured cells, or tissue, not elsewhere specified; nonradioactive
82037	substrate, each specimen
82658	radioactive substrate, each specimen
82658 82664	Electrophoretic technique, not elsewhere specified
82004 82666	Epiandrosterone
82668	Erythropoietin
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82670	Estradiol
82671	Estrogens; fractionated
82672	total
82677	Estriol
82679	Estrone
82690	Ethchlorvynol
82693	Ethylene glycol
82696	Etiocholanolone
82705	Fat or lipids, feces; qualitative
82710	quantitative
82715	Fat differential, feces, quantitative
82725	Fatty acids, nonesterified
82726	Very long chain fatty acids
82728	Ferritin
82731	Fetal fibronectin, cervicovaginal secretions, semi-quantitative
82735	Fluoride
82742	Flurazepam
82746	Folic acid; serum
82747	RBC
82757	Fructose, semen
82759	Galactokinase, RBC
82760	Galactose
82775	Galactose-1-phosphate uridyl transferase; quantitative
82776	screen
82784	Gammaglobulin; IgA, IgD, IgG, IgM, each
82785	IgE
82787	immunoglobulin subclasses (IgG1, 2, 3, or 4), each
82800	Gases, blood, pH only
82803	Gases, blood, any combination of pH, $pCO_2$ , $pO_2$ , $CO_2$ , $HCO_3$ (including calculated $O_2$ saturation)
82805	with $O_2$ saturation, by direct measurement, except pulse oximetry
82810	Gases, blood, $O_2$ saturation only, by direct measurement, except pulse oximetry
82820	Hemoglobin-oxygen affinity ( $pO_2$ for 50% hemoglobin saturation with oxygen)
82926 82928	Gastric acid, free and total, each specimen
82928 82938	Gastric acid, free or total; each specimen Gastrin after secretin stimulation
82938 82941	Gastrin
82943	Glucagon
82945 82945	Glucose, body fluid, other than blood
82946	Glucagon tolerance test
82940 82947	Glucose; quantitative, blood (except reagent strip)
82948	blood, reagent strip
82950	post-glucose dose (includes glucose)
82951	tolerance test (GTT), three specimens (includes glucose)
82952	tolerance test, each additional beyond three specimens
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82953	tolbutamide tolerance test
82955	Glucose-6-phosphate dehydrogenase (G6PD); quantitative
82960	screen
82963	Glucosidase, beta
82965	Glutamate dehydrogenase
82975	Glutamine (glutamic acid amide)
82977	Glutamyltransferase, gamma (GGT)
82978	Glutathione
82979	Glutathione reductase, RBC
82980	Glutethimide
82985	Glycated protein
83001	Gonadotropin; follicle-stimulating hormone (FSH)
83002	luteinizing hormone (LH)
83003	Growth hormone, human (HGH) (somatotropin)
83008	Guanosine monophosphate (GMP), cyclic
83009	Helicobacter pylori, blood test analysis for urease activity, non-reactive isotope (eg, C-12) (I.C.)
83010	Haptoglobin; quantitative
83012	phenotypes Unlight action multiplication in the state of
83013	Helicobacter pylori; breath test analysis for urease acitivity, non-radioactive isotope
83014	drug administration
83015	Heavy metal (arsenic, barium, beryllium, bismuth, antimony, mercury); screen
83018 83020	quantitative, each Hemoglobin fractionation and quantitation: electrophoresis (e.g., A2, S, C, and/or F)
83020 83021	Hemoglobin fractionation and quantitation; electrophoresis (e.g., A2, S, C, and/or F) chromatography (e.g., A2, S, C, and/or F)
83021	Hemoglobin; by copper sulfate method, non-automated
83020	F (fetal), chemical
83033	F (fetal), qualitative
83036	glycosylated (AIC)
83037	Glycosylated (AIC) by device cleared by FDA for home use (I.C.)
83045	methemoglobin, qualitative
83050	methemoglobin, quantitative
83051	plasma
83055	sulfhemoglobin, qualitative
83060	sulfhemoglobin, quantitative
83065	thermolabile
83068	unstable, screen
83069	urine
83070	Hemosiderin; qualitative
83071	quantitative
83080	b-Hexosaminidase, each assay
83088	Histamine
83090	Homocystine
83150	Homovanillic acid (HVA)
83491	Hydroxycorticosteroids, 17- (17-OHCS)

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83497	Hydroxyindolacetic acid, 5- (HIAA)
83498	Hydroxyprogesterone, 17-d
83499	Hydroxyprogesterone, 20-
83500	Hydroxyproline; free
83505	total
83516	Immunoassay for analyte other than infectious agent antibody or infectious agent antigen, qualitative or semiquantitative; multiple step method
83518	single step method (e.g., reagent strip)
83518	Immunoassay, analyte, quantitative; by radiopharmaceutical technique (e.g., RIA)
83520	not otherwise specified
83525	Insulin; total
83525 83527	free
83528	Intrinsic factor
83540	Iron
83550	Iron-binding capacity
83570	Isocitric dehydrogenase (IDH)
83582	Ketogenic steroids, fractionation
83586	Ketosteroids, 17- (17-KS); total
83593	fractionation
83605	Lactate (lactic acid)
83615	Lactate dehydrogenase (LD), (LDH);
83625	isoenzymes, separation and quantitation
83630	Lactoferrin, fecal, qualitative (I.C.)
83631	quantitative (I.C.)
83632	Lactogen, human placental (HPL) human chorionic somatomammotropin
83633	Lactose, urine; qualitative
83634	quantitative
83655	Lead
83661	Fetal lung maturity assessment; lecithin sphingomyelin (L/S) ratio
83662	foam stability test
83663	fluorescence polarization
83664	lamellar body density
83670	Leucine aminopeptidase (LAP)
83690	Lipase
83695	Lipoprotein (a) (I.C.)
83700	Lipoprotein, blood, electrophoretic separation and quantitation
83701Hig	gh resolution fractionation and quantitation of lipoproteins including lipoprotein subclasses when
	performed (eg, electrophoresis, ultracentrifugation)
83704	Quantitation of lipoprotein particle numbers and lipoprotein particle subclasses (eg, by nuclear
	magnetic resonance spectroscopy) (I.C.)
83718	Lipoprotein, direct measurement; high density cholesterol (HDL cholesterol)
83719	direct measurement, VLDL cholesterol
83721	direct measurement, LDL cholesterol
83727	Luteinizing-releasing factor (LRH)
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83735	Magnasium
	Magnesium
83775	Malate dehydrogenase
83785	Manganese
83788	Mass spectrometry and tandem mass spectrometry (MS, MS/MS), analyte not elsewhere specified;
	qualitative, each specimen
83789	quantitative, each specimen
83805	Meprobamate
83825	Mercury, quantitative
83835	Metanephrines
83840	Methadone
83857	Methemalbumin
83858	Methsuximide
83864	Mucopolysaccharides, acid; quantitative
83866	screen
83872	Mucin, synovial fluid (Ropes test)
83873	Myelin basic protein, cerebrospinal fluid
83874	Myoglobin
83880	Natriuretic peptide
83883	Nephelometry, each analyte not elsewhere specified
83885	Nickel

83887 Nicotine

## **Molecular Diagnostics**

The series of codes 83890-83912 is intended for use with molecular diagnostic techniques for analysis of nucleic acids. These services are coded by procedure rather than analyte. Code separately for each procedure used in an analysis. For example, a procedure requiring isolation of DNA, restriction endonuclease digestion, electrophoresis, and nucleic acid probe amplification would be coded 83890, 83892, 83894, and 83898.

83890	Molecular diagnostics; molecular isolation or extraction
83891	isolation or extraction of highly purified nucleic acid
83892	enzymatic digestion
83893	dot/slot blot production
83894	separation by gel electrophoresis (e.g., agarose, polyacrylamide)
83896	nucleic acid probe, each
83897	nucleic acid transfer (e.g., Southern, Northern)
83898	amplification of patient nucleic acid, each nucleic acid sequence
83900	amplification of patient nucleic acid, multiplex, first two nucleic acid sequences (I.C.)
83901	amplification of patient nucleic acid, multiplex, (List separately in addition to code for primary
	procedure
83902	reverse transcription
83903	mutation scanning, by physical properties (e.g., single strand conformational polymorphisms
	(SSCP), heteroduplex, denaturing gradient gel electrophoresis (DGGE), RNA'ase A), single segment, each

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00001	
83904	mutation identification by sequencing, single segment, each segment
83905	mutation identification by allele specific transcription, single segment, each segment
83906	mutation identification by allele specific translation, single segment, each segment
83907	lysis of cells prior to nucleic acid extraction (eg, stool specimens, paraffin embedded tissue (I.C.)
83908	signal amplification of patient nucleic acid, each nucleic acid sequence (I.C.)
83909	separation and identification by high resolution technique (eg, capillary electrophoresis) (I.C.)
83912	interpretation and report
83914	Mutation identification by enzymatic ligation or primer extension, single segment, each segment
	(e.g., oligonucleotide ligation assay (OLA), single base chain extension (SBCE), or allele-
02015	specific primer extension (ASPE)) (I.C.)
83915	Nucleotidase 5-
83916	Oligoclonal immune (oligoclonal bands)
83918	Organic acids; total, quantitative, each specimen
83919 83921	qualitative, each specimen Organic acid, single, quantitative
83921	Opiates (e.g., morphine, meperidine)
83925	Osmolality; blood
83935	urine
83937	Osteocalcin (bone g1a protein)
83945	Oxalate
83950	Oncoprotein, HER-2/neu
83970	Parathormone (parathyroid hormone)
83986	pH, body fluid, except blood
83992	Phencyclidine (PCP)
84022	Phenothiazine
84030	Phenylalanine (PKU), blood
84035	Phenylketones, qualitative
84060	Phosphatase, acid; total
84066	prostatic
84075	Phosphatase, alkaline
84078	heat stable (total not included)
84080	isoenzymes
84081	Phosphatidylglycerol
84085	Phosphogluconate, 6-, dehydrogenase, RBC
84087	Phosphohexose isomerase
84100	Phosphorus inorganic (phosphate); urine
84105 84106	
84100 84110	Porphobilinogen, urine; qualitative quantitative
84110	Porphyrins, urine; qualitative
84120	quantitation and fractionation
84126	Porphyrins, feces; quantitative
84127	qualitative
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84132	Potassium; serum
84133	urine
84134	Prealbumin
84135	Pregnanediol
84138	Pregnanetriol
84140	Pregnenolone
84143	17-hydroxypregnenolone
84144	Progesterone
84146	Prolactin
84150	Prostaglandin, each
84152	Prostate specific antigen (PSA); complexed (direct measurement)
84153	total
84154	free
84155	Protein, total, except by refractometry; serum
84156	urine
84157	other source (e.g., synovial fluid, cerebrospinal fluid)
84160	Protein, total, by refractometry, any source
84163	Pregnancy-associated plasma protein-A (PAPP-A) (I.C.)
84165	Protein, electrophoretic fractionation and quantitation, serum
84166	electrophoretic fractionation and quantitation, other fluids with concentration (eg, urine, CSF)
84181	Western Blot, with interpretation and report, blood or other body fluid
84182	Western Blot, with interpretation and report, blood or other body fluid, immunological probe
0.4000	for band identification, each
84202	Protoporphyrin, RBC; quantitative
84203	screen
84206	Proinsulin Duridenal about a (vitamin D. C)
84207	Pyridoxal phosphate (vitamin B-6)
84210	Pyruvate Pyruvate kinase
84220 84228	Quinine
84228 84233	Receptor assay; estrogen
84233	progesterone
84235	endocrine, other than estrogen or progesterone (specify hormone)
84233	non-endocrine (specify receptor)
84244	Renin
84252	Riboflavin (vitamin B-2)
84255	Selenium
84260	Serotonin
84270	Sex hormone binding globulin (SHBG)
84275	Sialic acid
84285	Silica
84295	Sodium; serum
84300	urine
84302	other source
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84305	Somatomedin
84307	Somatostatin
84311	Spectrophotometry, analyte not elsewhere specified
84315	Specific gravity (except urine)
84375	Sugars, chromatographic, TLC or paper chromatography
84376	Sugars (mono-, di, and oligosaccharides); single qualitative, each specimen
84377	multiple qualitative, each specimen
84378	single quantitative, each specimen
84379	multiple quantitative, each specimen
84392	Sulfate, urine
84402	Testosterone; free
84403	total
84425	Thiamine (vitamin B-1)
84430	Thiocyanate
84432	Thyroglobulin
84436	Thyroxine; total
84437	requiring elution (e.g., neonatal)
84439	free
84442	Thyroxine binding globulin (TBG)
84443	Thyroid-stimulating hormone (TSH)
84445	Thyroid-stimulating immune globulins (TSI)
84446	Tocopherol alpha (vitamin E)
84449 84450	Transcortin (cortisol binding globulin) Transferase; aspartate amino (AST) (SGOT)
844 <i>3</i> 0 84460	alanine amino (ALT) (SGPT)
84466	Transferrin
84478	Triglycerides
84479	Thyroid hormone (T3 or T4) uptake or thyroid hormone binding ratio (THBR)
84480	Triiodothyronine T3; total (TT-3)
84481	free
84482	reverse
84484	Troponin, quantitative
84485	Trypsin; duodenal fluid
84488	feces, qualitative
84490	feces, quantitative, 24-hour collection
84510	Tyrosine
84512	Troponin, qualitative
84520	Urea nitrogen; quantitative
84525	semiquantitative (e.g., reagent strip test)
84540	Urea nitrogen, urine
84545	Urea nitrogen, clearance
84550	Uric acid; blood
84560	other source
84577	Urobilinogen, feces, quantitative

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84578	Urobilinogen, urine; qualitative
84580	quantitative, timed specimen
84583	semiquantitative
84585	Vanillylmandelic acid (VMA), urine
84586	Vasoactive intestinal peptide (VIP)
84588	Vasopressin (antidiuretic hormone, ADH)
84590	Vitamin A
84591	Vitamin, not otherwise specified
84597	Vitamin K
84600	Volatiles (e.g., acetic anhydride, carbon tetrachloride, dichloroethane, dichloromethane,
	diethylether, isopropyl alcohol, methanol)
84620	Xylose absorption test, blood and/or urine
84630	Zinc
84681	C-peptide
84702	Gonadotropin, chorionic (hCG); quantitative
84703	qualitative
0.4000	

84999 Unlisted chemistry procedure (I.C.)

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- 85002 Bleeding time
- 85004 Blood count; automated differential WBC count
- blood smear, microscopic examination with manual differential WBC count
- blood smear, microscopic examination without manual differential WBC count
- 85009 manual differential WBC count, buffy coat
- spun microhematocrit
- 85014 hematocrit (Hct)
- 85018 hemoglobin (Hgb)
- 85025 complete (CBC), automated (Hgb, Hct, RBC, WBC and platelet count) and automated differential WBC count
- 85027 complete (CBC), automated (Hgb, Hct, RBC, WBC and platelet count)
- 85032 manual cell count (erythrocyte, leukocyte, or platelet) each
- red blood cell (RBC), automated
- 85044 reticulocyte, manual
- 85045 reticulocyte, automated
- 85046 reticulocytes, automated, including one or more cellular parameters (e.g., reticulocyte hemoglobin content (CHr), immature reticulocyte fraction (IRF), reticulocyte volume (MRV), RNA content), direct measurement
- 85048 leukocyte (WBC), automated
- 85049 platelet, automated
- 85055 Reticulated platelet assay
- 85060 Blood smear, peripheral, interpretation by physician with written report
- 85097 Bone marrow, smear interpretation
- 85130 Chromogenic substrate assay
- 85170 Clot retraction

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85175	Clot lysis time, whole blood dilution
85210	Clotting; factor II, prothrombin, specific
85220	factor V (AcG or proaccelerin), labile factor
85230	factor VII (proconvertin, stable factor)
85240	factor VIII (AHG), one stage
85244	factor VIII related antigen
85245	factor VIII, VW factor, ristocetin cofactor
85246 85247	factor VIII, VW factor antigen factor VIII, von Willebrand factor, multimetric analysis
85250	factor IX (PTC or Christmas)
85260	factor X (Stuart-Prower)
85270	factor XI (PTA)
85280	factor XII (Hageman)
85290	factor XIII (fibrin stabilizing)
85291	factor XIII (fibrin stabilizing), screen solubility
85292	prekallikrein assay (Fletcher factor assay)
85293	high molecular weight kininogen assay (Fitzgerald factor assay)
85300	Clotting inhibitors or anticoagulants; antithrombin III, activity
85301	antithrombin III, antigen assay
85302	protein C, antigen
85303	protein C, activity
85305	protein S, total
85306	protein S, free
85307	Activated Protein C (APC) resistance assay
85335	Factor inhibitor test
85337	Thrombomodulin
85345	Coagulation time; Lee and White
85347	activated
85348	other methods
85360	Euglobulin lysis
85362	Fibrin(ogen) degradation (split) products (FDP)(FSP); agglutination slide; semiquantitative
85366	paracoagulation
85370 85378	quantitative Fibrin degradation products. D. dimort qualitative or comiquentitative
85378 85379	Fibrin degradation products, D-dimer; qualitative or semiquantitative
85380	quantitative ultrasensitive (e.g., for evaluation for venous thromboembolism), qualitative or
83380	semiquantitative
85384	Fibrinogen; activity
85385	antigen
85390	Fibrinolysins or coagulopathy screen, interpretation and report
85396	Coagulation/fibrinolysis assay, whole blood (e.g., viscoelastic clot assessment), including use
	of any pharmacologic additive(s), as indicated, including interpretation and written report, per day
85400	Fibrinolytic factors and inhibitors; plasmin
85410	alpha-2 antiplasmin
85415	plasminogen activator
85420	plasminogen, except antigenic assay

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85421	plasminogen entigenie asser
85441	plasminogen, antigenic assay Heinz bodies; direct
85441 85445	
	induced, acetyl phenylhydrazine
85460 85461	Hemoglobin or RBCs, fetal, for fetomaternal hemorrhage; differential lysis (Kleihauer-Betke)
	rosette
85475 85520	Hemolysin, acid
	Heparin assay
85525	Heparin neutralization
85530	Heparin-protamine tolerance test
85536	Iron stain, peripheral blood
85540	Leukocyte alkaline phosphatase with count
85547	Mechanical fragility, RBC Muramidase
85549	
85555	Osmotic fragility, RBC; unincubated incubated
85557	
85576	Platelet; aggregation (in vitro), each agent
85597	Platelet neutralization
85610	Prothrombin time
85611	substitution, plasma fractions, each
85612	Russell viper venom time (includes venom); undiluted
85613	diluted
85635	Reptilase test
85651	Sedimentation rate, erythrocyte; non-automated
85652	automated
85660	Sickling of RBC, reduction
85670	Thrombin time; plasma
85675	titer
85705	Thromboplastin inhibition; tissue
85730	Thromboplastin time, partial (PTT); plasma or whole blood
85732	substitution, plasma fractions, each
85810	Viscosity
85999	Unlisted hematology and coagulation procedure (I.C.)
IMMUNOLOGY	
86000	Agglutinins, febrile (e.g., Brucella, Francisella, Murine typhus, Q fever, Rocky Mountain spotted fever, scrub typhus), each antigen
86001	Allergen specific IgG; quantitative or semiquantitative, each allergen

- 86003 Allergen specific IgE; quantitative or semiquantitative, each allergen
- 86005 qualitative, multiallergen screen (dipstick, paddle, or disk)
- 86021 Antibody identification; leukocyte antibodies
- 86022 platelet antibodies
- 86023 platelet-associated immunoglobulin assay
- 86038 Antinuclear antibodies (ANA)

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86039	titer
86060	Antistreptolysin 0; titer
86063	screen
86140	C-reactive protein
86141	high sensitivity (hsCRP)
86146	Beta 2 Glycoprotein I antibody, each
86147	Cardiolipin (phospholipid) antibody, each Ig class
86148	Anti-phosphatidylserine (phospholipid) antibody
86155	Chemotaxis assay, specify method
86156	Cold agglutinin; screen
86157	titer
86160	Complement; antigen, each component
86161	functional activity, each component
86162	total hemolytic (CH50)
86171	Complement fixation tests, each antigen
86185	Counterimmunoelectrophoresis, each antigen
86200	Cyclic citrullinated peptide (CCP), antibody (I.C.)
86215	Deoxyribonuclease, antibody
86225	Deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA), antibody; native or double stranded
86226	single stranded
86235	Extractable nuclear antigen, antibody to, any method (e.g., nRNP, SS-A, SS-B, Sm, RNP,
	Sc170, J01), each antibody
86243	Fc receptor
86255	Fluorescent noninfectious agent antibody; screen, each antibody
86256	titer, each antibody
86277	Growth hormone, human (HGH), antibody
86280	Hemagglutination inhibition test (HAI)
86294	Immunoassay for tumor antigen, qualitative or semiquantitative (e.g., bladder tumor antigen)
86300	Immunoassay for tumor antigen, quantitative; CA 15-3 (27.29)
86301	CA 19-9
86304	CA 125
86308 86309	Heterophile antibodies; screening
	titer
86310	titers after absorption with beef cells and guinea pig kidney
86316	Immunoassay for tumor antigen; other antigen, quantitative (e.g., CA 50, 72-4, 549), each
86317	Immunoassay for infectious agent antibody, quantitative, not otherwise specified
86318	Immunoassay for infectious agent antibody, qualitative or semiquantitative, single step method
0(220)	(e.g., reagent strip)
86320	Immunoelectrophoresis; serum
86325	other fluids (e.g., urine, cerobrospinal fluid) with concentration
86327 86320	crossed (two-dimensional assay)
86329 86331	Immunodiffusion; not elsewhere specified
86331	gel diffusion, qualitative (Ouchterlony), each antigen or antibody
86332	Immune complex assay

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86334	Immunofixation electrophoresis; serum
86335	other fluids with concentration (e.g., urine, CSF)
86336	Inhibin A
86337	Insulin antibodies
86340	Intrinsic factor antibodies
86341	Islet cell antibody
86343	Leukocyte histamine release test (LHR)
86344	Leukocyte phagocytosis
86353	Lymphocyte transformation, mitogen (phytomitogen) or antigen-induced blastogenesis
86355	B cells, total count (I.C.)
86357	Natural killer (NK) cells, total count (I.C.)
86359	T cells; total count
86360	absolute CD4 and CD8 count, including ratio
86361	absolute CD4 count
86367	Stem cells (ie, CD34), total count (I.C.)
86376	Microsomal antibodies (e.g., thyroid or liver-kidney), each
86378	Migration inhibitory factor test (MIF)
86382	Neutralization test, viral
86384	Nitroblue tetrazolium dye test (NTD)
86403	Particle agglutination; screen, each antibody
86406	titer, each antibody
86430	Rheumatoid factor; qualitative
86431	quantitative
86480	Tuberculosis test, cell mediated immunity measurement of gamma interferon antigen response (I.C.)
86485	Skin test; candida
86490	coccidioidomycosis
86510	histoplasmosis
86586	unlisted antigen, each
86590	Streptokinase, antibody
86592	Syphilis test; qualitative (e.g., VDRL, RPR, ART)
86593	quantitative

The following codes (86602-86804) are qualitative or semiquantitative immunoassays performed by multiple step methods for the detection of antibodies to infectious agents. For immunoassays by single step method (e.g., reagent strips), use code 86318. Procedures for the identification of antibodies should be coded as precisely as possible. For example, an antibody to a virus could be coded with increasing specificity for virus, family, genus, species, or type. In some cases, further precision may be added to codes by specifying the class of immunoglobulin being detected. When multiple tests are done to detect antibodies to organisms classified more precisely than the specificity allowed by available codes, it is appropriate to code each as a separate service. For example, a test for antibody to an enterovirus is coded as 86658. Coxsackieviruses are enteroviruses, but there are no codes for the individual species of enterovirus. If assays are performed for antibodies to coxsackie A and B species, each assay should be separately coded. Similarly, if multiple assays are performed for antibodies of different immunoglobulin classes, each assay should be coded separately.

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86602	Antibody; actinomyces
86603	adenovirus
86606	Aspergillus
86609	bacterium, not elsewhere specified
86611	Bartonella
86612	Blastomyces
86615	Bordetella
86617	Borrelia burgdorferi (Lyme disease) confirmatory test (e.g., Western blot or immunoblot)
86618	Borrelia burgdorferi (Lyme disease)
86619 86622	Borrelia (relapsing fever) Brucella
86625	Campylobacter
86628	Candida
86631	Chlamydia
86632	Chlamydia, IgM
86635	Coccidioides
86638	Coxiella Brunetii (Q fever)
86641	Cryptococcus
86644	cytomegalovirus (CMV)
86645	cytomegalovirus (CMV), IgM
86648	Diphtheria
86651	encephalitis, California (La Crosse)
86652	encephalitis, Eastern equine
86653	encephalitis, St. Louis
86654	encephalitis, Western equine
86658	enterovirus (e.g., coxsackie, echo, polio)
86663	Epstein-Barr (EB) virus, early antigen (EA)
86664	Epstein-Barr (EB) virus, nuclear antigen (EBNA)
86665	Epstein-Barr (EB) virus, viral capsid (VCA)
86666	Ehrlichia
86668 86671	Francisella tularensis
86674	fungus, not elsewhere specified Giardia lamblia
86677	Helicobacter pylori
86682	helminth, not elsewhere specified
86684	Haemophilus influenza
86687	HTLV-I
86688	HTLV-II
86689	HTLV or HIV antibody, confirmatory test (e.g., Western blot)
86692	hepatitis, delta agent
86694	herpes simplex, non-specific type test
86695	herpes simplex, type 1
86696	herpes simplex, type 2
86698	histoplasma

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86701	HIV-1
86702	HIV-2
86703	HIV-1 and HIV-2, single assay
86704	Hepatitis B core antibody (HBcAb); total
86705	IgM antibody
86706	Hepatitis B surface antibody (HBsAb)
86707	Hepatitis Be antibody (HBeAb)
86708	Hepatitis A antibody (HAAb); total
86709	IgM antibody
86710	Antibody; influenza virus
86713	Legionella
86717	Leishmania
86720	Leptospira
86723	Listeria monocytogenes
86727	lymphocytic choriomeningitis
86729	Lymphogranuloma venereum
86732	mucormycosis
86735	mumps
86738	mycoplasma
86741	Neisseria meningitidis
86744	Nocardia
86747	parvovirus
86750	Plasmodium (malaria)
86753	protozoa, not elsewhere specified
86756	respiratory syncytial virus
86757	Rickettsia
86759	rotavirus
86762	rubella
86765	rubeola
86768	Salmonella
86771	Shigella
86774	tetanus
86777	Toxoplasma
86778	Toxoplasma, IgM
86781	Treponema pallidum, confirmatory test (e.g., FTA-abs)
86784	trichinella
86787	varicella-zoster
86790	virus, not elsewhere specified
86793	Yersinia
86800	Thyroglobulin antibody
86803	Hepatitis C antibody
86804	confirmatory test (e.g., immunoblot)
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### **Tissue Typing**

- 86805 Lymphocytotoxicity assay, visual crossmatch; with titration
- 86806 without titration
- 86807 Serum screening for cytotoxic percent reactive antibody (PRA); standard method 96808 quick method
- 86812 HLA typing; A, B, or C (e.g., A10, B7, B27), single antigen
- A, B, or C, multiple antigens
- 86816 DR/DQ, single antigen
- 86817 DR/DQ, multiple antigens
- 86821 lymphocyte culture, mixed (MLC)
- 86822 lymphocyte culture, primed (PLC)
- 86849 Unlisted immunology procedure (I.C.)

## **TRANSFUSION MEDICINE**

86850	Antibody screen, RBC, each serum technique
86860	Antibody elution (RBC), each elution
86870	Antibody identification, RBC antibodies, each panel for each serum technique
86880	Antihuman globulin test (Coombs test); direct, each antiserum
86885	indirect, qualitative, each antiserum
86886	indirect, titer, each antiserum
86900	Blood typing; ABO
86901	Rh (D)
86903	antigen screening for compatible blood unit using reagent serum, per unit screened
86904	antigen screening for compatible unit using patient serum, per unit screened
86905	RBC antigens, other than ABO or Rh (D), each
86906	Rh phenotyping, complete
86920	Compatibility test each unit; immediate spin technique
86921	incubation technique
86922	antiglobulin technique
86923	electronic (I.C.)
86940	Hemolysins and agglutinins; auto, screen, each
86941	incubated
86970	Pretreatment of RBCs for use in RBC antibody detection, identification, and/or compatibility
	testing; incubation with chemical agents or drugs, each
86971	incubation with enzymes, each
86972	by density gradient separation
86975	Pretreatment of serum for use in RBC antibody identification; incubation with drugs, each
86976	by dilution
86977	incubation with inhibitors, each
86978	by differential red-cell absorption using patient RBCs or RBCs of known phenotype, each absorption

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86999 Unlisted transfusion medicine procedure (I.C.)

# MICROBIOLOGY

87001	Animal inoculation, small animal; with observation
87003	with observation and dissection
87015	Concentration (any type), for infectious agents
87040	Culture, bacterial; blood, aerobic, with isolation and presumptive identification of isolates
	(includes anaerobic culture, if appropriate)
87045	stool, aerobic, with isolation and preliminary examination (e.g., KIA, LIA), Salmonella and
	Shigella species
87046	stool, aerobic, additional pathogens, isolation and presumptive identification of isolates, each plate
87070	any other source except urine, blood, or stool, aerobic, with isolation and presumptive
	identification of isolates
87071	quantitative, aerobic with isolation and presumptive identification of isolates, any source
	except urine, blood, or stool
87073	quantitative, anaerobic with isolation and presumptive identification of isolates, any source except
	urine, blood, or stool
87075	any source, except blood, anaerobic with isolation and presumptive identification of isolates
87076	anaerobic isolate, additional methods required for definitive identification, each isolate
87077	aerobic isolate, additional methods required for definitive identification, each isolate
87081	Culture, presumptive, pathogenic organisms, screening only
87084	with colony estimation from density chart
87086	Culture, bacterial; quantitative colony count, urine
87088	with isolation and presumptive identification of isolates, urine
87101	Culture, fungi (mold or yeast) isolation, with presumptive identification of isolates; skin, hair, or nail
87102	other source (except blood)
87103	blood
87106	Culture, fungi, definitive identification, each organism; yeast (Use in addition to codes 87101,
	87102, or 87103 when appropriate.)
87107	mold
87109	Culture, mycoplasma, any source
87110	Culture, chlamydia, any source
87116	Culture, tubercle or other acid-fast bacilli (e.g., TB, AFB, mycobacteria) any source, with isolation
	and presumptive identification of isolates
87118	Culture, mycobacteria, definitive identification, each isolate
87140	Culture, typing; immunofluorescent method, each antiserum
87143	gas-liquid chromatography (GLC) or high pressure liquid chromatography (HPLC) method
87147	immunologic method, other than immunofluorescence (e.g., agglutination grouping), per antiserum
87149	identification by nucleic acid probe
87152	identification by pulse field gel typing
87158	other methods
87164	Dark field examination, any source (e.g., penile, vaginal, oral, skin); includes specimen collection

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87166 87168	without collection Macroscopic examination; arthropod
87168 87169	parasite
87109	Pinworm exam (e.g., cellophane tape prep)
87172	Homogenization, tissue, for culture
87170	Ova and parasites, direct smears, concentration and identification
87181	Susceptibility studies, antimicrobial agent; agar dilution method, per agent (e.g., antibiotic
0/101	gradient strip)
87184	disk method, per plate (12 or fewer agents)
87185	enzyme detection (e.g., beta lactamase), per enzyme
87186	microdilution or agar dilution (minimum inhibitory concentration (MIC) or breakpoint), each
	multiantimicrobial, per plate
87187	microdilution or agar dilution, minimum lethal concentration (MLC), each plate (List
	separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
87188	macrobroth dilution method, each agent
87190	mycobacteria, proportion method, each agent
87197	Serum bactericidal titer (Schlicter test)
87205	Smear, primary source with interpretation; Gram or Giemsa stain for bacteria, fungi, or cell types
87206	fluorescent and/or acid-fast stain for bacteria, fungi, parasites, viruses, or cell types
87207	special stain for inclusion bodies or parasites (e.g., malaria, coccidia, microsporidia,
	trypanosomes, herpes viruses)
87209	complex special stain (eg, trichrome, iron hemotoxylin) for ova and parasites (I.C.)
87210	wet mount for infectious agents (e.g., saline, India ink, KOH preps)
87220	Tissue examination by KOH slide of samples from skin, hair, or nails for fungi or ectoparasite ova
	or mites (e.g., scabies)
87230	Toxin or antitoxin assay, tissue culture (e.g., Clostridium difficile toxin)
87250	Virus isolation; inoculation of embryonated eggs, or small animal, includes observation and
07050	dissection
87252	tissue culture inoculation, observation, and presumptive identification by cytopathic effect
87253	tissue culture, additional studies or definitive identification (e.g., hemabsorption,
07054	neutralization, immunofluorescence stain), each isolate
87254	centrifuge enhanced (shell vial) technique, includes identification with immunofluorescence
07755	stain, each virus
87255	including identification by non-immunologic method, other than by cytopathic effect (e.g., virus specific enzymatic activity)
	virus specific enzymatic activity)
Infectiou	is agents by antigen detection, immunofluorescence microscopy; or nucleic acid probe techniques

Infectious agents by antigen detection, immunofluorescence microscopy; or nucleic acid probe techniques should be reported as precisely as possible. The most specific code possible should be reported. If there is no specific agent code, the general methodology code (e.g., 87299, 87449, 87450, 87797, 87798, 87799, 87899) should be used. For identification of antibodies to many of the listed infectious agents, see 86602-86804.

87260 Infectious agent antigen detection by immunofluorescent technique; adenovirus
87265 Bordetella pertussis/parapertussis

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87267	Enterovirus, direct fluorescent antibody (DFA)
87269	giardia
87270	Chlamydia trachomatis
87271	Cytomegalovirus, direct fluorescent antibody (DFA)
87272	cryptosporidium
87273	Herpes simplex virus type 2
87274	Herpes simplex virus type 1
87275	influenza B virus
87276	influenza A virus
87277	Legionella micdadei
87278	Legionella pneumophila
87279	Parainfluenza virus, each type
87280	respiratory syncytial virus
87281	Pneumocystis carinii
87283	Rubeola
87285	Treponema pallidum
87290	Varicella zoster virus
87299	not otherwise specified, each organism
87300	Infectious agent antigen detection by immunofluorescent technique, polyvalent for multiple
07201	organisms, each polyvalent antiserum
87301	Infectious agent antigen detection by enzyme immunoassay technique, qualitative or
07220	semiquantitative, multiple step method; adenovirus enteric types 40/41
87320	Chlamydia trachomatis
87324 87327	Clostridium difficile toxin(s)
87327 87328	Cryptococcus neoformans
87328 87329	cryptosporidium giardia
87329 87332	cytomegalovirus
87335	Escherichia coli 0157
87336	Entamoeba histolytica dispar group
87337	Entamoeba histolytica group
87338	Helicobacter pylori, stool
87339	Helicobacter pylori
87340	hepatitis B surface antigen (HBsAg)
87341	hepatitis B surface antigen (HBsAg) neutralization
87350	hepatitis Be antigen (HBeAg)
87380	hepatitis, delta agent
87385	Histoplasma capsulatum
87390	HIV-1
87391	HIV-2
87400	influenza, A or B, each
87420	respiratory syncytial virus
87425	rotavirus
87427	Shiga-like toxin

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87430	Streptococcus, group A
87449	Infectious agent antigen detection by enzyme immunoassay technique, qualitative or
	semiquantitative; multiple step method, not otherwise specified, each organism
87450	single step method, not otherwise specified, each organism
87451	multiple step method, polyvalent for multiple organisms, each polyvalent antiserum
87470	Infectious agent detection by nucleic acid (DNA or RNA); Bartonella henselae and Bartonella
	quintana, direct probe technique
87471	Bartonella henselae and Bartonella quintana, amplified probe technique
87472	Bartonella henselae and Bartonella quintana, quantification
87475	Borrelia burgdorferi, direct probe technique
87476	Borrelia burgdorferi, amplified probe technique
87477	Borrelia burgdorferi, quantification
87480	Candida species, direct probe technique
87481	Candida species, amplified probe technique
87482	Candida species, quantification
87485	Chlamydia pneumoniae, direct probe technique
87486	Chlamydia pneumoniae, amplified probe technique
87487	Chlamydia pneumoniae, quantification
87490	Chlamydia trachomatis, direct probe technique
87491	Chlamydia trachomatis, amplified probe technique
87492	Chlamydia trachomatis, quantification
87495	cytomegalovirus, direct probe technique
87496	cytomegalovirus, amplified probe technique
87497	cytomegalovirus, quantification
87510	Gardnerella vaginalis, direct probe technique
87511	Gardnerella vaginalis, amplified probe technique
87512	Gardnerella vaginalis, quantification
87515	hepatitis B virus, direct probe technique
87516	hepatitis B virus, amplified probe technique
87517	hepatitis B virus, quantification
87520	hepatitis C, direct probe technique
87521	hepatitis C, amplified probe technique
87522	hepatitis C, quantification
87525	hepatitis G, direct probe technique
87526	hepatitis G, amplified probe technique
87527	hepatitis G, quantification
87528	herpes simplex virus, direct probe technique
87529 87520	herpes simplex virus, amplified probe technique
87530 87521	herpes simplex virus, quantification
87531 87532	herpes virus 6, direct probe technique
87532 87533	herpes virus 6, amplified probe technique
87533 87534	herpes virus-6, quantification
87534 87535	HIV-1, direct probe technique HIV-1, amplified probe technique
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87536	HIV-1, quantification
87537	HIV-2, direct probe technique
87538	HIV-2, amplified probe technique
87539	HIV-2, quantification
87540	Legionella pneumophila, direct probe technique
87541	Legionella pneumophila, amplified probe technique
87542	Legionella pneumophila, quantification
87550	Mycobacteria species, direct probe technique
87551	Mycobacteria species, amplified probe technique
87552	Mycobacteria species, quantification
87555	Mycobacteria tuberculosis, direct probe technique
87556	Mycobacteria tuberculosis, amplified probe technique
87557	Mycobacteria tuberculosis, quantification
87560	Mycobacteria avium-intracellulare, direct probe technique
87561	Mycobacteria avium-intracellulare, amplified probe technique
87562	Mycobacteria avium-intracellulare, quantification
87580	Mycoplasma pneumoniae, direct probe technique
87581	Mycoplasma pneumoniae, amplified probe technique
87582	Mycoplasma pneumoniae, quantification
87590	Neisseria gonorrhoeae, direct probe technique
87591	Neisseria gonorrhoeae, amplified probe technique
87592	Neisseria gonorrhoeae, quantification
87620	papillomavirus, human, direct probe technique
87621	papillomavirus, human, amplified probe technique
87622	papillomavirus, human, quantification
87650	Streptococcus, group A, direct probe technique
87651	Streptococcus, group A, amplified probe technique
87652	Streptococcus, group A, quantification
87660 87797	Trichomonas vaginalis, direct probe technique Infectious agent detection by nucleic acid (DNA or RNA), not otherwise specified; direct probe
0//9/	technique, each organism
87798	amplified probe technique, each organism
87799	quantification, each organism
87800	Infectious agent detection by nucleic acid (DNA or RNA), multiple organisms; direct probe(s)
07000	technique
87801	amplified probe(s) technique
87802	Infectious agent antigen detection by immunoassay with direct optical observation; Streptococcus,
07002	group B
87803	Clostridium difficile toxin A
87804	influenza
87807	respiratory syncytial virus (I.C.)
87810	Infectious agent detection by immunoassay with direct optical observation; Chlamydia trachomatis
87850	Neisseria gonorrhoeae
87880	Streptococcus, group A
87899	not otherwise specified
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87902 Hepatitis C virus

87999 Unlisted microbiology procedure (I.C.)

# ANATOMIC PATHOLOGY

### **Cytopathology**

- 88104 Cytopathology, fluids, washings or brushings, except cervical or vaginal; smears with interpretation
- filter method only with interpretation
- smears and filter preparation with interpretation
- 88108 Cytopathology, concentration technique, smears and interpretation (e.g., Saccomanno technique)
- 88112 Cytopathology, selective cellular enhancement technique with interpretation (e.g., liquid based slide preparation method), except cervical or vaginal
- 88130 Sex chromatin identification; Barr bodies
- 88140 peripheral blood smear, polymorphonuclear drumsticks

Codes 88141-88155, 88164-88167 are used to report cervical or vaginal screening by various methods and to report physician interpretation services. Use codes 88150-88154 to report Pap smears that are examined using non-Bethesda reporting. Use codes 88164-88167 to report Pap smears that are examined using the Bethesda System of reporting. Use codes 88142-88143 to report specimens collected in fluid medium with automated thin layer preparation that are examined using any system of reporting (Bethesda or non-Bethesda). Within each of these three code families choose the one code that describes the screening method(s) used. Codes 88141 and 88155 should be reported in addition to the screening code chosen when the additional services are provided.

- 88141 Cytopathology, cervical or vaginal (any reporting system); requiring interpretation by physician (List separately in addition to code for technical service.)
- 88142 Cytopathology, cervical or vaginal (any reporting system), collected in preservative fluid, automated thin layer preparation; manual screening under physician supervision
- 88143 with manual screening and rescreening under physician supervision
- 88147 Cytopathology smears, cervical or vaginal; screening by automated system under physician supervision
- screening by automated system with manual rescreening under physician supervision
- 88150 Cytopathology, slides, cervical or vaginal; manual screening under physician supervision
- with manual screening and computer-assisted rescreening under physician supervisionwith manual screening and rescreening under physician supervision
- 88154 with manual screening and computer-assisted rescreening using cell selection and review under physician supervision
- 88155 Cytopathology, slides, cervical or vaginal, definitive hormonal evaluation (e.g., maturation index, karyopyknotic index, estrogenic index) (List separately in addition to code(s) for other technical and interpretation services.)
- 88160 Cytopathology, smears, any other source; screening and interpretation
- 88161 preparation, screening, and interpretation
- 88162 extended study involving over five slides and/or multiple stains

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88164	Cytopathology, slides, cervical or vaginal (the Bethesda System); manual screening under
	physician
88165	supervision with manual screening and rescreening under physician supervision
88166	with manual screening and computer-assisted rescreening under physician supervision
86167	with manual screening and computer-assisted rescreening using cell selection and review under physician supervision
88172	Cytopathology, evaluation of fine needle aspirate; immediate cytohistologic study to determine adequacy of specimen(s)
88173	interpretation and report
88174	Cytopathology, cervical or vaginal (any reported system), collected in preservative fluid, automated thin layer preparation, screening by automated system, under physician supervision
88175	with screening by automated system and manual rescreening or review, under physician supervision
88180	Flow cytometry; each cell surface, cytoplasmic or nuclear
88182	cell cycle or DNA analysis
88184	Flow cytometry, cell surface, cytoplasmic, or nuclear marker, technical component only; first marker
88185	each additional marker (List separately in addition to code for first marker)
88187	Flow cytometry, interpretation; 2 to 8 markers
88188	9 to 15 markers
88189 88199	16 or more markers Unlisted cytopathology procedure (I.C.)
00199	Unisted cytopathology procedure (i.e.)
	Cytogenetic Studies
88230	Tissue culture for non-neoplastic disorders; lymphocyte
88233	skin or other solid tissue biopsy
88235	amniotic fluid or chorionic villus cells
88237	Tissue culture for neoplastic disorders; bone marrow, blood cells
88239	solid tumor
88240 88241	Cryopreservation, freezing and storage of cells, each cell line
	Thawing and expansion of frozen cells, each aliquot
88245	Chromosome analysis for breakage syndromes; baseline Sister Chromatid Exchange (SCE), 20-25 cells
88248	baseline breakage, score 50-100 cells, count 20 cells, 2 karyotypes, (e.g., for ataxia telangiectasia, Fanconi anemia, fragile X)
88249	score 100 cells, clastogen stress (e.g., diepoxybutane, mitomycin C, ionizing radiation, UV radiation)
88261	Chromosome analysis; count 5 cells, 1 karyotype, with banding
88262	count 15-20 cells, 2 karyotypes, with banding
88263	count 45 cells for mosaicism, 2 karyotypes, with banding
88264	analyze 20-25 cells
88267	Chromosome analysis, amniotic fluid or chorionic villus, count 15 cells, 1 karyotype, with banding

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88269	Chromosome analysis, in situ for amniotic fluid cells, count cells from 6-12 colonies, 1
	karyotype, with banding
88271	Molecular cytogenetics; DNA probe, each (e.g., FISH)
88272	chromosomal in situ hybridization, analyze 3-5 cells (e.g., for derivatives and markers)
88273	chromosomal in situ hybridization, analyze 10-30 cells (e.g., for microdeletions)
88274	interphase in situ hybridization, analyze 25-99 cells
88275	interphase in situ hybridization, analyze 100-300 cells
88280	Chromosome analysis; additional karyotypes, each study
88283	additional specialized banding technique (e.g., NOR, C-banding)
88285	additional cells counted, each study
88289	additional high resolution study
88291	Cytogenetics and molecular cytogenetics, interpretation and report
88299	Unlisted cytogenetic study (I.C.)

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Complete descriptions for codes 88300 through 88309 are listed in the American Medical Association's Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) code book.

88300	Level I - surgical pathology, gross examination only
88302	Level II - surgical pathology, gross and microscopic examination
88304	Level III - surgical pathology, gross and microscopic examination
88305	Level IV - surgical pathology, gross and microscopic examination
88307	Level V - surgical pathology, gross and microscopic examination
88309	Level VI - surgical pathology, gross and microscopic examination
88311	Decalcification procedure (List separately in addition to code for surgical pathology
	examination.)
88312	Special stains (List separately in addition to code for primary service); Group I for
	microorganisms (e.g., Gridley, acid fast, methenamine silver), each
88313	Group II, all other (e.g., iron, trichrome), except immunocytochemistry and
	immunoperoxidase stains, each
88314	histochemical staining with frozen section(s)
88318	Determinative histochemistry to identify chemical components (e.g., copper, zinc)
88319	Determinative histochemistry or cytochemistry to identify enzyme constituents, each
88342	Immunohistochemistry (including tissue immunoperoxidase), each antibody
88346	Immunofluorescent study, each antibody; direct method
88347	indirect method
88348	Electron microscopy; diagnostic
88349	scanning
88355	Morphometric analysis; skeletal muscle
88356	nerve
88358	tumor (e.g., DNA ploidy)
88360	Morphometric analysis, tumor immunohistochemistry (eg, Her-2/neu, estrogen

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	receptor/progesterone receptor), quantitative or semiquantitative, each antibody; manual
88361	using computer-assisted technology
88362	Nerve-teasing preparations
88365	In situ hybridization, (eg, FISH), each probe
88367	Morphometric analysis, in situ hybridization, (quantitative or semi-quantitative) each probe; using computer-assisted technology
88368	manual
88371	Protein analysis of tissue by Western Blot, with interpretation and report
88372	immunological probe for band identification, each
88380	Microdissection (e.g., mechanical, laser capture) (I.C.)
88384	Array-based evaluation of multiple molecular probes; 11 through 50 probes (I.C.) (P.A.)
88385	51 through 250 probes (P.A.)
88386	251 through 500 probes (P.A.)
88399	Unlisted surgical pathology procedure (I.C.)
	<b>OTHER PROCEDURES</b>
89049	Caffeine halothane contracture test (CHCT) for malignant hyperthermia susceptibility, including interpretation and report
89050	Cell count, miscellaneous body fluids (e.g., cerebrospinal fluid, joint fluid), except blood
89051	with differential count
89055	Leukocyte assessment, fecal, qualitative or semiquantitative
89060	Crystal identification by light microscopy with or without polarizing lens analysis, any body fluid (except urine)
89100	Duodenal intubation and aspiration; single specimen (e.g., simple bile study or afferent loop culture) plus appropriate test procedure (I.C.)
89105	collection of multiple fractional specimens with pancreatic or gallbladder stimulation, single or double lumen tube
89125	Fat stain, feces, urine, or respiratory secretions
89130	Gastric intubation and aspiration, diagnostic, each specimen, for chemical analyses or cytopathology
89132	after stimulation
89135	Gastric intubation, aspiration, and fractional collections (e.g., gastric secretory study); one hour
89136	two hours
89140	two hours including gastric stimulation (e.g., histalog, pentagastrin)
89141	three hours, including gastric stimulation
89160	Meat fibers, feces
89190	Nasal smear for eosinophils
89220	Sputum, obtaining specimen, aerosol induced technique
89225	Starch granules, feces
89230	Sweat collection by iontopheresis
89235	Water load test
89240	Unlisted miscellaneous pathology test (I.C.)

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### CARDIOVASCULAR

# **Cardiography**

93000	Electrocardiogram, routine ECG with at least 12 leads; with interpretation and report
93005	tracing only, without interpretation and report
93010	interpretation and report only
93012	Telephonic transmission of post-symptom electrocardiogram rhythm strip(s), 24-hour attended
	monitoring, per 30-day period of time; tracing only
93014	physician review with interpretation and report only
93015	Cardiovascular stress test using maximal or submaximal treadmill or bicycle exercise, continous
	electrocardiographic monitoring, and/or pharmacological stress; with physician supervision,
	with interpretation and report
93018	interpretation and report only
93024	Ergonovine provocation test
93040	Rhythm ECG, one to three leads; with interpretation and report
93041	tracing only without interpretation and report
93042	interpretation and report only
93224	Electrocardiographic monitoring for 24 hours by continuous original ECG waveform recording
	and storage, with visual superimposition scanning; includes recording, scanning analysis with
	report, physician review and interpretation
93225	recording (includes hook-up, recording, and disconnection)
93226	scanning analysis with report
93227	physician review and interpretation
93230	Electrocardiographic monitoring for 24 hours by continuous original ECG waveform recording
	and storage without superimposition scanning utilizing a device capable of producing a full
	miniaturized printout; includes recording, microprocessor-based analysis with report,
	physician review and interpretation
93231	recording (includes hook-up, recording, and disconnection)
93232	microprocessor-based analysis with report
93233	physician review and interpretation
93235	Electrocardiographic monitoring for 24 hours by continuous computerized monitoring and
	non-continuous recording, and real-time data analysis utilizing a device capable of producing
	intermittent full-sized waveform tracings, possibly patient activated; includes monitoring and
00000	real-time data analysis with report, physician review and interpretation
93236	monitoring and real-time data analysis with report
93237	physician review and interpretation
93268	Patient demand single or multiple event recording with presymptom memory loop, 24-hour attended monitoring, per 30-day period of time; includes transmission, physician review and
	interpretation
93278	interpretation Signal-averaged electrocardiography (SAECG), with or without ECG

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## **Other Vascular Studies**

- 93701 Bioimpedance, thoracic, electrical
- 93724 Electronic analysis of antitachycardia pacemaker system (includes electrocardiographic recording, programming of device, induction and termination of tachycardia via implanted pacemaker, and interpretation of recordings)
- 93731 Electronic analysis of dual-chamber pacemaker system (includes evaluation of programmable parameters at rest and during activity where applicable, using electrocardiographic recording and interpretation of recordings at rest and during exercise, analysis of event markers and device response); without reprogramming
- with reprogramming
- 93734 Electronic analysis of single-chamber pacemaker system (includes evaluation of programmable parameters at rest and during activity where applicable, using electrocardiographic recording and interpretation of recordings at rest and during exercise, analysis of event markers and device response); without reprogramming
- with reprogramming
- 93745 Initial set-up and programming by a physician of wearable cardioverter-defibrillator includes initial programming of system, establishing baseline electronic ECG, transmission of data to data repository, patient instruction in wearing system and patient reporting of problems or events (I.C.)

## **Other Procedures**

- 93797 Physician services for outpatient cardiac rehabilitation; without continuous ECG monitoring (per session)
- 93798 with continuous ECG monitoring (per session)
- 93799 Unlisted cardiovascular service or procedure (I.C.)

# NONINVASIVE VASCULAR DIAGNOSTIC STUDIES

## **Cerebrovascular Arterial Studies**

- 93875 Noninvasive physiologic studies of extracranial arteries, complete bilateral study (e.g., periorbital flow direction with arterial compression, ocular pneumoplethysmography, Doppler ultrasound spectral analysis) (S.P. to 93880 and 93882)
- 93880 Duplex scan of extracranial arteries; complete bilateral study
- 93882 unilateral or limited study
- 93886 Transcranial Doppler study of the intracranial arteries; complete study
- 93888 limited study

## **Extremity Arterial Studies (Including Digits)**

- 93922 Noninvasive physiologic studies of upper or lower extremity arteries, single level, bilateral (e.g., ankle/brachial indices, Doppler waveform analysis, volume plethysmography, transcutaneous oxygen tension measurement) (S.P. to 93924, 93925, 93926, 93930, and 93931)
- 93923 Noninvasive physiologic studies of upper or lower extremity arteries, multiple levels or with provocative functional maneuvers, complete bilateral study (e.g., segmental blood pressure

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	measurements, segmental Doppler waveform analysis, segmental volume plethysmography, segmental transcutaneous oxygen tension measurements, measurements with postural provocative tests, measurements with reactive hyperemia) (S.P. to 93924, 93925, 93926, 93930, and 93931)
93924	Noninvasive physiologic studies of lower extremity arteries, at rest and following treadmill stress testing, complete bilateral study (S.P. to 93925, 93926, 93930, and 93931)
93925 93926	Duplex scan of lower extremity arteries or arterial bypass grafts; complete bilateral study unilateral or limited study
93930 93931	Duplex scan of upper extremity arteries or arterial bypass grafts; complete bilateral study unilateral or limited study
	Extremity Venous Studies (Including Digits)
93965	Noninvasive physiologic studies of extremity veins, complete bilateral study (e.g., Doppler waveform analysis with responses to compression and other maneuvers, phleborheography, impedance plethysmography) (S.P. to 93970 and 93976)
93970 93971	Duplex scan of extremity veins including responses to compression and other maneuvers; complete bilateral study unilateral or limited study
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	Visceral and Penile Vascular Studies
93975	Duplex scan of arterial inflow and venous outflow of abdominal, pelvic, scrotal contents and/or retroperitoneal organs; complete study
93976	limited study (S.P. to 93975)
93978	Duplex scan of aorta, inferior vena cava, iliac vasculature, or bypass grafts; complete study (S.P. to 93975)
93979	unilateral or limited study (S.P. to 93975)
93980 93981	Duplex scan of arterial inflow and venous outflow of penile vessels; complete study follow-up or limited study (S.P. to 93980)
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	Extremity Arterial—Venous Studies
93990	Duplex scan of hemodialysis access (including arterial inflow, body of access and venous outflow)
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- 94002 Ventilation assist and management, initiation of pressure or volume preset ventilators for assisted or controlled breathing; hospital inpatient/observation, initial day
- 94003 hospital inpatient/observation, each subsequent day
- 94004 nursing facility, per day
- 94010 Spirometry, including graphic record, total and timed vital capacity, expiratory flow rate measurement(s), with or without maximal voluntary ventilation (S.P. to 94060, 94070, and 94620)
- 94014 Patient-initiated spirometric recording per 30-day period of time; includes reinforced education, transmission of spirometric tracing, data capture, analysis of transmitted data, periodic recalibration, and physician review and interpretation
- 94016 physician review and interpretation only

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Service	
Code	Service Description
94060	Bronchodilation responsiveness, spirometry as in 94010, pre- and post-bronchodilator administration (S.P. to 94070 and 94620)
94070	Bronchospasm provocation evaluation, multiple spirometric determinations as in 94010,, with administered agents (eg, antigen(s), cold air, methacholine)
94150	Vital capacity, total (separate procedure) (S.P. to 94010, 94060, 94070, and 94620)
94200	Maximum breathing capacity, maximal voluntary ventilation (S.P. to 94010, 94060, 94070, and 94620)
94240	Functional residual capacity or residual volume: helium method, nitrogen open circuit method, or other method
94250	Expired gas collection, quantitative, single procedure (separate procedure)
94260	Thoracic gas volume
94350	Determination of maldistribution of inspired gas: multiple breath nitrogen washout curve including alveolar nitrogen or helium equilibration time
94360	Determination of resistance to airflow, oscillatory or plethysmographic methods
94370	Determination of airway closing volume, single breath tests
94375	Respiratory flow volume loop (S.P. to 94010, 94060, and 94070)
94400	Breathing response to CO <sub>2</sub> (CO <sub>2</sub> response curve)
94450	Breathing response to hypoxia (hypoxia response curve)
94620	Pulmonary stress testing; simple (e.g., prolonged exercise test for bronchospasm with pre- and post-spirometry)
94621	complex (including measurements of $CO_2$ production, $O_2$ uptake, and electrocardiographic recordings)
94640	Pressurized or nonpressurized inhalation treatment for acute airway obstruction or for sputum induction for diagnostic purposes (e.g., with an aerosol generator, nebulizer, metered dose inhaler or intermittent positive pressure breathing (IPPB) device)
94642	Aerosol inhalation of pentamidine for pneumocystis carinii pneumonia treatment or prophylaxis
94660	Continuous positive airway pressure ventilation (CPAP), initiation and management
94662	Continuous negative pressure ventilation (CNP), initiation and management
94664	Demonstration and/or evaluation of patient utilization of an aerosol generator, nebulizer, metered dose inhaler or IPPB device
94667	Manipulation chest wall, such as cupping, percussing, and vibration to facilitate lung function; initial demonstration and/or evaluation
94668	subsequent
94680	Oxygen uptake, expired gas analysis; rest and exercise, direct, simple (S.P. to 94620)
94681	including CO <sub>2</sub> output, percentage oxygen extracted (S.P. to 94620 and 94680)
94690	rest, indirect (separate procedure) (S.P. to 94620)
94720	Carbon monoxide diffusing capacity (e.g., single breath, steady state) (S.P. to 94725)
94725	Membrane diffusion capacity
94750	Pulmonary compliance study (eg, plethysmography, volume and pressure measurements) (with report only) (S.P. to 94010, 94060, 94070, and 94620)
94760	Noninvasive ear or pulse oximetry for oxygen saturation; single determination (no professional component) (S.P. to 94620)
04761	multiple determinations (a.g., during everyise) (no professional component) (S. $\mathbf{P}$ to 0.4620)

94761 multiple determinations (e.g., during exercise) (no professional component) (S.P. to 94620)

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Service <u>Code</u>	Service Description
94762	by continuous overnight monitoring (separate procedure) (no professional component) (S.P. to 94620)
94770	Carbon dioxide, expired gas determination by infrared analyzer (with report only) (S.P. to 94620)
94772	Circadian respiratory pattern recording (pediatric pneumogram), 12 to 24 hour continuous recording, infant (I.C.)
94774	Pediatric home apnea monitoring event recording including respiratory rate, pattern and heart rate per 30-day period of time; includes monitor attachment, download of data, physician review, interpretation, and preparation of a report (I.C.)
94775	monitor attachment only (includes hook-up, initiation of recording and disconnection) (I.C.)
94776	monitoring, download of information, receipt of transmission(s) and analyses by computer only (I.C.)
94777	physician review, interpretation, and preparation of report only (I.C.)
94799	Unlisted pulmonary service or procedure (I.C.)
	<b>SUPPLEMENTARY</b>

99000 Handling and/or conveyance of specimen for transfer from the physician's office to a laboratory – centrifuging required

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## 604 Visit Service Codes and Descriptions

When claiming payment for visits, a CHC must bill according to the following service codes. A visit during which a member sees more than one professional for the same medical problem or general purpose must be claimed as only one visit. (See 130 CMR 405.421 for other requirements.)

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Code	Modifier	Service Description
		CHC Visits
90660 D9450		Influenza virus vaccine, live, for intranasal use (P.A.) Case presentation, detailed and extensive treatment planning (use only for <b>dental</b> <b>enhancement fee</b> . This code may only be billed once per date of service for each member receiving dental services on that date.)
J3490		Unclassified drugs (Use for injectable and infusible drugs and devices supplied in the clinic. Do not use for medications and injectables related to family planning services.) (I.C.)
T1015		Clinic visit/encounter, all-inclusive (Use for individual medical visit.)
T1015	HQ	Clinic visit/encounter, all-inclusive, group setting (Use for group clinic visit.)
90899	-	Unlisted psychiatric service or procedure (Use for individual mental health visit.) (I.C.)
99050		Services provided in the office at times other than regularly scheduled office hours, or days when the office is normally closed (eg. holidays, Saturday, and Sunday), in addition to basic service (Use for urgent care Monday through Friday from 5:00 P.M. to 6:59 A.M., and Saturday 7:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. This code may be billed in addition to the individual medical visit.)
99050	TV	Services provided in the office at times other than regularly scheduled office hours, or days when the office is normally closed (eg. holidays, Saturday, and Sunday), in addition to basic service (Use for urgent care Saturday 4:01 P.M. to Monday 6:59 A.M. This code may be billed in addition to the individual medical visit.)
99402		Preventive medicine counseling and/or risk factor reduction intervention(s) provided to an individual (separate procedure); approximately 30 minutes (Use for HIV counseling visits.)
		Hospital Inpatient Services
99221		<ul> <li>Initial hospital care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires these three key components:</li> <li>detailed or comprehensive history;</li> <li>detailed or comprehensive examination; and</li> <li>medical decision making that is straightforward or of low complexity</li> </ul>
99222		Initial hospital care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires these three key components: - a comprehensive history; - a comprehensive examination; and - medical decision making of moderate complexity
99223		Initial hospital care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires these three key components:

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99431		<ul> <li>a comprehensive history;</li> <li>a comprehensive examination; and</li> <li>medical decision making of high complexity</li> <li>History and examination of the normal newborn infant, initiation of diagnostic and treatment programs and preparation of hospital records (This code should also be used for birthing room deliveries.)</li> </ul>
		Subsequent Hospital Care
99231		Subsequent hospital care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires at least two of these three key components: - a problem focused interval history; - a problem focused examination;
99232		<ul> <li>medical decision making that is straightforward or of low complexity</li> <li>Subsequent hospital care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires at least two of these three key components: <ul> <li>an expanded problem focused interval history;</li> <li>an expanded problem focused examination;</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
99233		<ul> <li>medical decision making of moderate complexity</li> <li>Subsequent hospital care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires at least two of these three key components: <ul> <li>a detailed interval history;</li> <li>a detailed examination;</li> <li>medical decision making of high complexity</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
99433		Subsequent hospital care, for the evaluation and management of a normal newborn, per day
		Hospital Observation Services
		Initial Observation Care (New or Established Patient)
99218		<ul> <li>Initial observation care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires these three key components:</li> <li>- a detailed or comprehensive history;</li> <li>- a detailed or comprehensive examination; and</li> <li>- medical decision making that is straightforward or of low complexity</li> </ul>
99219		<ul> <li>Initial observation care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires these three key components:</li> <li>a comprehensive history;</li> <li>a comprehensive examination; and</li> <li>medical decision making of moderate complexity</li> </ul>
99220		Initial observation care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires these three key components:

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Service <u>Code</u>	Modifier	Service Description
99220		Initial observation care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires these three key components: - a comprehensive history; - a comprehensive examination; and - medical decision making of high complexity
		Nursing Facility Services
99304		<ul> <li>Initial nursing facility care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient which requires these three key components:</li> <li>a detailed or comprehensive history</li> <li>a detailed or comprehensive examination; and</li> <li>medical decision making that is straightforward or of low complexity.</li> </ul>
99305		Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the problem(s) requiring admission are of low severity. Initial nursing facility care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient
		<ul> <li>which requires these three key components: <ul> <li>a comprehensive history</li> <li>a comprehensive examination; and</li> <li>medical decision making of moderate complexity.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided</li> </ul>
99306		<ul> <li>consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs.</li> <li>Usually, the problem(s) requiring admission are of moderate severity.</li> <li>Initial nursing facility care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient which requires these three key components: <ul> <li>a comprehensive history</li> <li>a comprehensive examination; and</li> <li>medical decision making of high complexity.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs.</li> <li>Usually, the problem(s) requiring admission are of high complexity.</li> </ul>
		Subsequent Nursing Facility Care
99307		<ul> <li>Subsequent nursing facility care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires at least two of these three key components: <ul> <li>a problem focused interval history;</li> <li>a problem focused examination;</li> <li>straightforward medical decision making</li> </ul> </li> <li>Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually the patient is stable, recovering, or improving.</li> </ul>

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99308		<ul> <li>Subsequent nursing facility care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires at least two of these three key components: <ul> <li>an expanded problem-focused interval history;</li> <li>an expanded problem-focused examination;</li> <li>medical decision making of low complexity</li> </ul> </li> <li>Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually the patient is responding inadequately to therapy or has developed a minor complication.</li> </ul>
99309		<ul> <li>Subsequent nursing facility care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires at least two of these three key components: <ul> <li>a detailed interval history;</li> <li>a detailed examination;</li> <li>medical decision making of moderate complexity</li> </ul> </li> <li>Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually the patient has developed a significant complication.</li> </ul>
99310		<ul> <li>Subsequent nursing facility care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires at least two of these three key components: <ul> <li>a comprehensive interval history;</li> <li>a comprehensive examination;</li> <li>medical decision making of high complexity</li> </ul> </li> <li>Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. The patient may be unstable or may have developed a significant new problem requiring immediate physician attention.</li> </ul> <b>Domiciliary, Rest Home (e.g., Boarding Home), or Custodial Care Services</b> New Patient
99324		<ul> <li>Domicillary or rest home visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these three key components: <ul> <li>a problem-focused history;</li> <li>a problem-focused examination; and</li> <li>straightforward medical decision making.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs.</li> <li>Usually the presenting problem(s) are of low severity. Physicians typically spend 20 minutes with the patient and/or family or caregiver.</li> </ul>

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Code	Modifier	Service Description
99325		<ul> <li>Domicillary or rest home visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these three components: <ul> <li>an expanded problem-focused history;</li> <li>an expanded problem-focused examination; and</li> <li>medical decision making of low complexity.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs.</li> <li>Usually the presenting problem(s) are of moderate severity. Physicians typically spend</li> </ul>
99326		<ul> <li>30 minutes with the patient and/or family or caregiver.</li> <li>Domicillary or rest home visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these three key components: <ul> <li>a detailed history;</li> <li>a detailed examination; and</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>medical decision making of moderate complexity.</li> <li>Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs.</li> <li>Usually the presenting problem(s) are of moderate severity. Physicians typically spend 45 minutes with the patient and/or family or caregiver.</li> </ul>
99327		<ul> <li>Domicillary or rest home visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these three key components: <ul> <li>a comprehensive history;</li> <li>a comprehensive examination; and</li> <li>medical decision making of moderate complexity.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs.</li> <li>Usually the presenting problem(s) are of high severity. Physicians typically spend 60 minutes with the patient and/or family or caregiver.</li> </ul>
		Established Patient
99334		<ul> <li>Domicillary or rest home visit for the evaluation and management of an established patient, which requires at least two these three key components: <ul> <li>a problem-focused interval history;</li> <li>a problem-focused examination;</li> <li>straightforward medical decision making.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs.</li> </ul>
		Usually the presenting problem(s) are of self-limited or minor. Physicians typically spend 15 minutes with the patient and/or family or caregiver.

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99335		Domicillary or rest home visit for the evaluation and management of an established patient, which requires at least two of these three components: - an expanded problem-focused interval history; - an expanded problem-focused examination; - medical decision making of low complexity. Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided
		consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually the presenting problem(s) are of low to moderate severity. Physicians typically spend 25 minutes with the patient and/or family or caregiver.
99336 99337		Domicillary or rest home visit for the evaluation and management of an established patient, which requires at least two of these three components: - a detailed interval history; - a detailed examination;
		- medical decision making of moderate complexity. Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs.
		Usually the presenting problem(s) are of moderate to high severity. Physicians typically spend 40 minutes with the patient and/or family or caregiver. Domicillary or rest home visit for the evaluation and management of an established
		<ul> <li>patient, which requires these three components:</li> <li>a comprehensive interval history;</li> <li>a comprehensive examination;</li> <li>medical decision making of moderate to high complexity.</li> </ul>
		Counseling and/or coordination of care with other providers or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually the presenting problem(s) are of moderate to high severity. The patient may be unstable or may have developed a significant new problem requiring immediate physician attention. Physicians typically spend 60 minutes with the patient and/or family or caregiver.

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<u>Code</u>	<u>Modifier</u>	Service Description
		Home Services
		New Patient
99341		Home visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these three key components: - a problem focused history; - a problem focused examination; and - straightforward medical decision making
99342		Home visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these three key components: - an expanded problem focused history; - an expanded problem focused examination; and - medical decision making of low complexity
99343		Home visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these three key components: - a detailed history; - a detailed examination; and - medical decision making of moderate complexity
99345		<ul> <li>Home visit for the evaluation and management of a new patient, which requires these three key components:</li> <li>a comprehensive history;</li> <li>a comprehensive examination; and</li> <li>medical decision making of high complexity (I.C.)</li> </ul>
		Established Patient
99347		Home visit for the evaluation and management of an established patient, which requires at least two of these three key components: - a problem focused interval history; - a problem focused examination; - straightforward medical decision making
99348		Home visit for the evaluation and management of an established patient, which requires at least two of these three key components: - an expanded problem focused interval history; - an expanded problem focused examination; - medical decision making of low complexity

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99349		Home visit for the evaluation and management of an established patient, which requires at least two of these three key components: - a detailed interval history; - a detailed examination;
		- medical decision making of moderate complexity
99350		<ul> <li>Home visit for the evaluation and management of an established patient, which requires at least two of these three key components:</li> <li>- a comprehensive interval history;</li> <li>- a comprehensive examination;</li> </ul>
		- medical decision making of moderate to high complexity (I.C.)

## 605 Obstetric and Surgery Service Codes and Descriptions

See 130 CMR 405.422 for other requirements.

Service	
Code	Service Description

## **<u>Fee-for-Service Deliveries</u>**

59409	Vaginal delivery only (with or without episiotomy and /or forceps
59410	Vaginal delivery only (with or without episiotomy and/or forceps); including postpartum care
59414	Delivery of placenta (separate procedure)
59515	Cesarean delivery only; including postpartum care
59525	Subtotal or total hysterectomy after cesarean delivery (List separately in addition to 59510 or 59515.) (Hysterectomy Information (HI-1) form required)
59612	Vaginal delivery only, after previous cesarean delivery (with or without episiotomy and/or forceps)
59614	including postpartum care
59620	Cesarean delivery only, following attempted vaginal delivery after previous cesarean delivery
59622	including postpartum care
	<u>Global Deliveries</u>
59400	Routine obstetric care, including antepartum care, vaginal delivery (with or without episiotomy and/or forceps) and postpartum care
59510	Routine obstetric care including antepartum care, cesarean delivery, and postpartum care
59610	Routine obstetric care including antepartum care, vaginal delivery (with or without episiotomy, and/or forceps) and postpartum care, after previous cesarean delivery
59618	Routine obstetric care, including antepartum care, cesarean delivery, and postpartum care, following attempted vaginal delivery after previous cesarean delivery

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	Surgery Services
54150	Circumcision, using clamp or other device; newborn
54160	Circumcision, surgical excision other than clamp, device or dorsal slit; newborn
55250	Vasectomy, unilateral or bilateral (separate procedure), including postoperative semen examination(s) (Consent for Sterilization Form (CS-18 or CS-21) required) (S.P.)
55450	Ligation (percutaneous) of vas deferens, unilateral or bilateral (separate procedure) (Consent for Sterilization Form (CS-18 or CS-21) required) (S.P.)
58600	Ligation or transection of fallopian tube(s), abdominal or vaginal approach, unilateral or bilateral (Consent for Sterilization Form (CS-18 or CS-21) required)
58605	Ligation or transection of fallopian tube(s), abdominal or vaginal approach, postpartum, unilateral or bilateral, during same hospitalization (separate procedure) (Consent for Sterilization Form (CS-18 or CS-21) required) (S.P.)
58611	Ligation or transection of fallopian tube(s) when done at the time of cesarean section or intra- abdominal surgery (not a separate procedure) (Consent for Sterilization Form (CS-18 or CS-21) required) (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure.)
58615	Occlusion of fallopian tube(s) by device (e.g., band, clip, Falope ring), vaginal or suprapubic approach (Consent for Sterilization Form (CS-18 or CS-21) required)
58670	Laparoscopy, surgical; with fulguration of oviducts (with or without transection) (Consent for Sterilization Form (CS-18 or CS-21) required)
58671	with occlusion of oviducts by device (e.g., band, clip, or Falope ring) (Consent for Sterilization Form (CS-18 or CS-21) required)
59000	Amniocentesis, any method
59012	Cordocentesis (intrauterine), any method
59015	Chorionic villus sampling, any method
59025	Fetal non-stress test

606 Nurse-Midwife Service Codes and Descriptions

See 130 CMR 405.427 for requirements. When billing for delivery services performed by a nurse midwife, the provider must use a modifier.

Service <u>Code-Modifier</u>	Service Description
T1015-TH	Clinic visit/encounter, all-inclusive – obstetrical treatment/services, prenatal or postpartum (use for a medical visit with a nurse midwife for a prenatal or postpartum service)
59400	Routine obstetric care, including antepartum care, vaginal delivery (with or without episiotomy, and/or forceps) and postpartum care
59409	Vaginal delivery only (with or without episiotomy and/or forceps)
59410	Vaginal delivery only (with or without episiotomy and/or forceps); including postpartum care (Hysterectomy Information (HI-1) form required)

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606 Nurse-Midwife Service Codes and Descriptions (cont.)

Service <u>Code-Modifier</u>	Service Description
59414	Delivery of placenta (separate procedure)
59610	Routine obstetric care including antepartum care, vaginal delivery (with or without episiotomy, and/or forceps) and postpartum care, after previous cesarean delivery
59612	Vaginal delivery only, after previous cesarean delivery (with or without episiotomy and/or forceps)
59614	including postpartum care

607 Audiology Service Codes and Descriptions

See 106 CMR 405.461 through 405.463 for other requirements.

Service

- Code Service Description
- 92551 Screening test, pure tone, air only
- 92552 Pure tone audiometry (threshold); air only
- 92553 air and bone
- 92567 Tympanometry (impedance testing)

#### 608 <u>Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT): Health Assessment Service Codes</u> and Descriptions

See 130 CMR 450.140 through 450.149 for other requirements.

Service <u>Code</u> <u>Service Description</u>

## **New Patient**

99381 Initial comprehensive preventive medicine evaluation and management of an individual including an age and gender appropriate history, examination, counseling/anticipatory guidance/risk factor reduction interventions, and the ordering of appropriate immunization(s), laboratory/diagnostic procedures, new patient; infant (age younger than one year)

- 99382 early childhood (age one through four years)
- 99383 late childhood (age five through 11 years)
- adolescent (age 12 through 17 years)
- 99385 18 through 39 years
- 99386 40 through 64 years
- 99387 65 years and older

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#### **Established Patient**

- 99391 Periodic comprehensive preventive medicine reevaluation and management of an individual including an age and gender appropriate history, examination, counseling/anticipatory guidance/risk factor reduction interventions, and the ordering of appropriate immunization(s), laboratory/diagnostic procedures, established patient; infant (age younger than one year)
- early childhood (age one through four years)
- 99393late childhood (age five through 11 years)
- adolescent (age 12 through 17 years)
- 99395 18 through 39 years
- 99396
   40 through 64 years
- 99397 65 years and older
- 609 <u>Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT):</u> Audiometric Hearing and Vision <u>Tests Service Codes and Descriptions</u>

Service

- Code Service Description
- 92551 Screening test, pure tone, air only
- 92552 Pure tone audiometry (threshold); air only
- 99173 Screening test of visual acuity, quantitative, bilateral.

## 610 Tobacco Cessation Service Codes and Descriptions

Service <u>Code-Modifier</u>	Service Description
G0376	Smoking and tobacco use cessation counseling visit; intensive, greater than 10 minutes (at least 30 minutes). (Eligible providers are physician,
	independent nurse practitioner, and independent nurse midwife.)
G0376-HN	Smoking and tobacco use cessation counseling visit; intensive, greater
	than 10 minutes (at least 30 minutes). (Eligible providers are physician's
	assistants employed by an eligible billing entity.)
G0376-HQ	Smoking and tobacco use cessation counseling visit; intensive, (for an
	individual in a group setting, 60-90 minutes). (Eligible providers are physician,
	independent nurse practitioner, and independent nurse midwife.)
G0376-SA	Smoking and tobacco use cessation counseling visit; intensive, greater than
	10 minutes (at least 30 minutes). (Eligible providers are nurse practitioners
	employed by an eligible billing entity.)

## 610 <u>Tobacco Cessation Service Codes and Descriptions</u> (cont.)

Service <u>Code-Modifier</u>	Service Description
G0376-SB	Smoking and tobacco use cessation counseling visit; intensive, greater than 10 minutes (at least 30 minutes). (Eligible providers are nurse midwives employed by an eligible billing entity.)
G0376-TD	Smoking and tobacco use cessation counseling visit; intensive, greater than 10 minutes (at least 30 minutes). (Eligible providers are registered nurses employed by an eligible billing entity.)
G0376-TF	Smoking and tobacco use cessation counseling visit; intensive (intake assessment for an individual, at least 45 minutes). (Eligible providers are physician, independent nurse practitioner, and independent nurse midwife.)
G0376-U1	Smoking and tobacco use cessation counseling visit; intensive, greater than 10 minutes (at least 30 minutes). Eligible providers are tobacco cessation counselors employed by an eligible billing entity.)
G0376-U2	Smoking and tobacco use cessation counseling visit; intensive (intake assessment for an individual, at least 45 minutes). (Eligible providers are nurse practitioner, nurse midwife, physician assistant, registered nurse, and tobacco cessation counselor.)
G0376-U3	Smoking and tobacco use cessation counseling visit; intensive (for an individual in a group setting, 60-90 minutes). (Eligible providers are nurse practitioner, nurse midwife, physician assistant, registered nurse, and tobacco cessation counselor.)

#### 611 Medical Nutrition Therapy and Diabetes Self-Management Training Service Codes and Descriptions

#### Service Code Service Description G0108 Diabetes self-management training services, individual, per 30 minutes G0109 Diabetes outpatient self-management training services, group session (two or more), per 30 minutes G0270 Medical nutrition therapy; reassessment and subsequent intervention(s) following second referral in same year for change in diagnosis, medical condition, or treatment regimen (including additional hours needed for renal disease), individual, face-to-face with the patient, each 15 minutes G0271 Medical nutrition therapy; reassessment and subsequent intervention(s) following second referral in same year for change in diagnosis, medical condition, or treatment regimen (including additional hours needed for renal disease), group (two or more individuals), each 30 minutes 97802 Medical nutrition therapy, initial assessment and intervention, individual, face-to-face with the patient, each 15 minutes 97803 reassessment and intervention, individual, face-to-face with the patient, each 15 minutes

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