Medical Coverage Policy | Category III CPT Codes



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OVERVIEW

CPT Category III codes represent temporary codes for new and emerging technologies. They have been created to allow for data collection and utilization tracking for new procedures or services.

PRIOR AUTHORIZATION

See chart below

POLICY STATEMENT

BCBSRI coverage categories for Category III CPT codes include the following:

- Covered:
- Not Covered and a contract exclusion;
- Not Covered as they are not FDA approved;
- Not medically necessary as there is insufficient clinical data available to support its efficacy;
- Preauthorization is required; or
- Not separately reimbursed.

NOTE: Not all CPT Category III codes have an associated Medical Policy. The grid column below for Medical Policy will be left blank if there is no policy available for that code. Available policies are typically for services requiring preauthorization and Category III codes that have related CPT Category I and/or HCPCS codes that are either not covered or not medically necessary.

MEDICAL CRITERIA

None

BACKGROUND

Category III codes are different from Category I CPT codes in that they identify services that may not be performed by many health care professionals across the country, some may not have FDA approval, and some services/procedure have no proven clinical efficacy.

The codes are intended to be temporary and will be retired if the procedure or service is not accepted as a Category I code within five years. In some instances Category III codes may replace temporary local codes (HCPCS Level III) assigned by carriers and intermediaries to describe new procedures or services. If a Category III code is available it must be used instead of the unlisted Category I code. The use of the unlisted code does not offer the opportunity for collection of specific data. The AMA releases new codes twice a year (January and July) on its Web site.

COVERAGE

Benefits may vary between groups/contracts. Please refer to the appropriate Evidence of Coverage, Subscriber Agreement, Benefit Booklet for the applicable "Health Care Services Not Covered" coverage.

CODING

Deleted Codes: Category III codes that have been deleted will remain on the grid with the CPT Category I replacement code that is if one has been assigned. This means that the Category III code has been assigned a permanent Category I code to describe the exact procedure, or an unlisted code. If a Category I code has not been assigned then the procedure code will no longer be active.

ALL BCBSRI PRODUCTS: COVERED

Code	Descriptor	Medical Policy
0073T	Compensator-based beam modulation treatment delivery of inverse	Intensity Modulated
	planned treatment using 3 or more high resolution (milled or cast)	Radiation Therapy (IMRT)
	compensator convergent beam modulated fields, per treatment	
04.0.475	session (deleted 12/31/14, replace with 77385)	
0184T	Excision of rectal tumor, transanal endoscopic microsurgical	
	approach (ie, TEMS), including muscularis propria (ie, full thickness)	
0197T	Intra-fraction localization and tracking of target or patient motion	Intensity Modulated
017/1	during delivery of radiation therapy (eg, 3D positional tracking,	Radiation Therapy (IMRT)
	gating, 3D surface tracking), each fraction of treatment (deleted	
	12/31/14, replace with 77387)	
0226T	Anoscopy, high resolution (HRA) (with magnification and chemical	
	agent enhancement); diagnostic, including collection of specimen(s)	
	by brushing or washing when performed (deleted 12/31/14, replace	
	with 46601)	
0227T	Anoscopy, high resolution (HRA) (with magnification and chemical	
	agent enhancement); with biopsy(ies) (deleted 12/31/14, replace	
0262T	with 46607) Implantation of catheter-delivered prosthetic pulmonary valve,	
02021	endovascular approach (1/1/11)	
0285T	Electronic analysis of implanted peripheral subcutaneous field	
02031	stimulation pulse generator, with reprogramming when performed	
	(1/1/12)	
0291T	Intravascular optical coherence tomography (coronary native vessel	
	or graft) during diagnostic evaluation and/or therapeutic	
	intervention, including imaging supervision, interpretation, and	
	report; initial vessel (1/1/12)	
0292T	Intravascular optical coherence tomography (coronary native vessel	
	or graft) during diagnostic evaluation and/or therapeutic	
	intervention, including imaging supervision, interpretation, and	
0376T	report; each additional vessel (1/1/12) Insertion Of Anterior Segment Aqueous Drainage Device, Without	Surgical Treatments for
03/01	Extraocular Reservoir, Internal Approach, Into The Trabecular	Glaucoma
	Meshwork; Each Additional Device Insertion (List Separately In	Giaucoma
	Addition To Code For Primary Procedure)	
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BLUECHiP MEDICARE: COVERED

ALL OTHER BCBSRI PRODUCTS: NOT MEDICALLY NECESSARY DUE TO LACK OF PEER-REVIEWED MEDICAL LITERATURE DEMONSTRATING ITS EFFECTIVENESS

Code	Descriptor	Medical Policy
0171T	Insertion of posterior spinous process distraction device (including	Interspinous Process
	necessary removal of bone or ligament for insertion and imaging	Decompression System
	guidance), lumbar; single level	
0172T	Insertion of posterior spinous process distraction device (including	Interspinous Process
	necessary removal of bone or ligament for insertion and imaging	Decompression System
	guidance), lumbar; each additional level	
0275T-Q0	Percutaneous laminotomy/laminectomy (intralaminar approach) for	** Internal note, pending
	decompression of neural elements, (with or without ligamentous	RSS # 14071650655
	resection, discectomy, facetectomy and/or foraminotomy) any	
	method under indirect image guidance (eg, fluoroscopic, CT), with or	
	without the use of an endoscope, single or multiple levels, unilateral	
	or bilateral; lumbar (7/1/2011) - Covered for BlueCHiP for	
	Medicare when part of a clinical trial.	

ALL BCBSRI PRODUCTS: PRIOR AUTHORIZATION IS REQUIRED FOR BLUE CHIP MEDICARE AND RECOMMENDED FOR ALL OTHER BCBSRI PRODUCTS.

Code	Descriptor	Medical Policy
0095T	Removal of total disc arthroplasty (artificial disc), anterior approach,	Artificial Intervertebral Disc
	each additional interspace, cervical	
0164T	Removal of total disc arthroplasty, (artificial disc), anterior approach,	Artificial Intervertebral Disc
	each additional interspace, lumbar	
0269T	Revision or removal of carotid sinus baroreflex activation device;	
	total system (includes generator placement, unilateral or bilateral lead	
	placement, intra-operative interrogation, programming, and	
	repositioning, when performed) 7/1/11	
	NOTE: BCBSRI ONLY COVERS REMOVAL OF THE	
	DEVICE.DOCUMENTATION MUST BE SUBMITTED FOR	
	REVIEW. (Internal use only:The system will process the code the	
	same as an unlisted code and be reviewed by MIC Claims)	
0270T	Revision or removal of carotid sinus baroreflex activation device; lead	
	only, unilateral (includes intra-operative interrogation, programming,	
	and repositioning, when performed) 7/1/11	
	NOTE: BCBSRI ONLY COVERS REMOVAL OF THE DEVICE	
	AND DOCUMENTATION MUST BE SUBMITTED FOR	
	REVIEW. (Internal use only:The system will process the code the	
	same as an unlisted code and be reviewed by MIC Claims)	
0271T	Revision or removal of carotid sinus baroreflex activation device;	
	pulse generator only (includes intra-operative interrogation,	
	programming, and repositioning, when performed) 7/1/11	
	NOTE: BCBSRI ONLY COVERS REMOVAL OF THE DEVICE	
	AND DOCUMENTATION MUST BE SUBMITTED FOR	
	REVIEW. (Internal use only:The system will process the code the	
	same as an unlisted code and be reviewed by MIC Claims)	

0284T	Revision or removal of pulse generator or electrodes, including	
	imaging guidance, when performed, including addition of new	
	electrodes, when performed 1/1/12	
	NOTE: BCBSRI ONLY COVERS REMOVAL OF THE DEVICE	
	AND DOCUMENTATION MUST BE SUBMITTED FOR	
	REVIEW. (Internal use only: The system will process the code the	
	same as an unlisted code and be reviewed by MIC Claims)	
0388T	Transcatheter Removal Of Permanent Leadless Pacemaker,	
	Ventricular	
0393T	Removal of esophageal sphincter augmentation device	

ALL BCBSRI PRODUCTS: WILL FOLLOW UNLISTED PROCESS (MIC REVIEW)

Code	Descriptor	Medical Policy
0289T	Corneal incisions in the donor cornea created using a laser, in	
	preparation for penetrating or lamellar keratoplasty (1/1/12)	
0290T	Corneal incisions in the recipient cornea created using a laser, in	
	preparation for penetrating or lamellar keratoplasty (1/1/12)	
0322T	Removal of subcutaneous implantable (Effective 1/1/14), (deleted	
	12/31/14, replace with 33241)	
0323T	Removal of subcutaneous implantable defibrillator pulse generator	
	with replacement of subcutaneous implantable defibrillator pulse	
	generator only (Effective 1/1/14), (deleted 12/31/14, replace with	
	33262)	
0324T	Removal of subcutaneous implantable (Effective 1/1/14), (deleted	
	12/31/14, replace with 33272)	
0325T	Repositioning of subcutaneous implantable defibrillator electrode	
	and/or pulse generator (Effective 1/1/14), (deleted 12/31/14,	
	replace with 33273)	

ALL BCBSRI PRODUCTS: NOT COVERED - CONTRACT EXCLUSION

Code	Descriptor	Medical Policy
0058T	Cryopreservation; reproductive tissue, ovarian	Infertility Diag and
		Treatment
0059T	Cryopreservation; oocyte(s)(deleted 12/31/14 replace w/ 89337 or	Infertility Diag and
	0357T)	Treatment
0099T	Implantation of intrastromal corneal ring segments	
	Not covered/Contract exclusion for the treatment of myopia	!

0100T	Discoment of a sub-conjugatival national proofbesis received and pulse	
01001	Placement of a subconjunctival retinal prosthesis receiver and pulse	
	generator, and implantation of intra-ocular retinal electrode array,	
	with vitrectomy	
0 342 T	Therapeutic apheresis with selective HDL delipidation and plasma	
	reinfusion	
0 35 6T	Insertion of drug-eluting implant (including	
	punctual dilation and implant removal	
	when performed) into lacrimal canaliculus,	
	each	
0357T	Cryopreservation; immature oocyte(s)	
0360T	Observational behavioral follow-up	
	assessment, includes physician or other	
	qualified health care professional direction with	
	interpretation and report, administered by one	
	technician; first 30 minutes of technician time,	
	face-to-face with the patient	
0361T	each additional 30 minutes of technician	
	time, face-to-face with the patient (List	
	separately in addition to code for	
	primary service)	
0362T	Exposure behavioral follow-up assessment,	
03021	includes physician or other qualified health	
	care professional direction with interpretation	
	and report, administered by physician or other	
	qualified health care professional with the	
	assistance of one or more technicians; first 30	
	minutes of technician(s) time, face-to-face with	
02.62	the patient	
0 3 63T	each additional 30 minutes of	
	technician(s) time, face-to-face with the	
	patient (List separately in addition to	
	code for primary procedure)	
0381T	External heart rate and 3-axis accelerometer data recording up to 14	
	days to assess changes in heart rate and to monitor motion analysis	
	for the purposes of diagnosing nocturnal epilepsy seizure events;	
	includes report, scanning analysis with report, review and	
	interpretation by a physician or other qualified health care	
	professional	
0382T	review and interpretation only	
0383T	External heart rate and 3-axis accelerometer data recording from 15	
	to 30 days to assess changes in heart rate to monitor motion analysis	
	for the purposes of diagnosing nocturnal epilepsy seizure events;	
	includes report, scanning analysis with report, review and	
	interpretation by a physician or other qualified health care	
	professional	
0384T	review and interpretation only	
0385T	External heart rate and 3-axis accelerometer data recording more than	
	30 days to assess changes in heart rate to monitor motion analysis for	
	the purposes of diagnosing nocturnal epilepsy seizure events; includes	
	report, scanning analysis with report, review and interpretation by a	
	physician or other qualified health care professional	
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0387T	Transcatheter insertion or replacement of permanent leadless	
	pacemaker, ventricular	
0389T	Programming device evaluation (in person) with iterative adjustment	
	of the implantable device to test the function of the device and select	
	optimal permanent programmed values with analysis, review and	
	report, leadless pacemaker system	
0390T	Peri-procedural device evaluation (in person) and programming of	
	device system parameters before or after a surgery, procedure or test	
	with analysis, review and report, leadless pacemaker system	
0391T	Interrogation device evaluation (in person) with analysis, review and	
	report, includes connection, recording and disconnection per patient	
	encounter, leadless pacemaker system	

BlueCHiP for Medicare: Not Covered

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0319T	Insertion or replacement of subcutaneous implantable defibrillator	
	system with subcutaneous electrode (deleted 12/31/14, use alternate	
	code 33270)	
0320T	Insertion subcutaneous defibrillator electrode, (deleted 12/31/14,	
	replace with 33271)	
0321T	Insertion subcutaneous implantable defibrillation plkus generator with	
	subcutaneous electrode, (deleted 12/31/14, replace with 33240)	
0323T	Removal of subcutaneous implantable defibrillator pulse generator	
	with replacement of subcutaneous implantable defibrillator pulse	
	generator only, (deleted 12/31/14, replace with 33262)	
0325T	Repositioning of subcutaneous implantable defibrillator electrode	
	and/or pulse generator, (deleted 12/31/14, replace with 33273)	
0326T	Electrophysiologic evaluation of subcutaneous implantable	
	defibrillator (includes defibrillation threshold evaluation, induction of	
	arrhythmia, evaluation of sensing for arrhythmia termination, and	
	programming or reprogramming of sensing or therapeutic parameters,	
	(deleted 12/31/14, replace with 93644	
0327T	Interrogation device evaluation (in person) with analysis, review and	
	report, includes connection, recprding and disconnection per patient	
	encounter; implantable subcutaneous lead defibrillator system,	
	(deleted 12/31/14, replace with 93261	
0328T	Programming device evaluation (in person) with iterative adjustment	
	of the implantable device to test the function of the device and select	
	optimal permanent programmed values with analysis; implantable	
	subcutaneous lead defibrillator system, (deleted 12/31/14, replace	
	with 93260),	
0334T	Sacroiliac joint stabilization for arthrodesis, percutaneous or	
	minimally invasive (indirect visualization), includes obtaining and	
	applying autograft or allograft (structural or morselized), when	
	performed, includes image guidance when performed (eg, CT or	
	fluoroscopic), (deleted 12/31/14, replace with 27279)	
0321T	Insertion subcutaneous implantable defibrillation plkus generator with	
	subcutaneous electrode, (deleted 12/31/14, use alternate code 33240	

ALL BCBSRI PRODUCTS: NOT SEPARATELY REIMBURSED

Code Descriptor	Medical Policy
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0188T	Remote real-time interactive video-conferenced critical care,	
	evaluation and management of the critically ill or critically injured	
	patient; first 30-74 minutes	
0189T	Remote real-time interactive video-conferenced critical care,	
	evaluation and management of the critically ill or critically injured	
	patient; each additional 30 minutes	

ALL BCBSRI PRODUCTS: USE ALTERNATE PROCEDURE CODE

Code	Descriptor	Medical Policy
0359T	Behavior identification assessment, by the physician or other qualified health care professional, face-to-face with patient and caregiver(s), includes administration of standardized and non-standardized tests, detailed behavioral history, patient observation and caregiver interview, interpretation of test results,	Autism Spectrum Disorders Mandate
	discussion of findings and recommendations with the primary guardian(s)/caregiver(s), and preparation of report	
0364T	Adaptive behavior treatment by protocol, administered by technician, face-to-face with one patient; first 30 minutes of technician time	Autism Spectrum Disorders Mandate
0365T	each additional 30 minutes of technician time (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	Autism Spectrum Disorders Mandate
0366T	Group adaptive behavior treatment by protocol, administered by technician, face-to-face with two or more patients; first 30 minutes of technician time	Autism Spectrum Disorders Mandate
0367T	each additional 30 minutes of technician time (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	Autism Spectrum Disorders Mandate
0368T	Adaptive behavior treatment with protocol modification administered by physician or other qualified health care professional with one patient; first 30 minutes of patient face-to-face time	Autism Spectrum Disorders Mandate
0369T	each additional 30 minutes of patient face-to-face time (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	Autism Spectrum Disorders Mandate
0370T	Family adaptive behavior treatment guidance, administered by physician or other qualified health care professional (without the patient present)	Autism Spectrum Disorders Mandate
0371T	Multiple-family group adaptive behavior treatment guidance, administered by physician or other qualified health care professional (without the patient present)	Autism Spectrum Disorders Mandate
0372T	Adaptive behavior treatment social skills group, administered by physician or other qualified health care professional face-to-face with multiple patients	Autism Spectrum Disorders Mandate
0373T	Exposure adaptive behavior treatment with protocol modification requiring two or more technicians for severe maladaptive behavior(s); first 60 minutes of technicians' time, face-to-face with patient	Autism Spectrum Disorders Mandate
0374T	each additional 30 minutes of technicians' time face-to-face with patient (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	Autism Spectrum Disorders Mandate

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Code	Descriptor	Medical Policy
0099T	Implantation of intrastromal corneal ring segments	
	Not medically necessary for the treatment of keratoconus	
0019T	Extracorporeal shock wave involving musculoskeletal system, not otherwise specified, low energy	Extracorporeal Shock Wave
0042T	Cerebral perfusion analysis using computed tomography with contrast administration, including post-processing of parametric maps with determination of cerebral blood flow, cerebral blood volume, and mean transit time	
0051T	Implantation of a total replacement heart system (artificial heart) with recipient cardiectomy	Total Artificial Hearts as Permanent Replacement Therapy
0052T	Replacement or repair of thoracic unit of a total replacement heart system (artificial heart)	Total Artificial Hearts as Permanent Replacement Therapy
0053T	Total Artificial Hearts as Permanent Replacement Therapy Replacement or repair of implantable component or components of total replacement heart system (artificial heart), excluding thoracic unit	Total Artificial Hearts as Permanent Replacement Therapy
0054T	Computer-assisted musculoskeletal surgical navigational orthopedic procedure, with image-guidance based on fluoroscopic images	Computer-Assisted Musculoskeletal Surgical Navigational Orthopedic Procedure
0055T	Computer-assisted musculoskeletal surgical navigational orthopedic procedure, with image guidance based on CT/MRI images	Computer-Assisted Musculoskeletal Surgical Navigational Orthopedic Procedure
0071T	Focused ultrasound ablation of uterine leiomyomata, including MR guidance; total leiomyomata volume less than 200 cc of tissue	
0072Т	Focused ultrasound ablation of uterine leiomyomata, including MR guidance; total leiomyomata volume greater or equal to 200 cc of tissue	
0075Т	Transcatheter placement of extracranial vertebral or intrathoracic carotid artery stent(s), including radiologic supervision and interpretation, percutaneous; initial vessel	Carotid Artery Stenting to Treat Carotid Artery Stenosis
0076Т	Focused ultrasound ablation of uterine leiomyomata, including MR guidance; each additional vessel	Carotid Artery Stenting to Treat Carotid Artery Stenosis
0085T	Breath test for heart transplant rejection	
0092T	Total disc arthroplasty (artificial disc), anterior approach, including discectomy with end plate preparation (includes osteophytectomy for nerve root or spinal cord decompression and microdissection), each additional interspace, cervical (deleted 12/31/14)	Artificial Intervertebral Disc
0098T	Revision including replacement of total disc arthroplasty (artificial disc), anterior approach, each additional interspace, cervical	Artificial Intervertebral Disc
0101T	Extracorporeal shock wave involving musculoskeletal system, not otherwise specified; high energy	Extracorporeal Shock Wave
	Extracorporeal shock wave, high energy, performed by a physician,	Extracorporeal Shock Wave

	requiring anesthesia other than local, involving lateral humeral epicondyle	
0103T	Holotranscobalamin quantitative	
0106T	Quantitative sensory testing (QST), testing and interpretation per extremity; using touch pressure stimuli to assess large diameter sensation	
0107Т	Quantitative sensory testing (QST), testing and interpretation per extremity; using vibration stimuli to assess large diameter fiber sensation	
0108T	Quantitative sensory testing (QST), testing and interpretation per extremity; using cooling stimuli to assess small nerve fiber sensation and hyperalgesia	
0109Т	Quantitative sensory testing (QST), testing and interpretation per extremity; using heat-pain stimuli to assess small nerve fiber sensation and hyperalgesia	
0110T	Quantitative sensory testing (QST), testing and interpretation per extremity; using other stimuli to assess sensation	
0111T	Long-chain (C20-22) omega-3 fatty acids in red blood cell (RBC) membranes	Measurement of Long Chain Omega-3 Fatty Acids in Red Blood Cell Membranes
0123T	Fistulization of sclera for glaucoma, through ciliary body	Emerging Surgical Treatments for Glaucoma
0126T	Common carotid intima-media thickness (IMT) study for evaluation of atherosclerotic burden or coronary heart disease risk factor assessment	
0155T	Laparoscopy, surgical; implantation or replacement of gastric stimulation electrodes, lesser curvature (ie, morbid obesity)Deleted/Replaced with 43659 effective 1/1/12	Gastric Electrical Stimulation
0157T	Laparotomy, implantation or replacement of gastric stimulation electrodes, lesser curvature (ie, morbid obesity)	Gastric Electrical Stimulation
0159T	Computer-aided detection, including computer algorithm analysis of MRI image data for lesion detection/characterization, pharmacokinetic analysis, with further physician review for interpretation, breast MRI	
0163T	Total disc arthroplasty (artificial disc), anterior approach, including discectomy to prepare interspace (other than for decompression), each additional interspace, lumbar	Artificial Intervertebral Disc
0165T	Revision including replacement of total disc arthroplasty (artificial disc), anterior approach, each additional interspace, lumbar	Artificial Intervertebral Disc
0169Т	Stereotactic placement of infusion catheter(s) in the brain for delivery of therapeutic agent(s), including computerized stereotactic planning and burr hole(s)	
0174T	Computer-aided detection (CAD) (computer algorithm analysis of digital image data for lesion detection) with further physician review for interpretation and report, with or without digitization of film radiographic images, chest radiograph(s), performed concurrent with primary interpretation	Lung Cancer Screening Using CT Scanning or Chest Radiographs Archived 4/25/11
0175Т	Computer-aided detection (CAD) (computer algorithm analysis of digital image data for lesion detection) with further physician review for interpretation and report, with or without digitization of film	Lung Cancer Screening Using CT Scanning or Chest Radiographs Archived

	radiographic images, chest radiograph(s), performed remote from primary interpretation	4/25/11
0178T	Electrocardiogram, 64 leads or greater, with graphic presentation and analysis; with interpretation and report	Electrocardiographic Body Surface Mapping
0179T	Electrocardiogram, 64 leads or greater, with graphic presentation and analysis; tracing and graphics only, without interpretation and report	Electrocardiographic Body Surface Mapping
0180T	Electrocardiogram, 64 leads or greater, with graphic presentation and analysis; interpretation and report only	Electrocardiographic Body Surface Mapping
0181T	Corneal hysteresis determination, by air impulse stimulation, bilateral, with interpretation and report (deleted 12/31/14, replace with 92145)	
0182T	High dose rate electronic brachytherapy, per fraction	Brachytherapy Archived 5/6/2014
0190T	Placement of intraocular radiation source applicator (List separately in addition to primary procedure)	
0191T	Insertion of anterior segment aqueous drainage device, without extraocular reservoir; internal approach, into the trabecular meshwork	Emerging Surgical Treatments for Glaucoma
0195T	Arthrodesis, pre-sacral interbody technique, including instrumentation, imaging (when performed), and discectomy to prepare interspace, lumbar; single interspace	Lumbar Fusion
0196T	Arthrodesis, pre-sacral interbody technique, including instrumentation, imaging (when performed), and discectomy to prepare interspace, lumbar;	Lumbar Fusion
0198T	Measurement of ocular blood flow by repetitive intraocular pressure sampling, with interpretation and report	
0199T	Physiologic recording of tremor using accelerometer(s) and/or gyroscope(s) (including frequency and amplitude), including interpretation and report (deleted 12/31/14, replace with 95999)	
0200T	Percutaneous sacral augmentation (sacroplasty), unilateral injection(s), including the use of a balloon or mechanical device, when used, 1 or more needles	
0201T	Percutaneous sacral augmentation (sacroplasty), bilateral injections, including the use of a balloon or mechanical device, when used, 2 or more needles	
0202T	Posterior vertebral joint(s) arthroplasty (eg, facet joint[s] replacement), including facetectomy, laminectomy, foraminotomy, and vertebral column fixation, injection of bone cement, when performed, including fluoroscopy, single level, lumbar spine	
0205T	Intravascular catheter-based coronary vessel or graft spectroscopy (eg, infrared) during diagnostic evaluation and/or therapeutic intervention including imaging supervision, interpretation, and report, each vessel	
0206T	Algorithmic analysis, remote, of electrocardiographic derived data with computer probability assessment, including report	Signal-Averaged Electrocardiography (SAECG)
0207T	Evacuation of meibomian glands, automated, using heat and intermittent pressure, unilateral	
0208T	Pure tone audiometry (threshold), automated; air only	
0209T	Pure tone audiometry (threshold), automated; air and bone	
0210T	Speech audiometry threshold, automated;	

0211T	Speech audiometry threshold, automated; with speech recognition	
0212T	Comprehensive audiometry threshold evaluation and speech recognition (0209T, 0211T combined), automated	
0213T	Injection(s), diagnostic or therapeutic agent, paravertebral facet (zygapophyseal) joint (or nerves innervating that joint) with ultrasound guidance, cervical or thoracic; single level	Facet Joint Nerve Blocks
0214T	Injection(s), diagnostic or therapeutic agent, paravertebral facet (zygapophyseal) joint (or nerves innervating that joint) with ultrasound guidance, cervical or thoracic; second level	Facet Joint Nerve Blocks
0215T	Injection(s), diagnostic or therapeutic agent, paravertebral facet (zygapophyseal) joint (or nerves innervating that joint) with ultrasound guidance, cervical or thoracic; third and any additional level(s)	Facet Joint Nerve Blocks
0216T	Injection(s), diagnostic or therapeutic agent, paravertebral facet (zygapophyseal) joint (or nerves innervating that joint) with ultrasound guidance, lumbar or sacral; single level	Facet Joint Nerve Blocks
0217T	Injection(s), diagnostic or therapeutic agent, paravertebral facet (zygapophyseal) joint (or nerves innervating that joint) with ultrasound guidance, lumbar or sacral; second level	Facet Joint Nerve Blocks
0218T	Injection(s), diagnostic or therapeutic agent, paravertebral facet (zygapophyseal) joint (or nerves innervating that joint) with ultrasound guidance, lumbar or sacral; third and any additional level(s)	Facet Joint Nerve Blocks
0219T	Placement of a posterior intrafacet implant(s), unilateral or bilateral, including imaging and placement of bone graft(s) or synthetic device(s), single level; cervical	
0220Т	Placement of a posterior intrafacet implant(s), unilateral or bilateral, including imaging and placement of bone graft(s) or synthetic device(s), single level; thoracic	
0221T	Placement of a posterior intrafacet implant(s), unilateral or bilateral, including imaging and placement of bone graft(s) or synthetic device(s), single level; lumbar	
0222T	Placement of a posterior intrafacet implant(s), unilateral or bilateral, including imaging and placement of bone graft(s) or synthetic device(s), single level; each additional vertebral segment	
0223T	Acoustic cardiography, including automated analysis of combined acoustic and electrical intervals; single, with interpretation and report	
0224T	Acoustic cardiography, including automated analysis of combined acoustic and electrical intervals; multiple, including serial trended analysis and limited reprogramming of device parameter, AV or VV delays only, with interpretation and report	
0225T	Acoustic cardiography, including automated analysis of combined acoustic and electrical intervals; multiple, including serial trended analysis and limited reprogramming of device parameter, AV and VV delays, with interpretation and report	
0228T	Injection(s), anesthetic agent and/or steroid, transforaminal epidural, with ultrasound guidance, cervical or thoracic; single level	Facet Joint Nerve Blocks
0229T	Injection(s), anesthetic agent and/or steroid, transforaminal epidural, with ultrasound guidance, cervical or thoracic; each additional level	Facet Joint Nerve Blocks
0230T	Injection(s), anesthetic agent and/or steroid, transforaminal epidural, with ultrasound guidance, lumbar or sacral; single level	Facet Joint Nerve Blocks

0231T	Injection(s), anesthetic agent and/or steroid, transforaminal epidural, with ultrasound guidance, lumbar or sacral; each additional level	Facet Joint Nerve Blocks
0232T	Injection(s), platelet rich plasma, any site, including image guidance, harvesting and preparation when performed	Autologous Platelet-Derived Growth Factors (PRP)
0233T	Skin advanced glycation endproducts (AGE) measurement by multi- wavelength fluorescent spectroscopy	
0234T	Transluminal peripheral atherectomy, open or percutaneous, including radiological supervision and interpretation; renal artery	
0235T	Transluminal peripheral atherectomy, open or percutaneous, including radiological supervision and interpretation; visceral artery (except renal), each vessel	
0236Т	Transluminal peripheral atherectomy, open or percutaneous, including radiological supervision and interpretation; abdominal aorta	
0237T	Transluminal peripheral atherectomy, open or percutaneous, including radiological supervision and interpretation; brachiocephalic trunk and branches, each vessel	
0238T	Transluminal peripheral atherectomy, open or percutaneous, including radiological supervision and interpretation; iliac artery, each vessel	
0239T	Bioimpedance spectroscopy (BIS), measuring 100 frequencies or greater, direct measurement of extracellular fluid differences between the limbs (deleted 12/31/14, replace with 93702)	
0240T	Esophageal motility (manometric study of the esophagus and/or gastroesophageal junction) study with interpretation and report; with 3-dimensional high resolution esophageal pressure topography	
0241T	Esophageal motility (manometric study of the esophagus and/or gastroesophageal junction) study with interpretation and report; with stimulation or perfusion during 3-dimensional high resolution esophageal pressure topography study, (eg, stimulant, acid or alkali perfusion)	
0243T	Intermittent measurement of wheeze rate for bronchodilator or bronchial-challenge diagnostic evaluation(s), with interpretation and report	
0244T	Continuous measurement of wheeze rate during treatment assessment or during sleep for documentation of nocturnal wheeze and cough for diagnostic evaluation 3 to 24 hours, with interpretation and report	
0245Т	Open treatment of rib fracture requiring internal fixation, unilateral; 1-2 ribs, (deleted 12/31/14, replace with 21811, 21812 or 21813)	
0246T	Open treatment of rib fracture requiring internal fixation, unilateral; 3-4 ribs, (deleted 12/31/14, replace with 21811, 21812 or 21813)	
0247T	Open treatment of rib fracture requiring internal fixation, unilateral; 5-6 ribs, (deleted 12/31/14, replace with 21811, 21812 or 21813)	
0248Т	Open treatment of rib fracture requiring internal fixation, unilateral; 7 or more ribs, (deleted 12/31/14, replace with 21811, 21812 or 21813)	
0249Т	Ligation, hemorrhoidal vascular bundle(s), including ultrasound guidance	
0253Т	Bronchoscopy, rigid or flexible, including fluoroscopic guidance, when performed; internal approach, into the suprachoroidal space	
0254T	Endovascular repair of iliac artery bifurcation (eg, aneurysm, pseudoaneurysm, arteriovenous malformation, trauma) using	

	bifurcated endoprosthesis from the common iliac artery into both the external and internal iliac artery, unilateral;	
0255T	Endovascular repair of iliac artery bifurcation (eg, aneurysm, pseudoaneurysm, arteriovenous malformation, trauma) using bifurcated endoprosthesis from the common iliac artery into both the	
	external and internal iliac artery, unilateral; radiological supervision and interpretation	
0263T	Intramuscular autologous bone marrow cell therapy, with preparation of harvested cells, multiple injections, one leg, including ultrasound	
	guidance, if performed; complete procedure including unilateral or bilateral bone marrow harvest 7/1/11	
0264T	Intramuscular autologous bone marrow cell therapy, with preparation of harvested cells, multiple injections, one leg, including ultrasound guidance, if performed; complete procedure excluding bone marrow harvest 7/1/11	
0265T	Intramuscular autologous bone marrow cell therapy, with preparation of harvested cells, multiple injections, one leg, including ultrasound guidance, if performed; unilateral or bilateral bone marrow harvest only for intramuscular autologous bone marrow cell therapy 7/1/11	
0266T	Implantation or replacement of carotid sinus baroreflex activation device; total system (includes generator placement, unilateral or bilateral lead placement, intra-operative interrogation, programming, and repositioning, when performed) 7/1/11	
0267Т	Implantation or replacement of carotid sinus baroreflex activation device; lead only, unilateral (includes intra-operative interrogation, programming, and repositioning, when performed) 7/1/11	
0268Т	Implantation or replacement of carotid sinus baroreflex activation device; pulse generator only (includes intra-operative interrogation, programming, and repositioning, when performed) 7/1/11	
0272Т	Interrogation device evaluation (in person), carotid sinus baroreflex activation system, including telemetric iterative communication with the implantable device to monitor device diagnostics and programmed therapy values, with interpretation and report (eg, battery status, lead impedance, pulse amplitude, pulse width, therapy frequency, pathway mode, burst mode, therapy start/stop times each day); 7/1/11	
0273T	Interrogation device evaluation (in person), carotid sinus baroreflex activation system, including telemetric iterative communication with the implantable device to monitor device diagnostics and programmed therapy values, with interpretation and report (eg, battery status, lead impedance, pulse amplitude, pulse width, therapy frequency, pathway mode, burst mode, therapy start/stop times each day); with programming 7/1/11	
0274Т	Percutaneous laminotomy/laminectomy (intralaminar approach) for decompression of neural elements, (with or without ligamentous resection, discectomy, facetectomy and/or foraminotomy) any method under indirect image guidance (eg, fluoroscopic, CT), with or without the use of an endoscope, single or multiple levels, unilateral or bilateral; cervical or thoracic 7/1/11	

0278T	Transcutaneous electrical modulation pain reprocessing (eg, scrambler	Transcutaneous Electrical
02/01	therapy), each treatment session (includes placement of electrodes)	Modulation Pain
	01/01/12	Reprocessing
0281T	Percutaneous transcatheter closure of the left atrial appendage with	
	implant, including fluoroscopy, transseptal puncture, catheter	
	placement(s), left atrial angiography, left atrial appendage	
	angiography, radiological supervision and interpretation 01/01/12	
0282T	Percutaneous or open implantation of neurostimulator electrode	
	array(s), subcutaneous (peripheral subcutaneous field stimulation),	
	including imaging guidance, when performed, cervical, thoracic or	
	lumbar; for trial, including removal at the conclusion of trial period	
	01/01/12	
0283T	Percutaneous or open implantation of neurostimulator electrode	
	array(s), subcutaneous (peripheral subcutaneous field stimulation),	
	including imaging guidance, when performed, cervical, thoracic or	
	lumbar; permanent, with implantation of a pulse generator 01/01/12	
0286T	Near-infrared spectroscopy studies of lower extremity wounds (eg,	
	for oxyhemoglobin measurement) 01/01/12	
0287T	Near-infrared guidance for vascular access requiring real-time digital	
	visualization of subcutaneous vasculature for evaluation of potential	
	access sites and vessel patency 01/01/12	
0288T	Anoscopy, with delivery of thermal energy to the muscle of the anal	
	canal (eg, for fecal incontinence) 01/01/12	
0293T	Insertion of left atrial hemodynamic monitor; complete system,	
	includes implanted communication module and pressure sensor lead	
	in left atrium including transseptal access, radiological supervision and	
	interpretation, and associated injection procedures, when performed	
	01/01/12	
0294T	Insertion of left atrial hemodynamic monitor pressure sensor lead at	
	time of insertion of pacing cardioverter-defibrillator pulse generator	
	including radiological supervision and interpretation and associated	
	injection procedures, when performed $(1/1/12)$	
0295T	External electrocardiographic recording for more than 48 hours up to	
	21 days by continuous rhythm recording and storage; includes	
	recording, scanning analysis with report, review and interpretation	
	(01/01/12)	
0296T	External electrocardiographic recording for more than 48 hours up to	
	21 days by continuous rhythm recording and storage; recording	
	(includes connection and initial recording) (01/01/12)	
0297T	External electrocardiographic recording for more than 48 hours up to	
	21 days by continuous rhythm recording and storage; scanning	
	analysis with report (01/01/12)	
0 2 98T	External electrocardiographic recording for more than 48 hours up to	
	21 days by continuous rhythm recording and storage; review and	
	interpretation 01/01/12	
0 2 99T	Extracorporeal shock wave for integumentary wound healing, high	Extracorporeal Shock Wave
	energy, including topical application and dressing care; initial wound	Therapy
	(01/01/12)	
0300T	Extracorporeal shock wave for integumentary wound healing, high	Extracorporeal Shock Wave
	energy, including topical application and dressing care; each additional	Therapy
	wound (01/01/12)	

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0301T	Destruction/reduction of malignant breast tumor with externally	Microwave Tumor Ablation
	applied focused microwave, including interstitial placement of	
	disposable catheter with combined temperature monitoring probe	
	and microwave focusing sensocatheter under ultrasound	
	thermotherapy guidance (01/01/12)	
0309T	Arthrodesis, pre-sacral interbody technique, including disc space	Lumbar Fusion
	preparation, discectomy, with posterior instrumentation, with image	
	guidance, includes bone graft, when performed, lumbar, L4-L5	
	interspace (Effective 1/1/2013)	
	interspace (Effective 1/1/2013)	
0319T	Inscrition or real someont of sub-outer covering alertable defibrillator	
03191	Insertion or replacement of subcutaneous implantable defibrillator	
	system with subcutaneous electrode, (deleted 12/31/14, use alternate	
^ ^	code 33270) Commercial products only	
0320T	Insertion of subcutaneous defibrillator electorde, (deleted 12/31/14,	
	replace with 33271)Commercial products only	
0321T	Insertion of subcutaneous implantable defibrillator pulse generator	
	only with existing subcutaneous electrode, (deleted 12/31/14, replace	
	with 33240) Commercial products only	
0323T	Removal of subcutaneous implantable defibrillator pulse generator	
	with replacement of subcutaneous implantable defibrillator pulse	
	generator only, (deleted 12/31/14, use alternate code 33262)	
	Commercial products only	
0325T	Repositioning of subcutaneous implantable defibrillator electrode	
03231	and/or pulse generator, (deleted 12/31/14, use alternate code	
	33273), Commercial products only	
0326T	Electrophysiologic evaluation of subcutaneous implantable	
03201		
	defibrillator (includes defibrillation threshold evaluation, induction of	
	arrhythmia, evaluation of sensing for arrhythmia termination, and	
	programming or reprogramming of sensing or therapeutic	
	parameters, (deleted 12/31/14, replace with 93644) Commercial	
	products only	
0327T	Interrogation device evaluation (in person) with analysis, review and	
	report, includes connection, recording and disconnection per patient	
	encounter; implantable subcutaneous lead defibrillator system,	
	(deleted 12/31/14, replace with 93261) Commercial products only	
0329T	Monitoring of intraocular pressure for 24 hours or longer, unilateral	
	or bilateral, with interpretation and report (Effective 1/1/2014)	
0330T	Monitoring of intraocular pressure for 24 hours or longer, unilateral	
	or bilateral, with interpretation and report (Effective 1/1/2014)	
0331T	Myocardial sympathetic innervation imaging, planar qualitative and	
00011	quantitative assessment; (Effective 1/1/2014)	
0332T	Myocardial sympathetic innervation imaging, planar qualitative and	
03321	quantitative assessment; with tomographic SPECT (Effective	
	1/1/2014)	
0222T	,	
0333T	Visual evoked potential, screening of visual acuity, automated (Effective 1/1/2014)	
0334T	Sacroiliac joint stabilization for arthrodesis, percutaneous or	
	minimally invasive (indirect visualization), includes obtaining and	
	applying autograft or allograft (structural or morselized), when	
	performed, includes image guidance when performed (eg (Effective	
1	1/1/2014)(deleted 12/31/13, replace with 27279), Commercial	
I	products only	I

0335T	Extra-osseous subtalar joint implant for talotarsal stabilization (Effective 1/1/2014)	
0336Т	Laparoscopy, surgical, ablation of uterine fibroid(s), including intraoperative ultrasound guidance and monitoring, radiofrequency (Effective 1/1/2014)	
0337Т	Endothelial function assessment, using peripheral vascular response to reactive hyperemia, non-invasive (eg, brachial artery ultrasound, peripheral artery tonometry), unilateral or bilateral (Effective 1/1/2014)	
0340Т	Ablation, pulmonary tumor(s), including pleura or chest wall when involved by tumor extension, percutaneous, cryoablation, unilateral, includes imaging guidance (Effective 1/1/2014)	
0341T	Quantitative pupillometry with interpretation and report, unilateral or bilateral (Effective 1/1/2014)	
0343Т	Transcatheter mitral valve repair percutaneous approach including transseptal puncture when performed; initial prosthesis (Deleted 12/31/14, replace with 33418)	
0344Т	additional prosthesis (es) during same session (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure) (Deleted 12/31/14, replace with 33419)	
0345T	Transcatheter mitral valve repair percutaneous approach via the coronary sinus (Effective 1/1/2014)	
0346T	Ultrasound, elastography (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure) (Effective 1/1/2014)	
0347Т	Placement of interstitial device(s) in bone for radiostereometric analysis (RSA)	
0348T	Radiologic examination, radiostereometric analysis (RSA); spine, (includes, cervical, thoraciupper extremity(ies), (includes shoulder, elbow and wrist, when performed) c and lumbosacral, when performed)	
0349T	upper extremity(ies), (includes shoulder, elbow and wrist, when performed)	
0350T	lower extremity(ies), (includes hip, proximal femur, knee and ankle, when performed)	
0351T	Optical coherence tomography of breast or axillary lymph node, excised tissue, each specimen; real time intraoperative	
0352T	interpretation and report, real time	
0353Т	Optical coherence tomography of breast, surgical cavity; real time intraoperative	
0354T	interpretation and report, real time or referred	
0355T	Gastrointestinal tract imaging, intraluminal (eg, capsule endoscopy), colon, with interpretation and report	
0375T	Total Disc Arthroplasty (Artificial Disc), Anterior Approach, Including Discectomy With End Plate Preparation (Includes Osteophytectomy For Nerve Root Or Spinal Cord Decompression And Microdissection), Cervical, Three Or More Levels	Surgical Treatments for Glaucoma
0377Т	Anoscopy With Directed Submucosal Injection Of Bulking Agent For Fecal Incontinence	

0378T	Visual Field Assessment, With Concurrent Real Time Data Analysis And Accessible Data Storage With Patient Initiated Data Transmitted To A Remote Surveillance Center For Up To 30 Days; Review And Interpretation With Report By A Physician Or Other Qual	
0379Т	Visual Field Assessment, With Concurrent Real Time Data Analysis And Accessible Data Storage With Patient Initiated Data Transmitted To A Remote Surveillance Center For	
0380T	Computer-Aided Animation And Analysis Of Time Series Retinal Images For The Monitoring Of Disease Progression, Unilateral Or Bilateral, With Interpretation And Report	
0382T	Review And Interpretation Only	
0383T	External Heart Rate And 3-Axis Accelerometer Data Recording From 15 To 30 Days To Assess Changes In Heart Rate To Monitor Motion Analysis For The Purposes Of Diagnosing Nocturnal Epilepsy Seizure Events; Includes Report, Scanning Analysis With Report, Review And Interpretation By A Physician Or Other Qualified Health Care Professional	
0384T	Review And Interpretation Only	
0385T	External Heart Rate And 3-Axis Accelerometer Data Recording More Than 30 Days To Assess Changes In Heart Rate To Monitor Motion Analysis For The Purposes Of Diagnosing Nocturnal Epilepsy Seizure Events; Includes Report, Scanning Analysis With Report, Review And Interpretation By A Physician Or Other Qualified Health Care Professional	
0386T	Review And Interpretation Only	
0387T	Transcatheter Insertion Or Replacement Of Permanent Leadless Pacemaker, Ventricular	
0389T	Programming Device Evaluation (In Person) With Iterative Adjustment Of The Implantable Device To Test The Function Of The Device And Select Optimal Permanent Programmed Values With Analysis, Review And Report, Leadless Pacemaker System	
0390Т	Peri-Procedural Device Evaluation (In Person) And Programming Of Device System Parameters Before Or After A Surgery, Procedure Or Test With Analysis, Review And Report, Leadless Pacemaker System	
0391T	Interrogation Device Evaluation (In Person) With Analysis, Review And Report, Includes Connection, Recording And Disconnection Per Patient Encounter, Leadless Pacemaker System	
0392T	Laparoscopy, surgical, esophageal sphincter augmentation procedure, placement of sphincter augmentation device (ie, magnetic band	

Code	Descriptor	Related Medical Policy
0017T	Destruction of macular drusen, photocoagulation DELETED USE UNLISTED CODE 67299 (1/1/11)	,
0030Т	Antiprothrombin (phospholipid cofactor) antibody, each Ig class DELETED USE UNLISTED CODE 86849 (12/31/12)	
0048T	Implantation of a ventricular assist device, extracorporeal, percutaneous transseptal access, single or dual cannulation (Deleted 12/31/12 replaced with unlisted 33991)	
0050T	Removal of a ventricular assist device, extracorporeal, percutaneous transseptal access, single or dual cannulation Delete 12/31/12, report using 33990-33993	
0078T	Endovascular repair using prosthesis of abdominal aortic aneurysm, pseudoaneurysm or dissection, abdominal aorta involving visceral branches (superior mesenteric, celiac and/or renal artery[s]) Deleted 12/31/13 and replaced with 34841, 34842, 34843, 34844, 34845, 34846, 34847, 34848	
0079T	Placement of visceral extension prosthesis for endovascular repair of abdominal aortic aneurysm involving visceral vessels, each visceral branch (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure) Deleted 12/31/13 and replaced with 34841, 34842, 34843, 34844, 34845, 34846, 34847, 34848	
0080Т	Endovascular repair using prosthesis of abdominal aortic aneurysm, pseudoaneurysm or dissection, abdominal aorta involving visceral vessels (superior mesenteric, celiac and/or renal artery[s]), radiological supervision and interpretation Deleted 12/31/13 and replaced with 34841, 34842, 34843, 34844, 34845, 34846, 34847, 34848	
0081T	Placement of visceral extension prosthesis for endovascular repair of abdominal aortic aneurysm involving visceral vessels, each visceral branch, radiological supervision and interpretation (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure) Deleted 12/31/13 and replaced with 34841, 34842, 34843, 34844, 34845, 34846, 34847, 34848	
0124T	Conjunctival incision with posterior extrascleral placement of pharmacological agent (does not include supply of medication) Deleted 12/31/13 and replaced with 68399	
0141T	Pancreatic islet cell transplantation through portal vein, percutaneous (Medicare/participating in clinical trials) Deleted/Replaced with 48999 (1/1/12)	Islet Cell Transplant
0142T	Pancreatic islet cell transplantation through portal vein, open (Medicare/participating in clinical trials) Deleted/Replaced with 48999 (1/1/12)	Islet Cell Transplant
0143T	Laparoscopy, surgical, pancreatic islet cell transplantation through portal vein (Medicare/participating in clinical trials) Deleted/Replaced with 48999 (1/1/12)	Islet Cell Transplant
0156T	Laparoscopy, surgical; revision or removal of gastric stimulation electrodes, lesser curvature (ie, morbid obesity) Deleted/Replaced with unlisted 43659 (1/1/12)	Gastric Electrical Stimulation
0158T	Laparotomy, revision or removal of gastric stimulation electrodes, lesser curvature (ie, morbid obesity) Deleted/Replaced with unlisted	Gastric Electrical Stimulation

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Rhinophototherapy, intranasal application of ultraviolet and visible	
light, bilateral	
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	Non-contact non-thermal
	ultrasound treatment
Multivariate analysis of patient-specific findings with quantifiable	Paraspinal surface
computer probability assessment, including report	electomyography and
	Multivariate analysis
	Transpupillary
	thermotherapy of
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	neovascularization
	Surgical treatment for
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cardiopulmonary bypass(delete12/31/13 replace with 33365-33369)	
Total body systemic hypothermia, per day, in the neonate 28 days of	
	light, bilateral Deleted/Replaced with unlisted 30999 effective 1/1/12 Monitoring of intraocular pressure during vitrectomy surgery Delete 12/31/12 Low frequency, non-contact, non-thermal ultrasound, including topical application(s), when performed, wound assessment, and instruction(s) for ongoing care, per day Deleted 12/31/13 and replaced with 97610 Multivariate analysis of patient-specific findings with quantifiable computer probability assessment, including report Deleted 12/31/13 and replaced with 99199 Suprachoroidal delivery of pharmacologic agent (does not include supply of medication) Deleted 12/31/13 and replaced with 67299 Insertion of anterior segment aqueous drainage device, without extraocular reservoir; external approach Deleted 12/31/13 and replaced with 66183 Gastrointestinal tract transit and pressure measurement, stomach through colon, wireless capsule, with interpretation and report (Deleted 12/31/12 replace with 91112) Airway sizing and insertion of bronchial valve(s), each lobe (Deleted 12/31/12 replace with 31647) Bronchoscopy, rigid or flexible, including fluoroscopic guidance, when performed; with removal of bronchial valve(s), initial lobe (Deleted 12/31/12 replace with 31648) Bronchoscopy, rigid or flexible, including fluoroscopic guidance, when performed; with removal of bronchial valve(s), each additional lobe (deleted 12/31/12 replace with 31649) Implantation of catheter-delivered prosthetic aortic heart valve; endovascular approach (deleted 12/31/12 replace with 33361, 33362, 33363, 33364) Implantation of catheter-delivered prosthetic aortic heart valve; open thoracic approach (eg, transapical, transventricular) (delete 12/31/13 replace with 33365, 0318T) Transthoracic cardiac exposure (eg, sternotomy, thoracotomy, subxiphoid) for catheter-delivered aortic valve replacement; without cardiopulmonary bypass (delete 12/31/13 replace with 33365-33369)

	age or younger, (delete 12/31/14 and replaced with 99184)	
0261T	Selective head hypothermia, per day, in the neonate 28 days of age or younger (deleted 12/31/14 and replaced with 99184)	
0276T	Bronchoscopy, rigid or flexible, including fluoroscopic guidance, when performed; with bronchial thermoplasty, 1 lobe (includes moderate sedation) (delete 12/31/12 replace with 31660)	
0277T	Bronchoscopy, rigid or flexible, including fluoroscopic guidance, when performed; with bronchial thermoplasty, 2 or more lobes (includes moderate sedation) (Delete 12/31/12 replace with 31661)	
0279T	Cell enumeration using immunologic selection and identification in fluid specimen (eg, circulating tumor cells in blood); (delete 12/31/12 replace with 86152)	Detection of Circulating Tumor Cells in the Management of Patients with Cancer
0280Т	Cell enumeration using immunologic selection and identification in fluid specimen (eg, circulating tumor cells in blood); interpretation and report (delete 12/31/12 replace with 86153)	Detection of Circulating Tumor Cells in the Management of Patients with Cancer
0318T	Implantation of catheter-delivered prosthetic aortic heart valve, open thoracic approach, (eg, transapical, other than transaortic) (delete 12/31/13 replace with 33366)	
0319T	Insertion or replacement of subcutaneous implantable defibrillator system with subcutaneous electrode, (deleted 12/31/14 replace with 33270)	

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