



Proposed Panel Agenda

February 2021 CPT® Editorial Panel Meeting

The proposed agenda for the February 2021 CPT Editorial Panel meeting shows the code application names, code(s) affected, and a description of the request. The Code Numbers and Request Descriptions detailed in this document are extracted from Code Applications submitted for discussion at this meeting. **Until such time as the CPT Editorial Panel acts on these requests, the information that appears in this Proposed Agenda is provided for informational purposes only, giving interested individuals the information to help determine whether or not to attend the meeting and provide comment on a given topic(s).**

Codes that contain an 'X' (e.g., 1002X4, 234X2X, 0301XT) below are placeholder codes that are intended, through the first three digits, to give readers an idea of the proposed placement in the code set of the potential code changes. **These codes are not used for claims reporting and will be removed and not retained when the final CPT Datafiles are distributed on, or near, August 31st of each year. To report the services for "X" codes listed on this form, please refer to the actual codes as they appear in the CPT Datafiles publication distributed on, or near, August 31st of the corresponding year.**

Upon review of this agenda, if the reviewer believes that they will need to provide comment on an issue, they should send a request for a copy of the application and associated materials to [Michael Pellegrino](#). This request for review of the agenda materials should contain the identity of the interested party seeking such and a brief summary of the basis for the request (e.g., associated vendor/ industry representative).

Any interested parties wishing to provide written comments on any agenda items should be aware of the following relevant deadlines for provision of written comments on the agenda to ensure comment review by all parties. Additional verbal comments on any issue can be provided in person at the Panel meeting following a statement of conflict of interest. The applicant(s) who submitted the original code change application is automatically considered an interested party and are notified by AMA staff of any request for review submitted by another party.

*Interested party requests will not be processed until the interested party submits a signed confidentiality agreement and disclosure of interest form. Interested party requests will be processed within 5 days of receipt of the requested forms. Commenters will follow the deadline instructions in the correspondence provided by AMA staff. The deadline for request to review any non-Pathology/Laboratory code change applications is **January 14, 2021**. The deadline for submission of written comments for non-Pathology/Laboratory applications is **January 21, 2021**.

Updated January 22, 2021

- New
- ▲ Revision
- ⊕ Add on
- D Deletion

Issues	Tabs	Deadline to Request Materials	Comments Deadline (Noon, CST)
All Non-Pathology Issues	6-20, 28-48	January 14, 2021	January 21, 2021
Path/Lab (other than MoPath)	21-27	November 20, 2020	November 30, 2020

During the time between now and the Panel meeting, the agenda will more than likely be modified to reflect changes (additions, deletions or updates). Please check back frequently for the most up to date information. Outcomes on these actions will be found in the CPT Editorial Panel Summary of Actions for the May 2021 meeting which will be published on or before March 8 to the CPT home page of the [AMA website](#).

Tab #	Name	Code #	Request-Description
6	Inpatient and Observation Care Services	D99217 ▲99223 D99218 ▲99231 D99219 ▲99232 D99220 ▲99233 D99224 ▲99234 D99225 ▲99235 D99226 ▲99236 ▲99221 ▲99238 ▲99222 ▲99239	Delete codes 99217, 99218, 99219, 99220, 99224, 99225, 99226; and revise hospital inpatient services subsection including heading, guidelines, and codes 99221, 99222 99223, 99231, 99232, 99233, 99234, 99235, 99236, 99238, 99239 to include observation care services
7	Consultations	D99241 ▲99245 D99251 ▲99252 ▲99242 ▲99253 ▲99243 ▲99254 ▲99244 ▲99255	Delete the Concurrent Care and Transfer of Care guidelines at the beginning of the E/M section; delete consultation codes 99241, 99251; and revise the consultations section including guidelines and codes 99242, 99243, 99244, 99245, 99252, 99253, 99254, 99255
8	Emergency Department Services	▲99281 ▲99282 ▲99283 ▲99284 ▲99285	Revise the Emergency Department subsection guidelines; and revise codes 99281, 99282, 99283, 99284, 99285

Tab #	Name	Code #	Request-Description
9	Nursing Facility Services	D99318 ▲99307 ▲99304 ▲99308 ▲99305 ▲99309 ▲99306 ▲99310	Revise the Nursing Facility Services subsection guidelines; delete code 99318 for annual nursing facility assessment; and revise Nursing Facility codes 99304, 99305, 99306, 99307, 99308, 99309, 99310
10	Home and Residence Services	D99234 D99343 D99235 ▲99341 D99236 ▲99342 D99237 ▲99344 D99238 ▲99345 D99334 ▲99347 D99335 ▲99348 D99336 ▲99349 D99337 ▲99350 D99339	Delete Domiciliary, Rest Home (eg, Boarding Home), or Custodial Care Services E/M subsection including guidelines and codes 99234-99238, 99334-99337; delete Domiciliary, Rest Home (eg, Assisted Living Facility), or Home Care Plan Oversight Services subsection including guidelines and codes 99339, 99334; delete home visit code 99343; and revise Home Services section including heading, guidelines and codes 99341, 99342, 99344, 99345, 99347, 99348, 99349, 99350 to include services provided in assisted living facilities, group homes, custodial care facilities, and residential substance abuse treatment facilities
11	Prolonged Services	●908X0 ●993X0 D99354 D99355 D99356 D99357 ▲99417 ▲99483	Delete Prolonged Service With Direct Patient Contact (Except with Office or Other Outpatient Services) subsection including codes 99354-99357; revise Prolonged Service Without Direct Patient Contact guidelines; revise Prolonged Clinical Staff Services With Physician or Other Qualified Health Care Professional Supervision guidelines; revise Prolonged Service With or Without Direct Patient Contact on the Date of an Office or Other Outpatient Service guidelines; revise 99417; add prolonged service code 993X0; revise 99483; and add prolonged psychotherapy service code 908X0
12	Evaluation and Management Guidelines	-----	Revise E/M Introductory guidelines to reflect changes in Inpatient, Observation, Consultations, Emergency Department Services, Nursing Facility Services, and Home and Residence Services, as appropriate
13	Restorative Care- Musculoskeletal Guidelines	-----	Revise the introductory guidelines for Manipulation in the Musculoskeletal System section to more clearly define restorative treatment services
14	Closed Evaluation of Clavicular Fracture	-----	WITHDRAWN

Tab #	Name	Code #	Request-Description
15	Endovascular Pulmonary Arterial Revascularization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ●338X3 ●338X4 ●338X5 ●338X6 ●338X7 	Establish codes 338X3, 338X4, 338X5, 338X6, 338X7 to report placement of endovascular pulmonary arterial stent for revascularization
16	Endoscopic Bariatric Device Procedures	●43X21	Establish code 43X21 to report esophagogastroduodenoscopy with deployment of gastric bariatric device (eg, balloon) under endoscopic guidance
17	Endoscopic Submucosal Dissection (ESD)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ●43XX0 ●43XX1 	Establish codes 43XX0, 43XX1 to report Endoscopic submucosal dissection (ESD)
18	Anterior Abdominal Hernia Repair	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ●157X1 ●49X11 D49572 ●49X01 ●49X12 D49580 ●49X02 ●49X13 D49582 ●49X03 ●49X14 D49585 ●49X04 ●49X15 D49587 ●49X05 D49560 D49590 ●49X06 D49561 D49652 ●49X07 D49565 D49653 ●49X08 D49566 D49654 ●49X09 D49568 D49655 ●49X10 D49570 D49656 <li style="text-align: right;">D49657 	Establish codes 157X1, 49X15 to report implantation and removal of mesh; establish codes 49X01-49X14 to report hernia repair; and delete codes 49560-49590, 49652-49657 for reporting abdominal hernia repair
19	Dual Energy Tissue Remodeling	●06X0T	Establish code 06X0T to report dual energy tissue remodeling
20	Thyroid Nodule Laser Ablation	●602XX	Establish code 602XX to report thyroid nodule laser ablation
21	Pancreatic Elastase Quantitative Test	-----	WITHDRAWN

Tab #	Name	Code #	Request-Description
22	Interleukin 6 Immunoassay	●835X1	Establish code 835X1 to report Interleukin 6 testing for evaluation of inflammation, diabetes, stroke, or CVD
23	Light Chains (Kappa and Lambda) Testing	●8352X	Establish code 8352X to report light chains (kappa, lambda)
24	Neuromyelitis Optica (NMO) Antibody Testing	●860XX ●860X1 ●860X2 ●863X2 ●863X3	Establish 5 codes to identify aquaporin-4 (860XX, 860X1, 860X2) and myelin oligodendrocyte glycoprotein (MOG-IgG1) (863X2, 863X3) antibody testing for autoimmune et al disorders
25	Endomysial Antibody (EMA) Ig Test-Celiac Dx	●862XX	Establish code 862XX to report Endomysial Antibodies for each immunoglobulin class
26	Deamidated Gliadin Peptide (DGP) Ig Test-Celiac Dx	●862X0	Establish code 862X0 to report Gliadin (deamidated) (DGP) antibodies for each immunoglobulin class
27	Tissue transglutaminase (TTG) Ig Test-Celiac Dx	●862X1	Establish code 862X1 to report Tissue transglutaminase for each immunoglobulin class
28	Hepatitis B 3-antigen Vaccine	●9074X	Establish code 9074X to report Hepatitis B vaccine (HepB), 3-antigen (S, Pre-S1, Pre-S2), produced in a mammalian cell line, adult dosage, 3-dose schedule, for intramuscular use
29	Medically Tailored Meal Services	●99X00	Establish code 99X00 to report Medically Tailored Meal Services
30	Human Milk Donation Services	-----	WITHDRAWN
31	Indirect Calorimetry Test	●946X3 ●946X4	Establish codes 946X3, 946X4 to report indirect calorimetry tests on-site and remotely

Tab #	Name	Code #	Request-Description
32	Pulmonary Angiography	▲93568 ●935X0 ●935X1	Revise Surgery/Pulmonary Valve guidelines; revise Shunting Procedures guidelines; revise Medicine/Cardiac Catheterization guidelines; revise Injection Procedures guidelines; revise 93568; establish codes 935X0, 935X1 for reporting selective pulmonary arterial angiography; and revise Modifier 63 guidelines
33	Auditory Evoked Potentials 92653 Parenthetical Note Changes	-----	Revise parenthetical notes following code 92652; and add a new parenthetical note following 92653 to report auditory evoked potentials
34	Vestibular and Audiologic Function Test Code Deletions	D92531 D92559 D92532 D92560 D92533 D92561 D92534 D92564	Delete codes 92531, 92532, 92533, 92534, 92559, 92560, 92561, 92564
35	Orthoptic Training	▲92065 ●920XX	Revise code 92065 to remove supervision; and establish child code 920XX to report under supervision by a physicians or other qualified health care professional
36	Wireless Remote Electrical Neuromodulation Device Fitting	-----	WITHDRAWN
37	Cat III - Validated Digital Behavioral Therapy for Substance Use	●0X35T	Establish code 0X35T to report substance-use reduction using a validated online-electronic-structured intensive program
38	Cat III - Resting State Functional MRI	●0X38T ●0X39T	Establish codes 0X38T, 0X39T to report resting state functional magnetic resonance imaging (MRI)
39	Caregiver Behavior Management Training	●96X70 ●96X71	Establish codes 96X70, 96X71 for reporting multiple-family group behavior management training for guardians/caregivers without patient presence.
40	Cat III - Synchronized Diaphragmatic Stimulation to Improve Cardiac Output	●050XT ●053XT ●051XT ●054XT ●052XT ●055XT	Establish codes 050XT, 051XT, 052XT, 053XT, 054XT, 055XT to report implantation and programming of device for synchronized stimulation of diaphragmatic muscle to improve cardiac output
41	Cat III-Histotripsy	●056XT	Establish code 056XT to report use of histotripsy method for destruction of tissue

Tab #	Name	Code #	Request-Description
42	Cat III-Amblyopia Training Services	●058XT ●059XT	Establish codes 058Xt, 059XT to report treatment of amblyopia
43	Cat III-Quantitative Ultrasound Tissue Characterization (Non-Elastographic)	●0X33T ●0X34T	Establish codes 0X33T, 0X34T for reporting uses of ultrasound imaging data and software to analyze tissue characteristics
44	Cat III-Assistive Augmented Intelligence Analysis	●0X36T	Establish code 0X36T to report evaluation, interpretation and reporting of assistive augmented intelligence analysis of an existing computed tomography (CT) dataset for detection of vertebral fracture(s) and estimation of bone mineral density (BMD)
45	Cat III-Therapeutic Ultrafiltration	●057XT	Establish code 057XT to report therapeutic ultrafiltration
46	Category III Sundown	0174T 0408T 0427T 0447T 0175T 0409T 0428T 0448T 0232T 0410T 0429T 0449T 0263T 0411T 0430T 0450T 0264T 0412T 0431T 0451T 0265T 0413T 0432T 0452T 0266T 0414T 0433T 0453T 0267T 0415T 0434T 0454T 0268T 0416T 0435T 0455T 0269T 0417T 0436T 0456T 0270T 0418T 0437T 0457T 0271T 0419T 0439T 0458T 0272T 0420T 0440T 0459T 0273T 0421T 0441T 0460T 0274T 0422T 0442T 0461T 0275T 0423T 0443T 0462T 0278T 0424T 0444T 0463T 0290T 0425T 0445T 0290T 0426T 0446T	Request to delete Category III codes that are scheduled for sundown in January 2022
47	PLA Q1 2021 Consent Agenda	-----	Addition of PLA codes for 2021 Q1 cycle as a consent agenda

Tab #	Name	Code #	Request-Description
48	Code Set Maintenance	-----	Annual review of low utilization service CPT codes for possible deletion at the May 2020 Panel meeting