



Early Release Schedule

CPT® Category III Codes

CPT® Cycle	CPT Editorial Panel Meeting	Early Release to AMA Website	Effective Date*	Publish Date (Print Book)
2026	Feb 2024	July 1, 2024	Jan 1, 2025	2025
	May 2024	July 1, 2024	Jan 1, 2025	2025
	Sep 2024	Jan 1, 2025	July 1, 2025	2026
2027	Feb 2025	July 1, 2025	Jan 1, 2026	2026
	May 2025	July 1, 2025	Jan 1, 2026	2026
	Sep 2025	Jan 1, 2026	July 1, 2026	2027
2028	Feb 2026	July 1, 2026	Jan 1, 2027	2027
	May 2026	July 1, 2026	Jan 1, 2027	2027
	Sep 2026	Jan 1, 2027	July 1, 2027	2028

*Codes approved for deletion are published annually with the full set of temporary codes for emerging technology, services, procedures, and service paradigms in the CPT code set. Deleted codes have an effective date of January 1.